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**ISOLA MARINELLA:****THE EMERALD COAST'S HIDDEN GEM**

By Yvonne Gordon

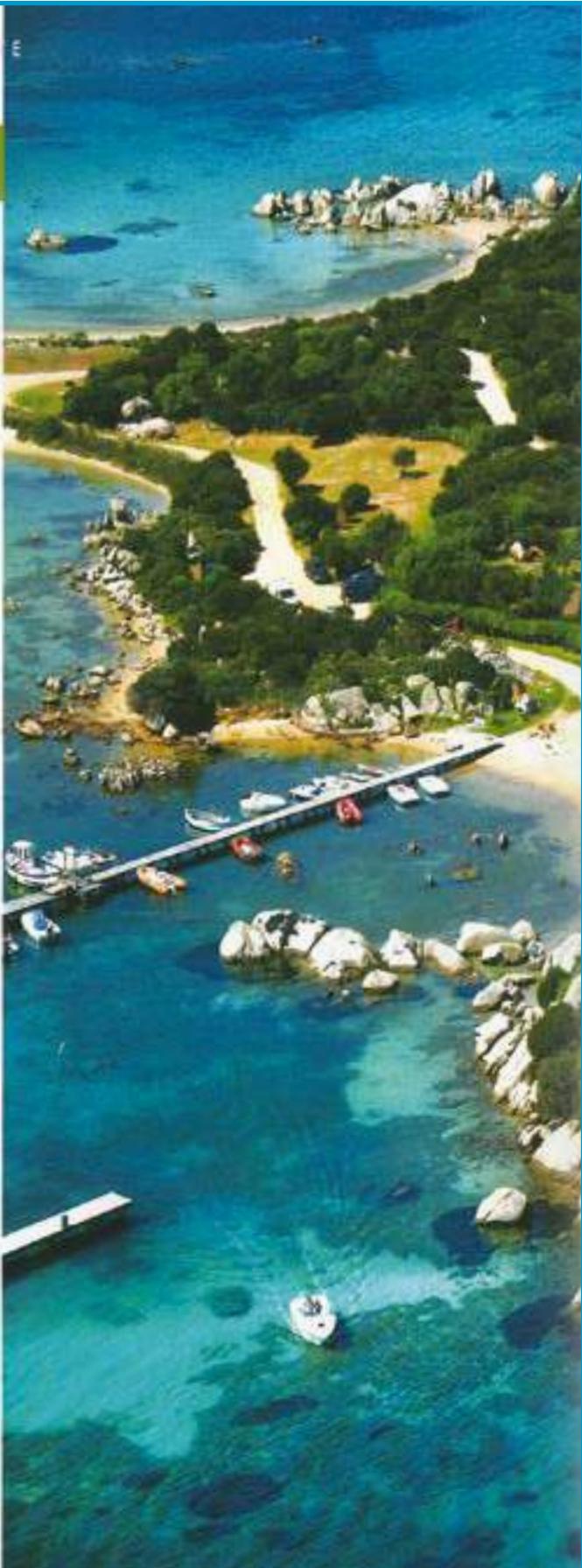
Sardinia, the second largest island in the Mediterranean, is an alluring character. Its rocky coastline stretches more than 1100 miles, scored with dramatic headlands, deep bays and sheltered inlets, and dotted with tiny islands. With a civilization dating back thousands of years, Sardinia is full of archaeological sites and the ruins of ancient cities, and the island thrives on a culture of music, dance, crafts and cuisine.

The north of the island is renowned for its spectacular scenery: small coves and bays lined with sandy beaches and fringed by crystal clear turquoise waters. It is here in the Gallura region that the world-famous Costa Smeralda — the fabled Emerald Coast — is found. Christened by Prince Karim Aga Khan in 1982, this unspoilt coastal region has since been favoured by the rich and famous. Cultural events on the Emerald Coast include prestigious yachting event the Sardinia Cup, Loro Piano Superyacht Regatta, the Italian Film Festival, polo matches and vintage car rallies. During summer, the coast is lined with yachts and the Porto Cervo marina teems with superyachts.

The Costa Smeralda is peppered with secluded bays and coves and it is in such a bay, in the Gulf of Marinella, that the private island paradise of Isola Marinella is hidden. Stretching over ten acres, Isola Marinella is surrounded by crystalline waters, with its own white beaches, hidden coves and striking rock formations. The island's abundant juniper garden provides a protective cordon for the estate and creates a microclimate within. Situated amid this paradisaical setting are the island's dwellings — a main residence, a second villa (currently used as a yacht club) and two guest accommodations.

The main villa is an attractive 6,300-square-foot residence designed and finished with exquisite attention to detail. There is a large living room, a dining room and a fully equipped kitchen. The three double bedrooms come with en-suite bathrooms. The Mediterranean's 300 days of sunshine a year means that outdoor living is possible from March right through to November. The villa's broad terraces are designed with this in mind, offering ideal spaces for outdoor dining and entertaining, all enhanced by spectacular coastal and sea views. The villa is set in natural gardens near a quay with berths for several yachts.

The second villa is a spacious wood structure with hardwood

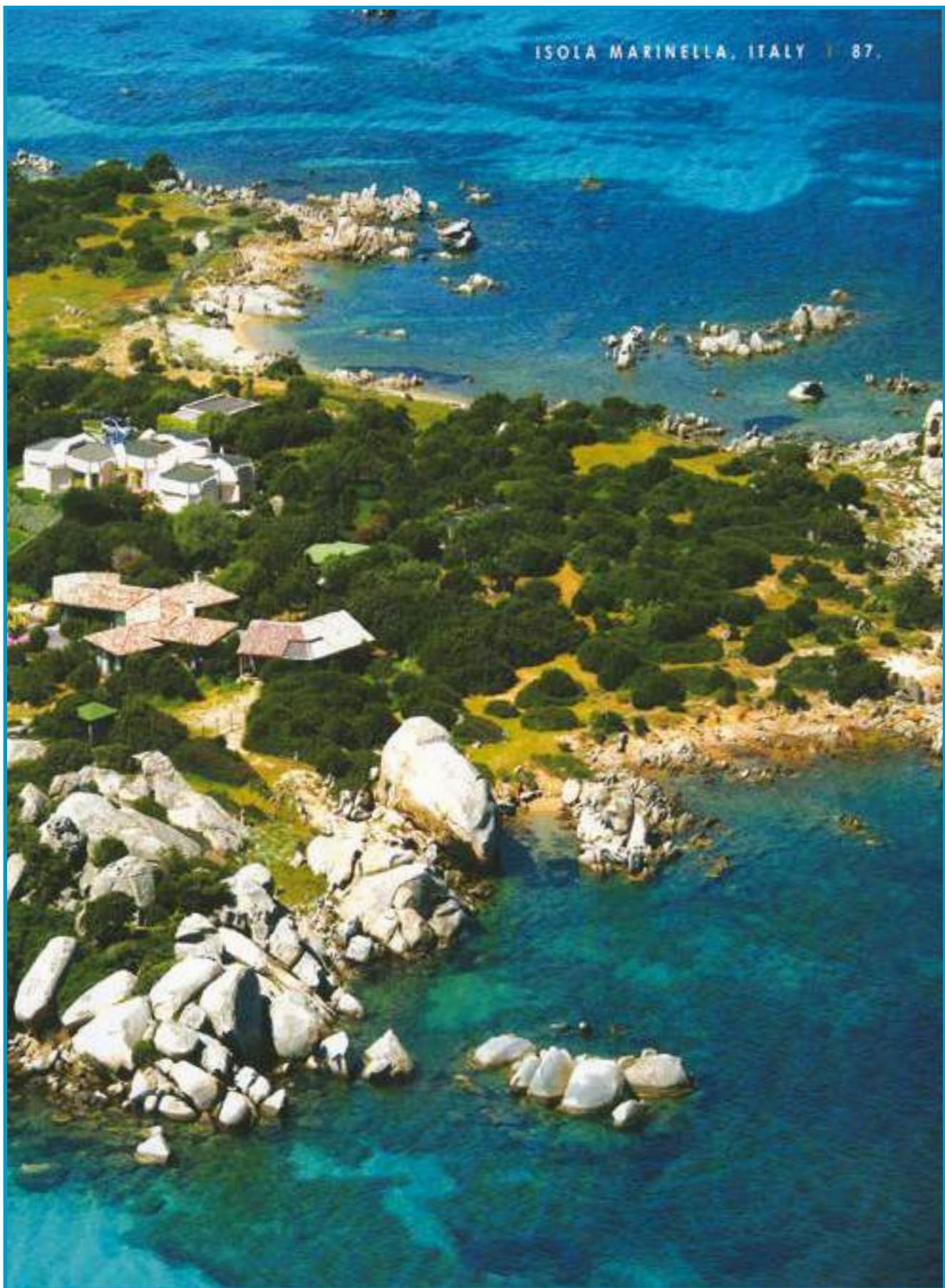


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# Private Island Paradise

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## UN NUOVO RINASCIMENTO PER L'ITALIA

«**S**mettere di costruire Fiat 128 e creare un nuovo Rinascimento italiano». Questo il concetto che sintetizza il pensiero di Giancarlo Bracco, presidente di Fiabi Italia. La sua grande conoscenza del mercato immobiliare residenziale e turistico è il frutto di un percorso quarantennale nel campo del RE nazionale e internazionale. Fondatore nel 1974 di ImmobiSarde Srl, nel 2010 viene eletto alla presidenza di Fiabi Italia. Convinto sostenitore dell'apertura dell'Italia al mercato globale, il suo obiettivo è quello di gettare le basi per nuove sinergie tra gli operatori del real estate globale e amplificare la voce del settore per far conoscere l'esigenza

soprattutto alle istituzioni governative ancora poco ricettive al riguardo.

### Come si pone l'Italia nel contesto europeo?

Male. Chi non è sul mercato non può creare ricchezza. L'Italia non è sul mercato a causa di motivazioni economiche storiche e non ha saputo a differenza di Inghilterra, e negli ultimi anni della Svizzera, agevolare anche legislativamente l'apertura del suo mercato alla globalizzazione, all'avvento dei nuovi investitori stranieri e agli immigrati che cercano un riscatto, portando con sé forza lavoro e denaro. L'Italia ha bisogno di un nuovo Rinascimento, di una normativa più flessibile che agevoli

e di creare soglie professionali per l'accesso alla professione. I compiti principali della legge sulle attività di agente immobiliare servono a proteggere gli interessi degli acquirenti onesti e consentire di lavorare professionalmente in conformità con gli standard internazionali.

**Dovrebbe esserci una sorta di integrazione nel mercato immobiliare all'interno dell'Unione europea? Se sì, che tipo di integrazione, se no, perché?**

Le ragioni della recente crisi finanziaria globale è risultata simile in tutti e cinque i continenti. La crisi è stata il risultato di una regolamentazione inadeguata del settore immobiliare e dei mercati finanziari. Al fine di promuovere la stabilità e la sostenibilità dell'economia regionale e minimizzare l'impatto della crisi, esperti e professionisti delle Nazioni Unite e Fiabci hanno sviluppato un quadro di riferimento per agevolare i mercati immobiliari, oltre a migliorare il finanziamento del settore. Questi principi di base aiuteranno a stabilizzare le economie regionali e minimizzare l'impatto della crisi. In alcuni paesi, quali l'Italia, sono già state svolte tavole rotonde con la partecipazione di capi di governo e le maggiori associazioni professiona-



li. Di conseguenza i gruppi di lavoro sono stati istituiti per migliorare la legislazione in materia di immobili. Come presidente della Fiabci sono pronto a organizzare una riunione delle parti interessate con esperti

delle Nazioni Unite per discutere le modifiche necessarie alla legislazione e miglioramenti in finanziamenti in questo settore. Questo è un problema globale, ma ora è il momento per risolvere tali problemi.

L'investimento immobiliare per consentire alla creatività italiana di riemergere grazie alla tranquillità economica data dal "mecenatismo". Abbandonare le ormai desuete soluzioni costruttive anni '70, dando spazio alla qualità. In Italia si continua a prediligere l'architetto più per gli agganci che per l'innovazione delle sue idee.

#### **Com'è organizzata la Fiabci italiana?**

La Fiabci è una famiglia internazionale aperta e vivace che coinvolge imprenditori e professionisti del mercato immobiliare. Comprende oltre 1.500.000 soci provenienti da 67 nazioni del mondo. Un'organizzazione che è riuscita a seguire i vari innovamenti che dagli incontri saltuari di congressi e telefonate

è passata alla massiccia interrelazione e comunicazione garantita dall'avvento di internet. Ha aperto, e si è aperta, ai mercati grazie all'informazione: perché la ricchezza della conoscenza mi permette di creare business.

#### **Quali sono le tipologie d'investimento italiane all'estero e quelle estere in Italia?**

Gli italiani, come dicevo, difficilmente investono all'estero. La continua svalutazione della Lira voluta dai governi italiani per agevolare l'export allo stesso tempo ha obbligato a continui investimenti nel mattone locale in fasce economiche medie. Ciò ha causato un'autarchia immobiliare oggi ancora difficilmente scalabile. Lo straniero, invece, avrebbe un forte desiderio di

investire in Italia, con prime case residenziali o a scopo turistico. La seconda tipologia incontra il favore e l'interesse italiano, mentre ancora una volta l'eccessiva oppressione normativa della penisola blocca l'evolversi dell'investimento straniero nel residenziale e la conseguente entrata di denaro fresco. **Quali sono le sue preferenze in fatto di abitazione, dove abiterebbe?** Vorrei vivere in quegli immobili capaci di rappresentare la sintesi tra ambiente-territorio-natura-cultura. Immobili dove il "mecenatismo" abbia assicurato la libertà creativa, perché solo così si recupera la qualità artigianale unico ingrediente in grado di capire il territorio e di rendere così l'immobile una cura positiva per la psiche.

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altri Paesi offrono: la certezza del diritto fiscale, urbanistico, di residenza, di cittadinanza, la trasparenza e la chiarezza nelle norme e nelle tasse".

Non a caso, negli ultimi decenni, l'Italia ha visto un enorme sviluppo del mercato interno lasciando trasparire però una sostanziale incapacità (o disinteresse) nell'affrontare i territori internazionali. "È un gap che possiamo recuperare, sulla scia delle esperienze vincenti in Paesi come l'Inghilterra o la Svizzera. Un'offerta di eccellenza in questo senso potrebbe dare una spinta notevole all'intera economia - prosegue il fondatore di Immobilsarda - portando occupazione e nuove professionalità e alimentando un sistema produttivo e di servizi ampio e multidisciplinare:

dall'artigianato all'agroalimentare, fino al settore delle agenzie e dei broker, per toccare in verticale tutta la filiera del Real estate e non solo".

La proposta? "Creare un gruppo di lavoro che coinvolga enti del settore privato e istituzionale per chiedere norme e provvedimenti legislativi adeguati a facilitare gli investimenti stranieri in Italia. Nello specifico - precisa Bracco - sarebbe opportuno facilitare le procedure per l'ottenimento del visto e della residenza in Italia, creare nuove norme per uno sviluppo urbanistico omogeneo e programmi di facilitazioni fiscali, seguendo l'esempio di Londra, che già a partire dagli anni Novanta ha saputo intercettare e accogliere al meglio queste esigenze, mettendo in atto una serie di interventi coordinati che hanno coinvolto i diversi settori della società (pubblico, privato etc.) e finalizzati a incentivare e supportare gli investimenti stranieri".

"La crisi è la miglior cosa che possa accadere a persone e interi paesi perché è proprio la crisi a portare il progresso. È nella crisi che nascono l'inventiva, le scoperte e le grandi strategie". Questa famosa citazione di Albert Einstein è in questo momento più che mai appropriata: "In tempi di crisi a livello globale - conclude infatti Giancarlo Bracco - solo la creatività, l'inventiva e una grande volontà di fare, sotto la guida della sensibilità, possono trasmettere il vero valore e l'unicità del nostro patrimonio".

## Perché gli italiani non investono nelle eccellenze del Bel Paese?

Giancarlo Bracco, Immobilsarda e presidente Fiabci: "Siamo al secondo posto tra le mete più ambite dagli investitori top. Ma dobbiamo imparare a spingere sulle nostre unicità"

**A**utorevoli fonti internazionali sottolineano come l'altra faccia della crisi finanziaria che sta affliggendo i mercati internazionali ormai da qualche anno sia un boom guidato dalla crescita dei mercati emergenti.

Una ricerca dell'Istituto bancario Standard Chartered, pubblicato sul "Wall Street Journal", evidenzia come l'economia globale stia entrando in un terzo super ciclo di crescita trainato dai mercati dei paesi emergenti. Questo terzo "super cycle" segue un primo ciclo di crescita (1870-1913), legato alla rivoluzione industriale e all'emergere degli Usa come potenza mondiale, e un secondo ciclo (1945-anni Settanta) in concomitanza con la fine della seconda guerra mondiale e la ricostruzione.

Sullo scenario internazionale si sta affacciando, quindi, una popolazione di quattro miliardi e mezzo di abitanti - mettendo insieme la Cina, l'India, l'Asia, il Medio e l'Estremo Oriente, il Brasile e la Russia - che sta vivendo, da oltre un decennio, un exploit economico senza precedenti, che ha creato grandi ricchezze e ha portato alla nascita di un nuovo ceto di famiglie benestanti. "Stiamo assistendo a un fenomeno in assoluta ascesa", spiega Giancarlo Bracco, partner e fondatore di Immobilsarda nonché presidente della sezione italiana della Fiabci International Real Estate Federation, la federazione immobiliare più diffusa nel mondo che riunisce

imprenditori e professionisti dell'intero mercato immobiliare. "Grazie anche alla diffusione dei nuovi strumenti di informazione e comunicazione globale come internet e la tv satellitare, che consentono un confronto fra le condizioni e gli stili di vita, questa nuova classe - agiata ed evoluta - ha iniziato ad avvertire bisogni ed esigenze differenti, in primis la necessità di assicurare, da subito, un benessere più profondo alla propria famiglia e ai propri figli, in termini di qualità di vita ma anche di sicurezza". Per garantire ai figli un'istruzione di qualità, un'assistenza sanitaria adeguata e un futuro al riparo dagli scossoni che reggono talvolta instabili o au-

toritari possono infliggere, le famiglie abbienti dei Paesi in via di sviluppo hanno dunque cominciato a guardare all'estero: Gran Bretagna, in testa, seguita a ruota da Paesi come la Francia, gli Stati Uniti e il Canada. Veri luoghi d'elezione in cui acquistare casa e stabilire la propria residenza.

"Una recente ricerca sul mercato russo, presentata in occasione del recente World Congress Fiabci a San Pietroburgo - continua Bracco - sottolinea come i fattori significativi nella scelta di investimenti all'estero per i russi siano i collegamenti aerei diretti con la Russia, la stabilità economica e politica del Paese, lo sviluppo di una buona rete di



Giancarlo Bracco

infrastrutture, facilitazioni nell'ottenimento del visto, la redditività e la sicurezza dell'investimento, la qualità di vita. E, proprio in riferimento a questi fattori, l'Italia è passata dall'ottavo al secondo posto fra

*L'investimento immobiliare è in grado di produrre grandi benefici per il territorio*

### Il modello Sardegna: quando lo sviluppo valorizza l'autenticità

*L'esperienza della Sardegna è in Italia l'eccezione che conferma la regola. Negli ultimi 15-20 anni ha infatti dimostrato come gli investimenti immobiliari siano in grado di produrre grandi benefici per il territorio.*

*"Ogni unità immobiliare di prestigio realizzata lungo le coste dell'isola - spiega Giancarlo Bracco - è stata pensata non come soggetto a se stante ma per interagire con l'area adiacente, e si è venuto a creare un indotto economico per 15-20 persone tutto l'anno. La continua domanda di qualità ed eccellenza ha portato inoltre alla costante ricerca di migliorie, spingendo gli artigiani locali a una sempre maggiore professionalità, con benefici e guadagni che si riversano*



*(nuovamente) su tutto il territorio". "Un piccolo, grande esempio - prosegue Bracco - dell'importanza di sapere cogliere il frutto pendente dalla crisi. Partendo dalla consapevolezza dell'unicità e ricchezza che l'Italia possiede, è dunque possibile pensare a un modello di sviluppo immobiliare turistico che sappia valorizzare le caratteristiche locali di autenticità, puntan-*

*do su un rapporto equilibrato tra tradizione e innovazione, con particolare attenzione alla salvaguardia dell'ecologia e dell'ecosostenibilità".*

*"L'Italia è come una galleria darte dove gli immobili sono solo le cornici dei quadri, perché il vero valore è rappresentato dalla tela che, in questo caso, è l'ambiente in cui sono inseriti gli edifici. Oggi, il lusso non è rappresentato più dalla magnifica d'oro, dallo sfarzo solenne o da superfici fuori dall'ordinario anche in termini dimensionali, ma dalla delicatezza dell'estetica che offre sempre un'emozione. Affrontare seriamente questo cambiamento - conclude Bracco - significa garantire un futuro per i nostri giovani".*

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## PROPERTY FOCUS

Sardinia vs Corsica

### SARDINIA

#### AN OWNER'S DREAM



Porto Cervo marina ranked second last year in a list of the world's most expensive superyacht marinas. It's not hard to understand the fees – this is considered one of the best-equipped marinas in the Med. It's also the setting for international sailing regattas, with the beautiful archipelago of La Maddalena serving as a backdrop to a stunning race course up the coast. The market for properties in the smartest areas, which are often €20 million or more, is famously secret and many houses are bought and sold on a strictly off-market basis. Extensions must be approved by a committee to guarantee architectural continuity, and there are regulations about how close to the shoreline homes can be built.

**VILLA LE MENDULI**  
PORTO CERVO  
Guide price: €15 million  
Contact: Immobiliarda Srl. Tel: +39 078 990 9000  
Website: [www.christiesrealstate.com](http://www.christiesrealstate.com)

Villa Le Menduli was designed by Luigi Vietti, one of the three original architects appointed by the Aga Khan, and offers stunning views over the picturesque marina. Five double bedrooms have ensuite bathrooms and sprawling terraces offer plenty of space for outdoor entertaining and dining. The garden has a large pool and direct beach access.



### VILLA CHARMANT

PORTO CERVO

Guide price: €35 million

Contact: Immobiliarda Srl. Tel: +39 078 990 9000

Website: [www.christiesrealstate.com](http://www.christiesrealstate.com)

Villa Charmant is a newly built villa located within the Le Pileadi residential estate close to the marina. Views from the house take in the archipelago of La Maddalena and there are four bedrooms, a gym, a sauna and staff quarters, plus a swimming pool.



### MARINA APARTMENT

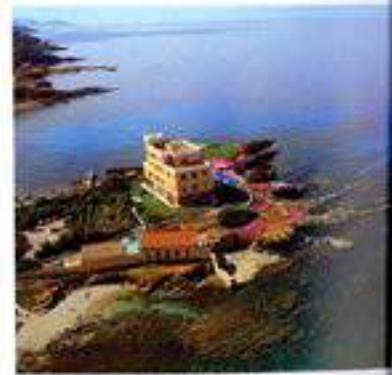
PORTO CERVO

Guide price: €1.3 million

Contact: Engel &amp; Volkers. Tel: +39 078 994 183

Website: [www.engelvoelkers.com/portocervo](http://www.engelvoelkers.com/portocervo)

This elegant two-bedroom apartment would make an ideal pied-a-terre for a yacht owner. It offers wonderful views over the marina and you can take full advantage of the area's restaurants, nightclubs and shopping. There is also a terrace for outdoor dining.



### LUNGOMARE VALENCIA

RIVIERA DEL CORALLO

Guide price: From €30 million

Contact: Sotheby's International Realty. Tel: +39 0669 380 076

Website: [www.sothbysrealty.com](http://www.sothbysrealty.com)

Located on the breathtaking Riviera del Corallo, on the north-west coast of Sardinia, this beautiful villa lies on the ruins of an ancient watchtower and resembles a medieval English castle. It has 25 bedrooms and bathrooms, a spa annex and helipad.

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## I nuovi ricchi INVESTIMENTI IMMOBILIARI



# Russi e cinesi a caccia di

Dal 2009 la quota di acquirenti dall'estero cresciuta del 23%

di Paola Bottelli

**A** metà giugno un cocktail a base di Dom Pérignon e sponsorizzato da Rolls Royce al Radisson Royal Ukraine Hotel di Mosca, proprio di fronte alla sede del Governo russo. Ai primi di luglio, un'anteprima privata in New Bond Street a Londra delle opere di Giambattista Tiepolo, Guido Reni e Canaletto battute all'incanto pochi giorni dopo. Due appuntamenti ai quali Sotheby's ha invitato il target più alto dei suoi affezionati collezionisti e ha approfittato per presentare la crème delle proprietà immobiliari italiane intermediate dalla branch milanese della divisione International Realty della prestigiosa casa d'aste.

Così, fra Mosca e Londra, banchieri e trader della City, avvocati d'affari con il sigaro nel taschino, oligarchi russi residenti a Mayfair e Belgravia e tycoon cinesi hanno visionato ville, palazzi e castelli sparsi in Costa Smeralda e a Portofino, nelle colline senesi e all'Argentario, sul lago di Como e su quello Maggiore. Per non parlare dell'Umbria dove sembra che Tom Cruise sia interessato al castello di Deruta. Non solo: negli ultimi mesi le famiglie straniere hanno ampliato il ventaglio delle ricerche a Milano, Firenze e Roma, a patto che gli "oggetti" - come si chiamano nel gergo del settore - siano davvero speciali. Secondo Carlo Giordano, amministratore delegato del gruppo Immobiliare.it, «dal 2009 la quota di potenziali acquirenti provenienti dall'estero è cresciuta del 23% e oggi l'11% di chi cerca un immobile di prestigio in Italia non è residente nel nostro Paese».

Le dimore intermediate dagli operatori del real estate di lusso sono ovviamente da sogno, arricchite da panorami mozzafiato, darsene, eliporti, riserve di caccia con cinghiali, caprioli, daini e fagiani, decine di ettari di parco, vigneti, abbazie affrescate e, addirittura, centri ter-

mali privati in grado di ospitare fino a cinquanta persone. Il valore? Non meno di 10 milioni, con punte che sono arrivate a 120, la cifra - sussurrata da tutti gli operatori ma mai confermata ufficialmente - alla quale Carlo De Benedetti avrebbe venduto lo scorso marzo la sua splendida residenza a Romazzino, nella Costa Smeralda ora passata sotto il controllo del Qatar, ad Alexey Mordashov, re dell'acciaio.

Del resto, la tendenza degli stranieri a far man bassa di case in Italia non è affatto una novità: dal 2005 al 2011, secondo Scenari Immobiliari, 26.900 famiglie straniere hanno comprato un immobile

in Italia e per quest'anno si attende il record di 4.600 transazioni. La spesa? Nei sette anni, un totale di 9.430 milioni, con una stima di 2.100 per il 2012.

L'identikit degli acquirenti del primo semestre 2012, sempre secondo Scenari Immobiliari, è di un'ulteriore crescita dei tedeschi, che pesano per il 18% del totale, seguiti dagli inglesi con il 15% e dai russi con il 12 per cento. Sulle destinazioni, vince il Lazio con il 22% del totale, seguito dalla Puglia con il 21 e dalla Toscana con il 17.

«Un compratore su quattro viene dalla Germania - dice Mario Breglia, presidente di Scenari immobiliari - e si orienta verso il litorale adriatico, da Lignano a Cattolica, oppure sceglie la Toscana se ha forti disponibilità economica. E comunque, con un investimento medio di mezzo milione di euro, si punta su residenze particolari, dal casale al trullo, spesso utilizzati anche per lunghi periodi, ad esempio da chi è già in pensione».

Certo le dimore di lusso hanno storie differenti e, con l'introduzione dell'Imu, è drasticamente cambiato lo scenario di riferimento. «Sul mercato - dice Luca D'Angelo, chairman della neonata Milan Sotheby's International Realty, che ha appena lanciato sito e applicazioni iPad e iPhone - ci sono oggetti unici, che in precedenza i clienti più sofisticati potevano soltanto affittare; la complessa situazione economico-finanziaria ha penalizzato anche chi detiene molti asset e ha deciso di alleggerire le posizioni. Ora le soluzioni sono realmente appetibili anche per i palati più viziati: proprio a Portofino stiamo trattando la vendita a una famiglia cinese di un "oggetto" oltre i 50 milioni. Comunque, il sentimento globale è che l'Italia sia in vendita, per fortuna non in svendita».

Questo genere di case, per decenni (o addirittura secoli) nelle disponibilità delle più note famiglie italiane - dalle dinastie industriali alla nobiltà - fanno go-

### LO SCENARIO

Oligarchi e tycoon visionano palazzi e castelli da Portofino alla Costa Smeralda ma nel numero di acquisti i primi restano i tedeschi sull'Adriatico

### Da oltre confine

I principali Paesi dai quali provengono gli acquirenti di immobili in Italia. In percentuale

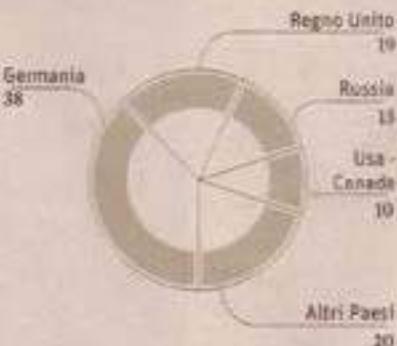


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I valori. Le valutazioni possono variare da 10 fino a 120 milioni  
La stima. Nel 2012 transazioni per 2,1 miliardi di euro

# VILLE IN ITALIA

% - L'11% cerca dimore di lusso

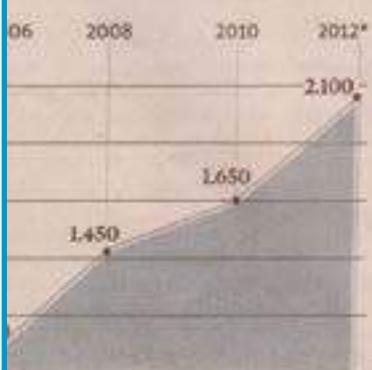


Iscrezioni. Tom Cruise sarebbe interessato all'acquisto del castello di Deruta (Perugia)

## RISORSE E LE REGIONI

### INVESTIMENTI

Spese degli stranieri in Italia per case. In mila



### SUL TERRITORIO

Le regioni in cui investono gli stranieri. In %

	2008	2010	2012*
Veneto	10	11	6
Toscana	17	17	17
Marche	12	14	15
Lazio	23	19	22
Umbria	13	11	7
Abruzzo	3	1	1
Puglia	15	18	21
Sicilia	5	5	3
Piemonte	2	4	8

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la ai consumatori dei mercati emergenti: solidi e affidabili, al contrario della coppia di coniugi arrestata nei giorni scorsi a Varese con 661.500 euro in contanti, suddivisi in banconote da 500, destinati, secondo la difesa, all'acquisto di un immobile a Stresa. I due erano ricercati dall'Interpol per una serie di truffe milionarie (le, sostiene l'accusa, si spacciava per emissario di Vladimir Putin).

«In Russia - dice Giancarlo Bracco, fondatore e partner di Immobiliarista, presidente della Fiabi Italia ed esclusiva di Christie's International Real Estate - ci sono centinaia di migliaia di famiglie alla ricerca di case all'estero, e non soltanto fra i Paperoni, ma anche nel ceto medio e medio-alto».

In un'analisi presentata al congresso mondiale Fiabi lo scorso maggio a San Pietroburgo, ben il 37% degli intervistati considera la possibilità di rilocarsi all'estero in modo permanente e il 31% di utilizzare la casa per le vacanze. E il 5,68% sceglie l'Italia come destinazione potenziale, dopo il 23% della Bulgaria, il 12% della Spagna e l'11% della Germania, mentre fra chi punta sull'investimento in una seconda casa inserisce l'Italia, con Francia, Svizzera e Usa, nei Paesi più attivi nel segmento premium, quello fra uno e 5 milioni di spesa.

«Sono opportunità gigantesche - aggiunge Bracco - che dovremmo strutturare come sistema-Paese, ad esempio snellendo la burocrazia e concedendo agevolazioni fiscali agli stranieri che scelgono qui la residenza, come hanno fatto Canada, Usa, Gran Bretagna: basti pensare che nel 2010 nelle scuole superiori e nelle università inglesi si sono iscritti centomila studenti cinesi».

Certo l'Italia non è la Gran Bretagna come modello di attrazione, ma per fortuna ci sono i tedeschi che non deludono mai. «Nel nostro Paese sono i clienti migliori, insieme a svizzeri, austriaci, olandesi e inglesi - dice Marco Rognini, sales manager Italia di Engel & Völkers - interessati sempre più all'unicità delle tradizioni locali, ad esempio di trulli e masserie in Puglia e casali in Toscana. Spesso i tedeschi non possiedono la casa in patria, ma amano la seconda casa in Italia, che cambiano periodicamente, e negli ultimi mesi si stanno spostando anche verso l'Alto Lazio e l'Umbria».

di Giandomenico Belotti



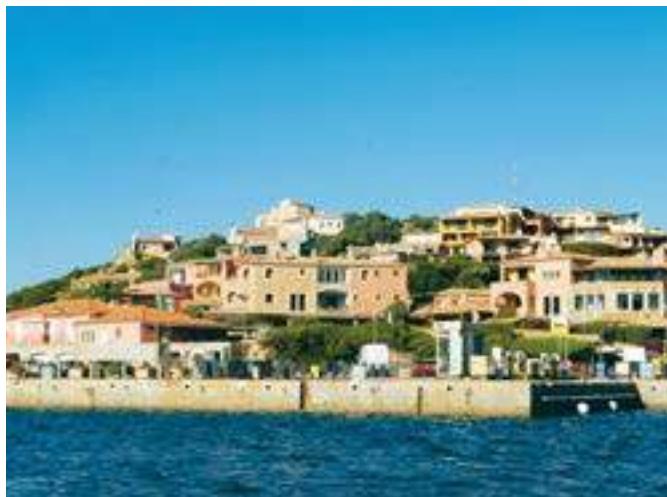
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## D DESIGN / PORTO CERVO

## Paradise regained

*Footballers and brash politicians have been regulars in the recent past, but the Sardinian resort of Porto Cervo is returning to its original state of tasteful glamour*

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On the harbour front at sunset in Porto Cervo, the port town of the Costa Smeralda on the north-east coast of Sardinia, an immaculately turned out Filipino porter is loading a succession of shopping bags onto a 150ft yacht. Prada, Miu Miu, Louis Vuitton, Missoni, Tod's – it's an entire cruise wardrobe, snapped up in one evening's *passagiata* shopping spree. The turf is Greek, and back on Greek turf, the rest of the nation is rioting and voting for its future. Has Porto Cervo, once the playground of the world's super-rich, now become their refugee camp?

It's 50 years since the Aga Khan bought this 45km-stretch of coastline and founded the Consorzio Costa Smeralda, a consortium of foreign businessmen. Together, their aim was to monitor the development of a masterplan that would turn the rugged, untouched landscape into the ultimate holiday enclave. It might sound fairly disastrous but the Aga Khan's intention was to preserve the natural landscape as much as to occupy it. And his blueprint was more of a forerunner of eco-tourism development than old-fashioned colonial occupation.

He founded an architectural committee consisting of Italian architects Michele Busiri Vici and Luigi Vietti and French architect Jacques Couëlle. They were responsible for developing the architectural vernacular of the Costa Smeralda – a mix of rustic Greek, Tunisian and Italian. Small, squat, white and terracotta-washed buildings look like squashed lumps of clay with cool, cavernous interiors. The pinnacle of this is Porto Cervo's Stella Maris church, which today could be the ultimate poster building for Mediterranean architecture.

The Aga Khan and his consortium stipulated that only local materials and craftsmen should be used, by way of ensuring all buildings fitted into, rather than stuck out of, the landscape. And by and large they do. The bizarre lunar lumps of granite that punctuate the juniper, oleander and hydrangea bushes weave around the coast and low buildings. Fifty years on, there is no architectural eyesore here – an impressive feat when you consider the rest of the Mediterranean coast.

So why does the mention of the Costa Smeralda induce a scrunching of faces in so many circles today? Things beginning with the letter B have been a bit of a curse of late – Berlusconi's bunga bunga parties, Briatore and his Billionaire nightclub together with the brazen, brash crowd of B-list footballers that go with it. None of this was in the Aga Khan's master plan. Locals speak of the prince's disillusionment, which resulted in the area's sale to Starwood Hotels and then to Californian Tom Barrack's Colony Capital in 2003. Critics suggest that the Americans squeezed



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money out of the area with little regard to taste. At least the consortium remained to ensure the precious coastline wasn't pillaged.

In April Qatar Holdings purchased a 51 per cent share of the Costa Smeralda from Colony Capital (though Starwood still operates four hotels in the area). You might think this would be the area's death knell but far from feeling anxious about being just another purchase on the Qatar's extensive shopping list, the mood in the Costa community is buoyant. "We hope the Qataris will invest in the services and infrastructure that's what's needed here," says Julia Bracco of Christie's Great Estates. Bracco lived here from the age of 14 and, after a spell in London, moved back to Porto Cervo permanently to years ago. She's part of a small but vocal community that is giving the playground a bit of heart and soul, beyond the yachts and luxury shopping. And it's this crowd, together with the impossibly clear seawater and landscape, that's injecting a welcome dose of charm into the Costa Smeralda.

In 2008 the Promenade du Port development opened as a foil to the Piazzetta's 66 monobrand fashion stores. It's 350 sq m of galleries, shops and restaurants and at first glance appears to be just another commercial enterprise designed to lure money from the pockets of the yachters. It would, of course, be naive to assume this isn't the prime impetus behind the venture but, as manager Andrea Brugnoni explains, there's more to the Promenade than just profit. "You find the monobrands anywhere and increasingly everywhere," he says. "I wanted to create a platform for interesting shops – things you'd only find in Porto Cervo and things with cultural, not just commercial, merit."

His mother, the Milanese design matriarch Rossana Orlandi and her eponymous gallery Fumi from London since the start too. You might question who would buy furniture or art or holiday but Frederic Arnal, director of Louise Alexander Gallery, says this is the perfect setting to meet clients. "You build relationships here very quickly but they're very strong because there's time and people are happy and relaxed," Arnal says. "It's the opposite environment of the fairground." Among the 37 spaces there's a vintage Vespa dealer, an antique seller, a perfume atelier, a gelateria from Bergamo, a newsagent and bookshop. Next on the agenda is a weekly Sardo craft market. One wonders what the Aga Khan would make of the latest addition – a tattoo parlour. The point is that the Promenade brings Porto Cervo a much-needed jolt, not just of culture, but of youth, vitality and fun too. "It's a funny mix," Brugnoni admits, "but we're like a family here."



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It's unusual for so many young people to have this opportunity. Italy's not known for trusting its young anymore."

There's a curious communion emerging between the young and the old here though it seems. Savin Couelle is the son of Jacques, the Aga Khan's imported French architect, and is himself an architect and local legend. The younger population reveres him to deific proportions. In person, over a lunch of copious salads and breads, he's hilariously cantankerous. "This place is dead," he sighs. "Why are you writing about it – is the consortium paying you?" I assure him no-one is paying and asks why he still lives and builds (exquisite villas) here if he has lost such faith in the area. "There is something magnetic about it," he admits. "It's hard to stay away."

It's a feeling shared by Suzanne, an Irish expat who fell in love with the Costa Smeralda in the 1960s while at Gilon hospitality school in Switzerland. "I saw it on a map and just knew it was going to be a special place. After one holiday, I looked for any reason to take me back." That reason became Rosemary, the restaurant she founded 40 years ago that is now a local institution. It's not a lobster and caviar joint, but a sprawling garden with home-cooked food that's a nucleus for the Porto Cervo community.

Suzanne probably understands the Costa Smeralda better than anyone. "I've seen it ebb and flow in popularity," she says. "It's like all the Mediterranean hotspots – St Tropez, Ibiza, Capri – they have a cycle. I've seen so many people come with big ideas and plans to get what they want from the island but it always beats them. It's a hard place and incredibly powerful."

The Costa Smeralda is not immune to the financial woes sweeping through Italy and Europe, but far from wounding the area, it might just be its saviour. Flavio Briatore recently announced that he will close his Billionaire nightclub this autumn. The local community is, understandably, thrilled. "All the footballers and excess and bad taste – it's not what this area is about, but it's all that people have associated it with recently," Suzanne says. "The island has won again." — (M)



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### Immobilsarda Promotes Affiliation at Private Airport in Sardinia, Italy

Tapping into the robust affluent air travel market, exclusive Affiliate **ImmobilSarda** have partnered with Costa Smeralda's private airport Eccelsa Aviation to provide promotional materials and copies of Christie's International Real Estate magazine to Sardinian visitors this year. "Thanks to our Affiliation with Christie's International Real Estate, more than 700 copies of the magazine will be available to selected passengers, raising awareness of the excellence of Sardinia at a greater international level," said Julia Bracco of Immobilsarda.



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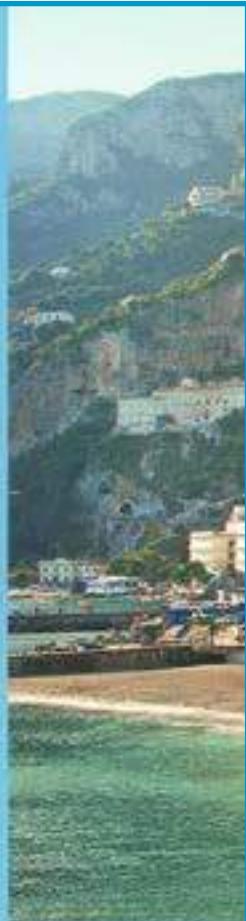
## КАК ДОБРАТЬСЯ ДО ОСТРОВА САРДОВ?



Сардиния – второй по величине остров в Средиземном море после Сицилии, находится в центре Средиземного моря на равном расстоянии от берегов Северной Африки. Этот итальянский остров имеет особый автономный статус, а сиды считают себя отдельной нацией. Протяженность острова составляет около 270 км, в ширину – менее 150 км.

На острове есть три международных аэропорта – Ольбия на Коста Смеральда, Феррелла и Алгеро и Эмисо в Капитолии. На Сардинии существует прямой шиканю из Москвы. Переезд занимает менее 4 часов. С основными итальянскими аэропортами (Рим, Милан, Венеция, Пиза), а также многими европейскими хабами Сардинию связывают многочисленные ежедневный рейсы, так что добраться с пересадкой несложно. Из аэропортов материковой Италии на Сардинию лететь около 1-1,5 часа.

Альтернативный вариант – воспользоваться паромным сообщением, которое действует круглый год и соединяет крупнейшие порты Сардинии с Италией, Францией и Испанией (Барселона). Паромы с острова идут в наиболее важные итальянские порты: в Рим (Чивитавеккья), Геную, Ливорно, Неаполь, Сиракью, Палермо и также французские Ниццу, Марсель и Тунис. Паром прибытия в Сардинии: Кальяри, Ольбия, Порто-Торрес, Арбатакс, Йельло-Аранчи, Палау, Санта-Тереза-ди-Баллуру.



положительное решение суда может похоронить проект навсегда. На Сардинии многие строительные материалы запрещены к применению, к примеру, шифер, существуют особые требования к применяемым цветам во внешней отделке. Особое внимание уделяется новым технологиям для обеспечение класса энергоэффективности A:

Например, плитка, улавливающая пыль, лампы, воссоздающие естественный солнечный свет, использование натуральных изоляционных материалов, обеспечивающих естественный тепловой баланс и звукоизоляцию (например, обработанная овечья шерсть). По словам Даниэлы Бракко, Сардиния работает в

концепции качества и уникальности, притягивающих избранных, требовательных клиентов, приоритетами которых являются качество и истинные эмоции. Именно поэтому в этом сегменте рынка спрос превышает предложение. Иностранные клиенты, в основном, китайцы, арабы и русские, осознавшие уникальность сардинского продукта, ищут в престижной недвижимости здесь не только экономическую выгоду от инвестирования, но и качество жизни.»

## Обзор рынка: от севера до юга

В северной части Сардинии курорты отличаются довольно высокими ценами на недвижимость. Большую роль в формировании цены играет безупречная репутация этих мест с первоклассной инфраструктурой, чистейшими пляжами, разных которых нет во всей Италии. Цены на жилье в районе Кости Смеральды – самые высокие на острове: 7000-12 000 евро за кв. м., (например, цены на престижные виллы в Порто-Черво начинаются от 3 млн евро.). В скором будущем ожидается новый всплеск спроса, в связи с тем, что «Катар Холдинг», при-



Даниела Бракко – собственница агентства недвижимости Сардим-мобили, работающего с 1974 года, поясняет:

«Чтобы до конца понять сардинский ры-

нак недвижимости, необходимо выйти из привычной схемы купли-продажи с расчетом стоимости на квадратный метр, как определяющего параметра сделки. Захватывающая дух красота острова, несравненное количество пляжей, наличие небольших островов-стульчиков, а также строгие градостроительные ограничения, действующие с 1974, запрещающие строить новые объекты на побережье, но позволяющие реализовывать выданные разрешения и переустраивать уже имеющиеся объекты, плюс ко всему на острове полностью отсутствует промышленность, – все это придает Сардинии особое и неповторимое положение во всем средиземноморье».



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«L'isola è qualità della vita»

INTERVISTA

**Giancarlo Bracco**  
Presidente Immobilcard

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ce quello della Costa Smeralda, so-  
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livello. Ce lo conferma?

Sì, la domanda supera l'offerta, che è decisamente rarefatta. Arrivano clienti internazionali dalle economie a noi vicine quanto dai Paesi come Cina e India. Si tratta di personaggi che hanno capito l'unicità del luogo e l'elevata qualità di vita che si può ottenere qui. Un insieme di caratteristiche, dal panorama al mare, dal clima all'atmosfera, che non hanno pari nell'ambito del Mediterraneo.

Come vi trovate con il cliente internazionale?

Siamo stati abituati ad avere per tanto tempo un'alta domanda interna, nelle fasce di mercato medio-alta e alta, tanto che non abbiamo fatto marketing a livello internazionale. Ma i clienti sono arrivati ugualmente. Svizzeri, francesi, inglesi e anche tedeschi. I voli diretti aiutano molto. L'offerta di pro-

dotti nuovi è però esigua, perché non si può costruire. Il mercato pertanto è dominato dall'usato, che deve fare anche i conti con prodotti dallo stile superato, che non hanno attrattiva per i compratori. E l'offerta si riduce ulteriormente. **Ci sono anche richieste di standard allestimenti.**

Certo, al momento un cliente arabo cerca 50 ettari per costruire

una villa con annessi vigneti e vivere qui tutto l'anno. In questo caso, come in altri, fatichiamo a trovare la soluzione adeguata. Bisogna però ricordare che strutture come questa, e in genere le ville di alto livello, sono piccole aziende. I proprietari mantengono da due a dieci, venti persone di staff tutto l'anno, dagli equipaggi delle barche a cuochi e giardinieri, e sono di grande aiuto all'economia locale. Importante è stata la scoperta del food a chilometro zero: si tratta di un meccanismo che i politici della Regione devono capire e stimolare, continuando a preservare l'unicità del luogo e la natura incontaminata.

**La sfida dunque è anche allungare la stagione?**

Sì, è un tentativo comune di molte controparti in gioco. Sono positivo sull'arrivo dell'emiro del Qatar, credo però che i capitali e i idee non sono

do porterà capitali e idee nuove. Intanto si dice che potrebbe costruire ancora.

Poco, credo. Ma forse quanto basta. Ci sono 24 ruderi nel terreno ora dell'emiro: su 2.300 ettari, 10-12 piccolissimi e altre che potrebbero arrivare a 50-70 mq. — P. D.

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## Hot property: party pads

By Nathan Brooker

Five homes great for hosting gatherings, including a Manhattan penthouse apartment and a villa in Italy



### Villa Beauvallon, Saint-Maxime, France €3.675m

**Where:** On the Côte d'Azur, southeast France, 10km from St Tropez and 95km from Nice international airport.



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**What:** A contemporary five-bedroom villa with outdoor pool and 250 sq metres of gardens.

**Why:** A 20-minute drive from the beaches of St Tropez, the villa, with its large open-plan living room opening out on to the raised swimming pool area, is a perfect place to carry on the party atmosphere.

**Who:** A&K International Estates,  
[www.akinternationalestates.com](http://www.akinternationalestates.com), tel: +44 20 7190 7714

**Newport, Rhode Island**

Historic charm and beautiful beaches are among the many reasons Newport is a popular second-home destination. "The area's luxury market saw a decrease in inventory over 2012 with concurrent increases in sale units and median price," said Melanie Delman of Lila Delman Real Estate.

**What defines luxury:** \$2 million

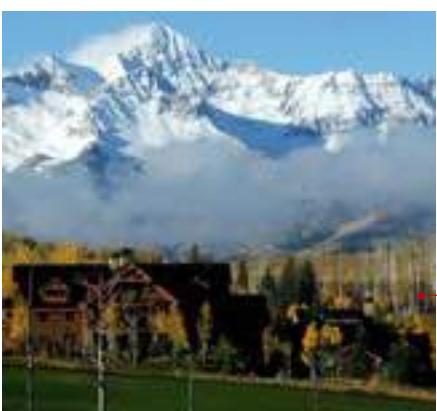
**Record price in market:** \$13.1 million

**Locust Valley, New York**

Although Superstorm Sandy devastated some of the waterfront community of Locust Valley, the area's solid luxury market is trending upward in 2013. "This year began with the most activity I've seen in my 40-plus year career," said Patrick Mackay of Piping Rock Associates Inc.

**What defines luxury:** \$1.25 million

**Record price in market:** \$10 million

**Lake Tahoe, California**

"Lake Tahoe is the number one vacation destination and second home ownership location for many of the wealthiest people in the world," reported Michael Oliver of Oliver Luxury Real Estate.

**What defines luxury:** \$2 million

**Record price in market:** \$17.2 million\*

**Salzburg, Austria**

The picturesque city of Salzburg recorded nearly 60 luxury sale transactions between September 2011 and September 2012.

**What defines luxury:** \$1 million

**Record price in market:** \$15 million\*

**Telluride, Colorado**

The charming ski town of Telluride witnessed a strong recovery in its luxury real estate sector in 2012, noted TD Smith of Telluride Real Estate Corp.

**What defines luxury:** \$3 million

**Record price in market:** \$13.2 million\*

**Aspen, Colorado**

"Aspen is experiencing increased activity in all areas however, the upper end above \$10 million has had the most increase in activity," says Joshua Saslove of Joshua & Co.

**What defines luxury:** \$10 million

**Record price in market:** \$49 million\*

**Costa Smeralda, Sardinia, Italy**

Sardinia's beautiful Costa Smeralda has an extremely scarce inventory of luxury homes. "What describes this market best, is rarity, in that it comprises from 450km of pristine coast with a population of 15,000 with no industries nor agricultural areas or tense city centers," says Giancarlo Bracco of Immobilsarda SRL.

**What defines luxury:** \$19 million

**Record price in market:** \$168 million

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## Hot property: sports venues

By Nathan Brooker

Five residences for fans of sport including Wimbledon and the Royal and Ancient Golf Club at St Andrews



### **N**orthcliffe, St Andrews, Fife, Scotland, UK, £2.75m

**Where** In St Andrews, on the east coast of Scotland, 30 miles from Dundee, 35 miles from Perth and 50 miles from Edinburgh international airport.



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**What** A seven-bedroom, Victorian house built on a cliff top overlooking the North Sea. The property has two self-contained flats in the basement for guests or staff and comes with half an acre of gardens.

**Why** Northcliffe is a short walk from the Royal and Ancient Golf Club at St Andrews, one of the oldest and most reputable golf clubs in the world. Considered the "home of golf", the Old Course at St Andrews dates back to 1552 and still regularly hosts the Open Championship, with the club next scheduled to host

**Who** Savills, [www.savills.com](http://www.savills.com), tel: +44 131 247 3700

**Apartment, Monte Carlo, Monaco, €65m**

**Where** In Le Mirabeau apartment building in the centre of Monaco on the Côte d'Azur, 30km from Nice international airport.

**What** A three-bedroom duplex apartment arranged over the building's third and fourth floors, with 936 sq metres of living space and a further 188 sq metres of terrace overlooking the sea.



**Why** The apartment building is located on the Mirabeau corner of the Monaco Grand Prix course and from the apartment's large terrace you can see the track. The race on the Circuit de Monaco was first held in 1929, and is considered among the most prestigious in the world.

**Who** Knight Frank, [www.knightfrank.co.uk](http://www.knightfrank.co.uk), tel: +377 97 70 70 20

**Duplex apartment, Manhattan, New York, US, \$1.79m**

**Where** In Upper Manhattan, 18 miles from John F. Kennedy international airport and 25 miles from Newark international airport.

**What** A three-bedroom, three-bathroom apartment arranged over the top two floors of a modern beaux arts-style townhouse built in 2005. The apartment has an open-plan living and dining space, a library and a private roof terrace.

**Why** The property is a short drive from Yankee Stadium, home of the New York Yankees baseball team. The stadium was finished in 2009 and cost a reported \$1.5bn. Over the years, the Yankees have had some of the sport's most famous players, including Babe Ruth and Joe DiMaggio.



**Who** Halstead Property, [www.halstead.com](http://www.halstead.com), tel: +1 212 734 0010



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**Marryat Road, Wimbledon, Greater London, UK, £6.75m**

**Where** In Wimbledon, southwest London, 18 miles from Heathrow and 25 miles from Gatwick.

**What** A detached five-bedroom, Edwardian house with two reception rooms, a dining room and study. There is also an orangery overlooking the garden.



**Why** Marryat Road is a five-minute walk from the All England Club, home of the Wimbledon tennis championships. Held at the club since 1877, Wimbledon is the oldest tennis competition in the world. This year's tournament runs from June 24 to July 7.

**Who** Knight Frank, [www.knightfrank.co.uk](http://www.knightfrank.co.uk), tel: +44 20 8946 0026

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**Villa Hermosa, Porto Cervo, Sardinia, Italy, €11m**

**Where** In Porto Cervo, on the north coast of Sardinia, 30km from Costa Smeralda international airport.

**What** A five-bedroom, five-bathroom villa with covered terraces, outside dining space and a large pool with sea views. The property is part of a wider residential complex which offers residents direct access to the beach.



**Why** Porto Cervo regularly hosts sailing regattas and, last weekend, staged the fourth biennial Dubois Cup, a relatively new yachting event attracting a growing number of sailing enthusiasts to Sardinia's northern coast.

**Who** ImmobiliSarda, an affiliate of Christie's International Real Estate, [www.christiesrealestate.com](http://www.christiesrealestate.com), +39 0789 909000



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## PROPERTY FOCUS Sardinia vs Liguria

### SARDINIA BEYOND PORTO CERVO



For many potential buyers, the only restriction for a second home in ever-glamorous Sardinia is the Aga Khan's world-famous development, Costa Smeralda. "Sardinia is as popular as ever and will benefit over the coming years from a big cash investment," says Edward de Violet Morgan of Knight Frank International. "Qatar Holding announced a proposed investment of €1.35 billion into prime real estate when it bought Smeralda Holding, which includes Porto Cervo, last year." But Costa Smeralda isn't the only smart option for top-end buyers on the island. Developments such as Es Molas, with its championship golf course in the south of the island, are also undergoing expansive redevelopments this year.

### ES MOLAS PULA

Guide price: €1.9 million

Contact: Savills Tel: +44 (0)20 7016 3747

Website: [www.savills.com](http://www.savills.com)

Es Molas is a well-established golf resort in the south of Sardinia, now undergoing a renovation and expansion project to include a new five-star hotel, beach club and golf course. A new development of villas is being built in a landscape that takes in pine forests, sea views and mountains. All the villas on the development range from two to four bedrooms, and come with private gardens and pools.

### VILLASIMIUS CAGLIARI

Guide price: €20 million

Contact: Rome Sotheby's International Realty.  
Tel: +39 06 69 38 00 76

Website: [www.sotheybirealty.com](http://www.sotheybirealty.com)

An extraordinary estate with 103 acres of vineyards and direct access to a private 200-metre-long white sandy beach. The five-bedroom villa was designed by Antonio Citterio and there is a further separate villa.

### VILLA HERMOSA PORTO CERVO

Guide price: €11 million

Contact: Christies International Real Estate.  
Tel: +39 07 89 909 000

Website: [www.christiesrealestate.com](http://www.christiesrealestate.com)

Set in generous gardens, this villa has two main bedroom suites plus three further bedrooms. Outside is a large pool and the villa lies in an estate with direct access to the beach with sunbeds and shades.

### PORTO CERVO MARINA COSTA SMERALDA

Guide price: €150,000

Contact: Knight Frank Tel: +44 (0)20 7629 8171  
Website: [www.knightfrank.com](http://www.knightfrank.com)

This apartment in the residential complex of the Marina di Porto Cervo is a perfect pied-à-terre in the Costa Smeralda, with three bedrooms and a terrace overlooking the water. It is over two floors with living space on the top. Includes access to a garage.

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## NATURAL SPIRIT

The spring-summer 2013 collection of Pin Up Stars is inspired by nature visible in the precious applications of iridescent and semi-precious stones and in the vibrant prints, teddy bears and owls peek out from swimwear, jungles of plants and flowers climb up the taffetas, blouses and pants. Even the colour palette evokes the tropical forest with colours like apple green, lemon yellow, fuchsia and orange. Glamour never goes on vacation. Niki Niki, Piazza degli Ulivi - [www.pinup-stars.com](http://www.pinup-stars.com).

La collezione P/E 2013 di Pin Up Stars si ispira alla natura nelle preziose applicazioni di strass e pietre dure e nelle vivaci stampi: orsetti e gatti fanno capolino dai costumi da bagno, giungle di piante e fiori si ammirano su cappelli, bluse e pantaloni. Anche la paletta cromatica evoca la foresta tropicale con colori come verde mela, giallo limone, fucsia e arancio. Il glamour non va mai in vacanza. Da Niki Niki, Piazza degli Ulivi - [www.pinup-stars.com](http://www.pinup-stars.com).

## INTERNATIONAL REAL ESTATES

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Presente fin dal 1974 in Costa Smeralda e Gallura, Immobiliarda combina le massime professionalità e le conoscenze del territorio alla capillarità di una prestigiosa rete mondiale. Immobiliarda è l'ufficio esclusivo per la Sardegna della divisione immobiliare di Christie's, la più antica e rinomata casa d'aste internazionale, partner di una serie di network di alto livello quali ERIN, Luxury Portfolio, RELO e Fabel. Si garantisce quindi una presenza di primo piano nello scenario internazionale. Immobiliarda gestisce progetti di investimento e sviluppo nell'ambito residenziale turistico, selezionando accuratamente solo progetti di alto profilo. Si offrono inoltre servizi di consulenza privata, impresa e istituzionale per fornire al cliente un servizio "tailor made" con norme di mercato, business plan, studi di fattibilità, progettazione, piani di marketing e di consulenza in materia di tutela ambientale e progetti sostenibili. Piazzetta degli Archi 2 - Tel. 070-909000 - [www.immobiliarda.com](http://www.immobiliarda.com)



## SUMMER SHOPPER

For the new collection of Aliviero Martini la Classe, a shopper bag with a sailor allure in striped Geo and white print cotton canvas. The main representative traits of the bag are the rope handles with coiled details. The bag is available in three sizes. A "must have" in the summer wardrobe. Tel. 070-931022. [www.alivieromartini.it](http://www.alivieromartini.it).

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## EXTENDED EDITION

100 mq more dedicated to sportswear and to the new collection Beachwear for Zilli in Piazza del Principe, and a second space of 50 mq in front of Hotel Cervia in Piazzetta. To celebrate the 40 years of know-how of Lyon's ateliers, jackets, packets, leatherwear belts, handbags and shoes are presented in precious leather with the jewellery collection, the gold sunglasses and some women leatherwear accessories. As usual, the "special order" service allows countless possibilities of personalization. [www.zilliboutique.it](http://www.zilliboutique.it)

100 mq in più dedicati allo sportswear e alla nuova collezione Beachwear da Zilli di Piazza del Principe, e un secondo spazio di 50 mq di fronte all'Hotel Cervia in Piazzetta. In omaggio ai 40 anni di know-how degli ateliers di Lione, giubbotti, giubbotti, pelli, cinture, borse e scarpe sono presentati in pelli preziose con la collezione di gioielleria, gli occhiali in oro e alcuni articoli di periferia da donna. Come sempre il servizio di "special order" permette innumerevoli possibilità di personalizzazione. [www.zilliboutique.it](http://www.zilliboutique.it)



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### FANNY OCH ALEXANDER PÅ TJOLÖHOLM

**ETT TREVLIGT SÄTT** att skriva upp julstämningen är att gå och se kostymerna ur Ingmar Bergmans Oscarsbelönade storfilm *Fanny och Alexander* i Tjolöholms slott i Halland. Kostymerna, som är signerade Marik Vos, har aldrig tidigare visats. Utställningen kan ses under Tjolöholms slotts julmarknad 20–24 november och i samband med julbord. Utställningen fortsätter sedan att visas varje veckoslut fram till april 2014, [www.tjoloholm.se](http://www.tjoloholm.se).



## Möt mörkrets mästare

**DEN LEGENDARISKE** fotografen Hans Geddas verk och barockkonsten har många beröringspunkter. Detta har Nationalmuseum tagit fasta på i utställningen *Mörkrets mästare: Caravaggister* där 140 foton av Hans Gedda visas parallellt med målningar av 24 barockkonstnärer, visas 5/12–30/3 2014.

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## Kvalitetsbubbel till nyårsfesten

**OM DU ÄR ute efter riktigt bra viner är det en god idé att hålla ögonen på de dryckesauktioner som Systembolaget arrangerar i samarbete med Stockholms Auktionsverk. Ett av toppnumrarna auktionen som hålls 9–11 december är en magnumbutelj av champagnen Deutz från 1975 med utropspriset 25 000 kr. [www.stadsauktion.se/specialauktioner](http://www.stadsauktion.se/specialauktioner)**



### BO SOM FRU SARKOZY

Nu finns möjligheten att bosätta sig i slottet där Frankrikes tidigare första dam, Carla Bruni-Sarkozy, växte upp. Castello di Castagneto Po i norra Italien, med anor från 1019, är till salu. Slottet förekommer dessutom i den färsk dramakomedin *Un Château en Italie* där Carlas storasyster Valeria Bruni-Tedeschi spelar huvudrollen. Godset ägdes av Carla och Valeria Bruni-Tedeschi fram till 2009 då de sålde det till prins Al-Waleed bin Talal, kanske mest känd som ägare till The Savoy i London. Castello di Castagneto Po har 40 rum, de flesta med bevarade originaldetaljer, makalös utsikt över kullarna runt Turin och en prisslapp på 17 miljoner euro. Mer information på [www.christiesrealestate.com](http://www.christiesrealestate.com).

Till salu – Castello di  
Castagneto Po.



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GREAT HOMES &amp; DESTINATIONS

## House Hunting on ... Sardinia

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International Real Estate

By PETER SIGAL

**€3 MILLION (\$4.1 MILLION)**

### A THREE-BEDROOM VILLA ON THE NORTHEAST COAST

This single-story house built in the 1970s on a two-acre property is nestled into the rocky coast of Sardinia's northeastern tip. There are clear views across the Strait of Bonifacio to Corsica and the French archipelago of Lavezzi.

With about 3,000 square feet of living space, the villa is invisible from the road and from neighboring residences. Unlike many coastal properties in Sardinia, it has a propane-fueled central heating system that allows year-round use.

The main room includes a dining area, but many meals are taken outside on a terrace with a barbecue and an oven that can be used for baking bread and pizza, said John Bracco of Immobilsarda, the listing agency. The kitchen has a gas range, a dishwasher and a refrigerator. The interior flooring, made of iroko, an African wood, extends seamlessly onto the deck, further enhancing the sense of fluidity with the outdoors.

There are three bedroom suites in the main villa; the master is twice as large as the other two and has a fireplace. A small guesthouse on the property has one bedroom and one bath. The main structure can be expanded somewhat, Mr. Bracco said, despite strict regulations on coastal development, and the next owner could also install a pool.

A series of terraces and decks overlooks the sea; the nearest sandy beach is about half a mile away and reachable on foot.

The property, in the municipality of Terravecchia, is two and a half miles from the nearest town, Santa Teresa di Gallura, which has about 5,000 year-round residents. Ferries from Santa Teresa reach Bonifacio, Corsica, in about 50 minutes. The nearest major port and airport are in Olbia, about 35 kilometers



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away. Direct flights are available to Olbia from major European countries.

## MARKET OVERVIEW

The most prestigious area on Sardinia is the Costa Smeralda, a short stretch of northeastern coastline centered on Porto Cervo, developed for the international jet set by the Aga Khan in the 1960s. Waterfront properties in Costa Smeralda have sold for tens of millions of dollars; by some measures the most expensive real estate in Europe is found there.

Areas just outside the Costa Smeralda and flanking it, along the peninsula bounded by Olbia to the east and Castelsardo to the west, are also popular with foreign buyers and well-heeled Italians. Properties close to the water, like the villa offered for sale here, start around \$3 million, agents said, with homes slightly inland starting around \$1 million. Restored or renovated stazzi, the local term for old farmsteads in the Sardinian shrubland, are also popular, said Melania Borrielli, the founder of ResRei, a buyer's agent in Sardinia.

Ms. Borrielli also suggested that buyers consider the southern tip of Sardinia, around Cagliari, where excellent coastal properties start about \$1.25 million. For the adventuresome, village fixer-uppers requiring gut renovations can be found around the island for as little as \$65,000.

The Italian market has largely been flat since the beginning of 2012, agents said. "If you take the last couple of years, we have seen a moderate fall in prices," said Rupert Fawcett, the director of Italian sales for Knight Frank. "Prices have come off by about 10 percent since the high point in 2007."

"Across the board," he added, "it has been a difficult couple of years, where you have buyers feeling that prices need to come off and vendors reluctant to bring them down. We're looking for a more buoyant year. We are experiencing some moderate pickup now."

In the heart of the Costa Smeralda, prices are not falling by much, said Daniela Ciboddo, the director of the Porto Cervo office of Engel & Völkers, with the wealthiest buyers competing for a limited supply of seafront properties. Ms. Ciboddo described the Costa Smeralda market as being at a turning point, as the first generation of buyers from the 1960s and 1970s are passing the properties down to their children, some of whom are putting them on the market.

A quarterly national survey of real estate agents conducted by the Bank of Italy found some reason for optimism. Fewer agents reported a decline in selling prices in November compared with July, and the percentage of those reporting stable prices rose by eight percentage points, to 31 percent from 23 percent. The difference between asking prices and selling prices remained stable, at about 16



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percent — meaning buyers should be looking to negotiate, agents said.

## WHO BUYS ON SARDINIA

Julia Bracco, the director of Immobilsarda's office in Porto Cervo, said that 75 percent of her agency's buyers were from outside Italy, with Russians buying at the highest level — \$13 million and up — and that Northern and Western European buyers predominated for properties ranging from \$2 million to \$4 million.

A study by Knight Frank found that in 2012 the most numerous buyers were from Russia and former Soviet countries, followed by Italy, Britain, Scandinavia and the United States.

In recent years Italians have largely held back from the market, agents said, with the country's economy stagnant and the political situation unsettled. But Ms. Bracco said Immobilsarda was starting again to see interest from Italians "who consider a second home in Sardinia as a strategic, safe investment."

## BUYING BASICS

There are no restrictions on foreign buyers, agents said. Transactions are conducted through a notary, who handles negotiations and contracts and ensures that fees and taxes are paid to the proper authorities.

Mr. Fawcett says transaction costs for buyers are about 10 percent of the purchase price, with taxes making up 4 to 5 percent and notary fees of 1 to 2 percent. In Italy, the agent's fee, normally 6 percent, is divided equally between buyer and seller. He says his agency advises foreign buyers that they should consider retaining a lawyer, though it is not a necessity.

## WEBSITES

Sardinia tourism: [sardegnavacanze.it](http://sardegnavacanze.it)

Olbia tourism: [olbiaturismo.it/](http://olbiaturismo.it/)

Santa Teresa Gallura: [comunesantateresagalluria.it](http://comunesantateresagalluria.it)

Coastal conservancy: [sardegnaambiente.it/](http://sardegnaambiente.it/)

Real estate taxes in Italy: [agenziaentrate.gov.it/](http://agenziaentrate.gov.it/)

## LANGUAGES AND CURRENCY

Italian; euro (1 euro = \$1.37)

## TAXES AND FEES

Annual taxes for this property are €3,000, or about \$4,100.

## CONTACT

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### IN THE NEWS: SARDINIAN HOUSE HUNTING

While most of the Italian market has remained relatively flat since 2012, the island of Sardinia continues to experience strong demand for its breathtaking coastal properties, as was recently noted by the *New York Times*. Featuring an exquisite Sardinian villa listed with Luxury Portfolio member broker Immobilsarda SRL, the piece took a close look at market conditions on the island and why it has come to be viewed as such an appealing place to invest. While the three-bedroom villa maintains low-key luxury, its the location, with clear views across the Strait of Bonifacio to Corsica and the French archipelago of Lavezzi, that makes it so desirable.

Julia Bracco, the director of Immobilsarda's Porto Cervo office, noted that roughly 75% of the buyers today are foreigners, with Russia's affluent accounting for the majority of top sales. Domestic activity is increasingly on the rise, however, as Italians "consider a second home in Sardinia as a strategic, safe investment," says Ms. Bracco. A popular destination among the world's jet set, Sardinia flourished during the 1960's thanks to heavy investment by Aga Kahn and has since remained one of the world's most exclusive getaways.

Check out all of our incredible properties on Sardinia!

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*overseas property***Italian dream**

Overlooking the azure waters off the Sardinian coast, this newly constructed villa offers the finest seaside living, mere minutes from the world-class beaches of Costa Smeralda and Porto Cervo. Nestled in the heart of Puccio del Pevero, the four-bedroom residence was thoughtfully built from the finest materials, boasting such exquisite finishes as ardesia stone, macassar mahogany wood and

handcrafted terracotta-tiled floors.

From the sparkling swimming pool you can enjoy a sea breeze and breathtaking views of the Mediterranean, making it the perfect Sardinian escape.

Only two kilometres away from the Piccolo and Grande Pevero beaches, nearby amenities include the Pevero Golf Club, Yacht Club Costa Smeralda and the Marina di Porto Cervo.

Combining a location of unmatched prestige with elegant properties, this magnificent villa represents a rare opportunity to live in style on the Sardinian coast.

To learn more about this exclusive property, presented by Luxury Portfolio International member Immobiliarda SPB, please visit [www.luxuryportfolio.com](http://www.luxuryportfolio.com) and search Web ID: AZV25. Price Upon Request.

**Gone fishing**

Fancy running a fishing business? This fish-and-game in Berthou in the Poitou-Charentes region of France comes with a two-bed gite and a two-acre lake for day fishing, all set on 12.14 acres of land and houses.

The main house has three bedrooms and two en-suite bathrooms, including a ground-floor master and a fireplace. The gite would be perfect for fishermen.

The property is less than an hour from La Rochelle, with its numerous restaurants, houses and boutiques. 24-hour access.

**Price:** €549,000/£452,000 | [www.vivons-ensemble.com](http://www.vivons-ensemble.com)

**Stunning watchtower**

This Saracen watchtower in Ventimiglia, just 15km from Monaco, overlooks the Med with views of the way to Corsica (on a clear day). The property consists of a fully-renovated stone watchtower offering character accommodation over three floors, plus a separate large building with two self-contained apartments and an office. The property has an amazing botanical garden with stunning exotic plants.

**Price:** €8m (£6.5m) | [www.leggettorestipe.com](http://www.leggettorestipe.com)





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The cover of CASE & STILE magazine features a large yellow title 'CASE & STILE' at the top. Below the title, a man in a blue blazer and white shirt stands in a modern interior setting. To his left, there's a small inset image of a person in a dark room. On the left side of the cover, there's a section titled 'I TAPPETI' with the subtitle 'Il tocco di classe'. At the bottom left, there's an advertisement for 'IMMOBILIARE COMPRARE CASA IN SARDEGNA' with a stack of books or brochures. The right side of the cover has several headlines: 'ANTONIO PIO SARACINO ARCHIEROE A NEW YORK', 'BARCELLONA UN'ESPLOSIONE DI INVENTIVA', 'SICILIA UN ESERCIZIO DI MINIMALISMO', and 'MIAMI IL GIOCO DI SIMMETRIE'. At the bottom right, there's a 'SPECIALE ILLUMINAZIONE' section with the subtitle 'Il design scopre i led'.

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È sempre la Costa Smeralda, a fare la parte del leone nel mercato immobiliare sardo o, più esattamente, è il Consorzio Costa Smeralda, il territorio compreso tra la strada panoramica proveniente da Olbia, a sud, e Liscia di Vacca, a nord, istituito nel 1982 per programmare uno sviluppo urbanistico e residenziale equilibrato, finalizzato alla valorizzazione turistica; se ne diventa automaticamente soci quando si acquista un appartamento, una villa, un terreno o un immobile sul territorio, partecipando ai suoi programmi con diritto di voto in Assemblea e pagando consistenti quote annuali consorziali. La Costa Smeralda rappresenta il più importante mercato immobiliare europeo della seconda casa di prestigio: A Porto Cervo, Romazzino, Cala di Volpe, il Pevero, tappe obbligate del jet set internazionale, gli appartamenti registrano prezzi compresi fra 10/13 mila euro al mq, le ville con vista mare valori tra 15 mila e 27 mila euro al mq mentre, per le ville sul mare, si parla di vere e proprie astre, con aggiudicazione al miglior offerente. Ma si tratta comunque di investimenti a basso rischio: i valori sono e restano elevati, le oscillazioni di prezzo sono limitate e le ville più prestigiose vengono affittate, nei mesi estivi, a prezzi fino a 200 mila euro/mese. La clientela è internazionale, più spesso russa o araba, in minor numero quella italiana, orientata su investimenti più contenuti. Un mercato a parte, sempre nel nord della Sardegna, è rappresentato dalla Gallura, zona rurale interna in cui sono molto ricercati gli "stazzi", le abitazioni contadine da ristrutturare, che si trasformano in vere e proprie residenze di campagna a breve distanza dalle località mondane della Costa. Sempre più rari, sempre più cari, gli stazzi, costruzioni a pianta rettangolare semplice con copertura a tetto e una superficie di 100/150 mq, raggiungono anche prezzi a corso di 500 mila euro. Tutta da esplorare la costa meridionale sarda, dalla Costa Rei a Villasimius e Santa Margherita di Pula. Meno mondana e più naturalistica, con zone protette incontaminate e spiagge bianchissime, presenta un'offerta immobiliare più ragionata e articolata, dall'appartamento in condominio alla villetta a schiera, con qualche "pezzo" di alta gamma, che attira acquirenti italiani, ma anche inglesi, francesi e tedeschi, facilitati dai collegamenti low-cost con l'aeroporto di Cagliari.

GUARDA IL VIDEO

## PERFECT PROPERTIES

## Best of the Med

Holly Kirkwood finds some of the best properties for sale in the Mediterranean this summer



## ► France

## Saint-Tropez contemporary property €2.9 million

Four bedrooms, great entertaining spaces, south-facing terrace

This beautifully restored modern villa directly overlooks the Bay of Cavalaire, on the southern tip of the Saint-Tropez peninsula away from the crowds. With a vast reception/dining area and a fully fitted kitchen opening directly onto the south-facing terrace, it's a perfect place for entertaining. Offering amazing views to L'ile de Porquerolles, a path leads from the house directly down to the sea.

Knight Frank (020-7861 5120)

## ► Spain

## Sotogrande golf property

€4.995 million

Seven bedrooms, eight bathrooms, waterview, golf

Recently completed, this substantial villa has a frontline position on La Reserva with superb south-easterly views down the valley over the golf course and on to the sea. All seven double bedrooms are en-suite and outside spaces comprise a large courtyard, terraces and a private pool.

Knight Frank (020-7861 1007)



## ► Spain

## Aiguablava modern villa, Costa Brava €4.875 million

Seven bedrooms, five bathrooms, beach access

Surrounded by pine forests on a picture-perfect Costa Brava cove, this modern villa is situated in an exclusive gated community on the frontline of Aiguablava. The large living room, kitchen, seven bedrooms and five bathrooms are spread over two floors and there is staff accommodation. A small out-house also has a Jacuzzi.

Sotheby's International Realty (00 34 972 62 40 70)



## ► France

## Villa in La Colle Sur Loup

€17 million

10 bedrooms, guest villa, caretaker's dwelling

The perfect French Riviera property, the main house offers well-structured reception rooms and seven large bedrooms; outside are the guest house, tennis court and an attractive pool house. The grounds are almost four acres and the views across to neighbouring St Paul de Vence are charming.

Home Hunts (00 33 970 44 60 43)



## ► Italy

## Historic apartment on Elba

€560,000

Five bedrooms, two bathrooms, mooring

Just six miles off the Tuscan coast, Elba is a favourite with the Milanese in summer. This five-bedroom apartment was once the residence of the English officers during the Napoleonic period and might prove to be a hit with sailing enthusiasts as a mooring, just minutes away in the port of Portoferraio, also comes with the house.

Knight Frank (020-7861 1058)



# Country Life

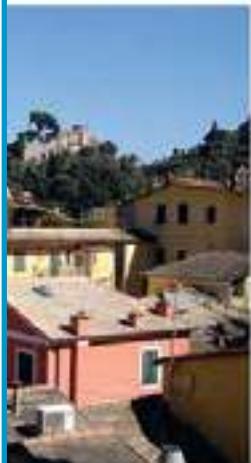


I - Italy

**Portofino villa €11.5 million**

Four bedrooms, four bathrooms, garden, terraces  
Privacy and unparalleled views are both key selling points for this unique four-bedroom villa in Portofino. Original features include terracotta floor tiles, vaulted ceilings and an open fireplace, and the outdoor spaces comprise pretty gardens and extensive terraces with magnificent trees, which provide an oasis of cool in the summer.

Savills (020-7016 3740)



I - Greece

**Corfu beachfront house €7.5 million**

Main villa with five bedrooms, private jetty, cinema room, gym, one-bedroom guest cottage

Away from the mass tourism, in an underdeveloped bay in the smart north-east of Corfu, the agent is marketing this property as 'the finest beachfront private villa for sale in the Ionian islands'. In view of the ample accommodation for a family and guests, underfloor heating and cooling, a cinema room, private jetty and an infinity pool, it might be churlish to argue.

Savills (020-7016 3740)



I - Croatia

**Peljesac peninsula €2.5 million**

Five bedrooms, open-plan living spaces and pretty gardens

Dating back to the 18th century, this impressive former captain's house has wonderful seafront views over to the island of Korcula. Recently renovated, and with accommodation over four levels, there are pretty gardens and stone paved terraces outside. Dubrovnik is 1½ hours away by car. Savills (020-7016 3740)



I - Greece

**Zakynthos villa €5 million**

Main house with six bedrooms, three-bedroom villa, one-bedroom villa, staff accommodation

The quiet north-east coast of the island of Zakynthos is the setting for this substantial modern property. Lovingly looked after by an English family over the past eight years, flexible accommodation is spread between the main house and the standalone villa. Ayleford International (020-7349 9772)



I - Italy

**Sardinia POA**

Traditional villa, three bedrooms, great views, pool

Built in the typical Sardinian style just a few miles from Porto Cervo, this attractive villa has far-reaching views overlooking the archipelago of La Maddalena and Corsica. Accommodation includes a large first-floor living room, a spacious kitchen and three en-suite bedrooms. The swimming pool and a large garden with pretty flower beds, ornamental plants and fruit trees plus dense oak woodland make the outdoor area appealing all year round. Immobiliarda (00 39 07 69 90 90 00)



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## *Biodesign: in perfetto equilibrio*

Jacqui Holt ha ideato un intervento che poteva apparire quasi utopico: l'integrazione di una piscina in un contesto naturale incontaminato, uno sperone roccioso con forte pendenza, in una delle zone più protette d'Italia: la Sardegna. L'intervento è stato reso possibile grazie all'uso di una tecnologia (Biodesign) che consente di sagomare la forma dell'invaso per assecondare la morfologia e le asperità dell'ambiente,

senza dover ricorrere a opere murarie, limitando così al minimo gli interventi invasivi.

Il risultato è uno specchio d'acqua perfettamente inserito nell'ambiente, anche grazie rivestimento della vasca in marmo Botticino e Bardiglio. La piscina è divisa in diverse aree: una spiaggia con bagnasciuga, una zona per il nuoto e i tuffi, una spiaggetta wellness con sistema massaggiante aeroterapico. ■

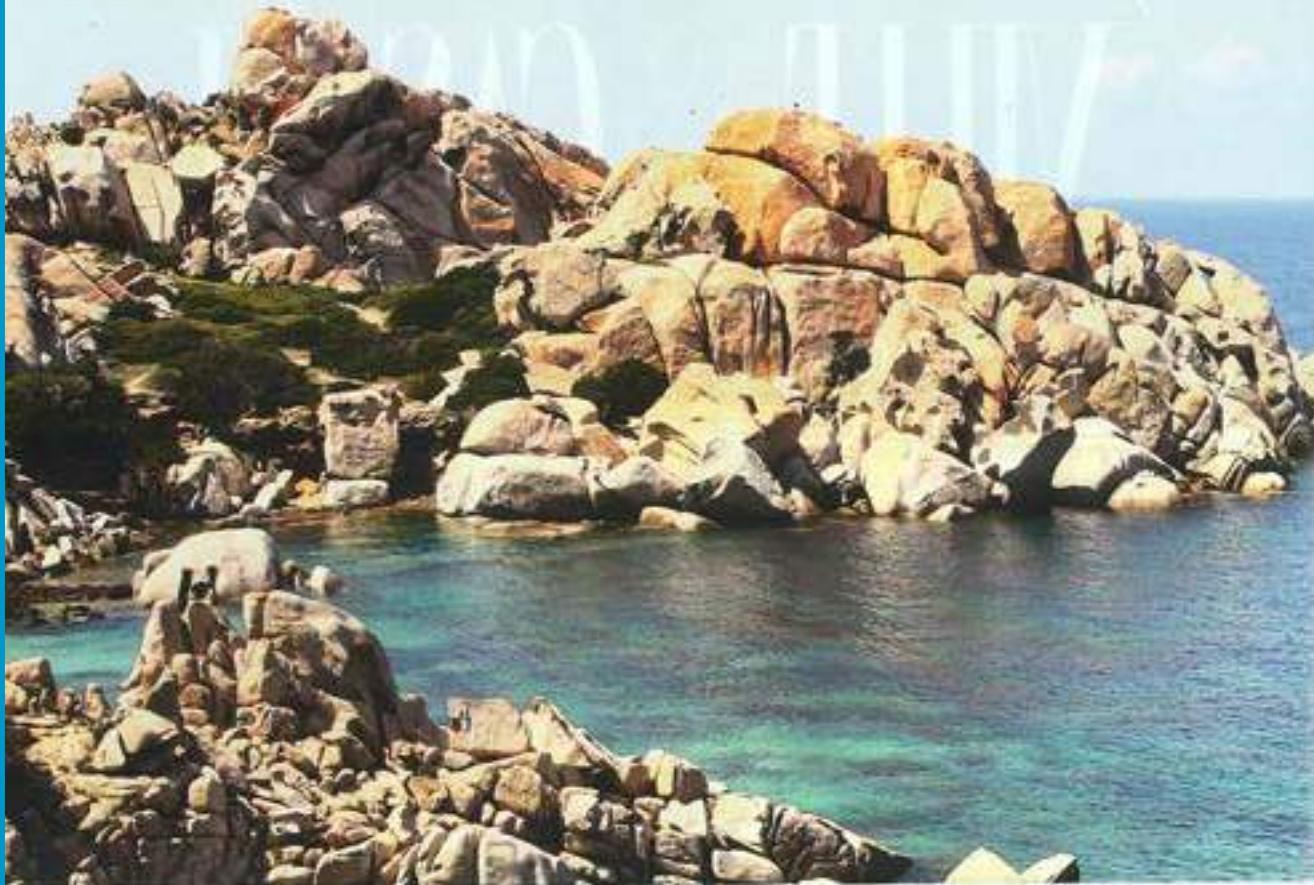


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## QUALE SARÀ IL FUTURO DELLA COSTA SMERALDA?

MANCA UN PROGETTO PER ALLUNGARE LA STAGIONE TURISTICA. INTANTO I PREZI SCENDONO E LE POSSIBILITÀ DI AFFARI AUMENTANO

Testo di ENRICO MORELLI foto di CORRADO BONOMO

"Stanno soffocando la Costa Smeralda", dice Carlo Panciroli, il decano degli agenti della Costa Smeralda con oltre trent'anni di esperienza. "Stiamo facendo di tutto per non far venire la gente", aggiunge Antonio Bellaschi della Nuova Immobiliare di Porto Cervo. Il responsabile dell'Immobiliare Panciroli si spiega che da oltre due anni il mercato è fermo, almeno quello delle grandi ville in cui lui è specializzato. Sul mercato vi sono un centinaio di ville e alcune centinaia di appartamenti. Un portafoglio solo in parte in esclusiva, e quindi nella comune disponibilità

di una dozzina di agenzie, come Engel&Volkers, Immobiliarda, Le Rosemarine, House&Loft, e tante altre che hanno partecipato all'inchiesta di Ville&Casali.

Molti agenti lamentano i continui blitz delle autorità, dalla Procura alla Guardia di Finanza, che farebbero scappare gli italiani più noti. Qualche residenza ha perfino pensato di presentarsi alle Piamme Gialle per un controllo preventivo in modo da evitare i controlli in barcha, ma non è riuscito a ottenere alcun lasciapassare. Spaventano pure i controlli sulle compravendite: "Se

hai venduto bene rischi l'accusa di riciclaggio", spiega Carmen Manzato, di Sogni Immobiliari, "se hai venduto male ti fanno un accertamento. Naturalmente che ci sia paura ad investire". Rosa Floris, responsabile della Immobiliare Le Rosemarine, che da trent'anni opera sul mercato, aggiunge: "Se le società fossero autorizzate, come i privati, a non pagare le plusvalenze sulle vendite effettuate dopo cinque anni dall'acquisto, emergerebbero i veri valori e si scotterebbe la estorverezizzazione delle stesse società". Il più attivo nei controlli è senza dubbio



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## L'INTERVISTA

**Come cambierà, secondo il presidente della FIABCI Italia e della Immobilsarda, il mercato immobiliare della Gallura nei prossimi anni?**

**BRACCO: "CI SARÀ UNA CORSA VERSO LA QUALITÀ"**

"C'è bisogno di un masterplan del turismo per la Sardegna e per la Gallura, che occupa 450 km di coste e attrae un turismo internazionale di élite. Basti pensare che ogni giorno ad Olbia decollano e arrivano 300 aerei privati e che l'aeroporto privato della Costa Smeralda è il secondo in Europa per importanza", dice a *Ville&Casali*, Giancarlo Bracco, il fondatore dell'Immobilsarda, da diversi anni allesta con Christie's per la commercializzazione degli immobili di prestigio. Bracco è pure fondatore di EREN, un network europeo immobiliare d'eccellenza e presidente della FIABCI Italia, la federazione internazionale del settore immobiliare. "Dobbiamo capirsi", aggiunge Bracco, "quali sono i compiti dell'industria del turismo, quali sono i nostri clienti, come possiamo soddisfarli, quali sono i servizi e le emozioni che gli possiamo assicurare". Già, perché per il fondatore dell'Immobilsarda da oltre trent'anni non basta puntare sul turismo di massa, ma su una nicchia, forse il 10 per cento, che apprezza la natura e i profumi della Sardegna, il mare e il cibo speciali, il senso protomporante di libertà che l'isola offre, la possibilità di realizzare con l'acquisto di una seconda casa "un bilancio esistenziale". Non a caso oggi gli acquirenti di ville sono persone che hanno superato i cinquant'anni. "Per esempio", aggiunge Bracco, "le ville sul mare che vengono acquistate da russi ed arabi, da nord europei e asiatici (sono arrivati pure gli indiani e i cinesi) sono diventate delle piccole e medie imprese, in quanto ognuna occupa una trentina di persone tutto l'anno. E le ville non vengono usate solo per una vacanza al mare, ma come vere sedi di rappresentanza, per fare pubbliche relazioni, in definitiva per concludere affari". Bracco ritiene che non ci sia più spazio per la cementificazione che ha caratterizzato i centri urbani della costa della Gallura nell'ultimo mezzo secolo, ma solo per gli immobili di qualità. Egli spiega che la cementificazione è stata favorita dalla svalutazione della lira prima e da un'alta parità dell'euro poi, ma sottolinea che le lottezze sul mare degli anni sessanta sono poche e non sono aumentate. Sono state bloccate, infatti, con la legge regionale del 1968. Come sarà, quindi, il mercato immobiliare dei prossimi anni secondo il presidente della Immobilsarda? "Potranno apprezzarsi gli immobili belli, raffinati, nella giusta location, quelli che sapranno offrire delle emozioni", egli dice. "Questi immobili sono come dei quadri. Se sono unici, come un Picasso, non potranno che rialzarsi!"

Il capo della Procura della Repubblica di Tempio, Domenico Picedalis, che solo all'inizio di maggio ha bloccato i lavori di ristrutturazione della suite presidenziale con piscina privata dell'Hotel Cala di Volpe (affittata a 40 mila euro al giorno, e che appartiene alla Costa Smeralda Holding, acquistata qualche anno fa per 650 milioni di euro dall'emiro del Qatar, Hamad bin Khalifa Al-Thani) e qualche giorno dopo ha posto sotto sequestro villa Armony, una Spa extra lusso sul golfo del Pevero, residenza estiva di Carlo e Camilla Borbone, pretendenti al trono del regno delle Due Sicilie. Anche se una settimana dopo il sequestro i lavori dell'Hotel Cala di Volpe sono stati sbloccati, la notizia ha fatto molto rumore. La Costa Smeralda Holding da alcuni anni sta rinnovando i suoi alberghi (con nuove spa e centri wellness per utilizzare le strutture tutto l'anno) e ha investito negli ultimi due anni circa 60 milioni di euro. I

dirigenti della Costa Smeralda Holding, acquista dalla Qatar Holding, hanno incontrato il presidente della Regione sarda, Francesco Pighiari, lo scorso aprile per presentare i progetti della società che prevedono un investimento negli anni futuri per circa 1 miliardo di euro. La presenza crescente del Qatar in Sardegna è stata ricordata, alla presenza del premier Renzi, con la firma di un'intesa tra la Regione Sardegna e la Qatar Foundation (una società che fa capo allo stato arabo, ma distinta dalla Qatar Holding) per un investimento di 1,2 miliardi di euro nell'ospedale San Raffaele di Olbia. Sembrano quindi disdaci le preoccupazioni degli operatori turistici che fino ad oggi hanno temuto un progetto politico per distruggere la Costa Smeralda, a torto considerata solo un "covo di ricchi". Bisognerà ora vedere se la Regione Sardegna elaborerà un piano strategico per lo sviluppo turistico della costa nord orientale della Sardegna, oggi invasa da



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# Mediterranean Yachting

After sailing the Mediterranean, what could be better than to head home to private mooring or marina views?

## PORT ANDRATX, MALLORCA, SPAIN, POA

This exceptional 6-bedroom villa in La Mola, located minutes from the luxurious Port Andratx, has direct sea access, its own boathouse and mooring. The property is situated on the waterfront and has several large terraces in the grounds that overlook the sea for outdoor dining and waterfront entertaining. Set in beautiful manicured gardens, the villa has a swimming pool with views to the sea.  
[mallorca.sothbysrealty.com](http://mallorca.sothbysrealty.com)



Qatar Airways has daily flights from Doha to Barcelona.

## TÜRKBÜKÜ, BODRUM, TURKEY US\$11,076,000

Located in prestigious Türkbüyü, this 6-bedroom waterfront villa features a beach platform, jetty for boat mooring, and a separate guest house. Located on a corner plot for high privacy, the villa is surrounded by greenery with stunning sea and island views. There is a large private infinity swimming pool, poolside entertainment area, and a luxury sauna and wellness area.  
[propertyturkey.com](http://propertyturkey.com)



Qatar Airways has ten flights a week from Doha to Istanbul, and has four flights a week from Doha to Ankara.



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## PORTO CERVO, SARDINIA, ITALY, POA

Villa Punta Capaccia is set in one of the most renowned locations in Costa Smeralda, just a few steps from the beach of Romazzino, not far from Porto Cervo Marina. The house is surrounded by a manicured garden and boasts five bedrooms, five bathrooms, a living area, dining room, kitchen and staff quarters. All the rooms enjoy a wonderful sea view. [immobiliSardegna.com](http://immobiliSardegna.com)

➤ Qatar Airways has two flights a day to Rome.



## VILLEFRANCHE SUR MER, FRANCE, POA

The Bay of Villefranche – between the Cap of Nice and Cap Ferrat – is one of the deepest natural harbours of any port in the Mediterranean Sea and provides a safe anchorage for large ships. A short walk away, this 5-bedroom architecturally-designed villa appears created from the rock itself. At its heart, a sculpted staircase leads to a lush roof garden, and the property's many terraces give a breathtaking panorama of the bay. [soavilla.com](http://soavilla.com)



➤ Qatar Airways has three flights a day from Doha to Paris.

## PORTO HELL, GREECE, POA

This villa is located at the entrance of the Porto Heli bay, surrounded by a two-acre garden that leads to a small private sandy beach that has its own dock, capable of accommodating large boats. Inside, this four-storey property is decorated in a Mediterranean style and features 6 bedrooms. The two spacious master bedrooms feature incredible sea views. [jproperty.gr](http://jproperty.gr)

➤ Qatar Airways has two flights daily from Doha to Athens.



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## GREEK ISLAND OF THE WEEK

Just 24 nautical miles from Crete, the Greek island acquired last year by the daughter of the Russian oligarch Oleg Deripaska, Nissos, is one of the southern Cyclades. In the clear waters of the Ionian Sea, with a surface area of nearly 800,000 sq metres, 1,200 metres of coastline and a lush, forested interior, the island has plenty of potential. New laws on mixed-use development have meant a five-star hotel and several luxury villas could be built.  
00 30 230 699 8311, [nissos.com](http://nissos.com)



## GOLFING HOME OF THE WEEK

In the laid-back La Cala area of the PGA Catalunya Resort, near Girona, eight striking contemporary townhouses are set to be completed by next June. In the blocks of four, facing the 22nd fairway of the Real Course, the three-bedroom homes will be split over two floors, with a basement. Each property will have large private terraces at the rear and a Bulthaup kitchen — owners can choose to have a guest room, a gym or a wine cellar, and there's a communal pool.  
00 34 972 472957, [pgacataluya.com](http://pgacataluya.com)

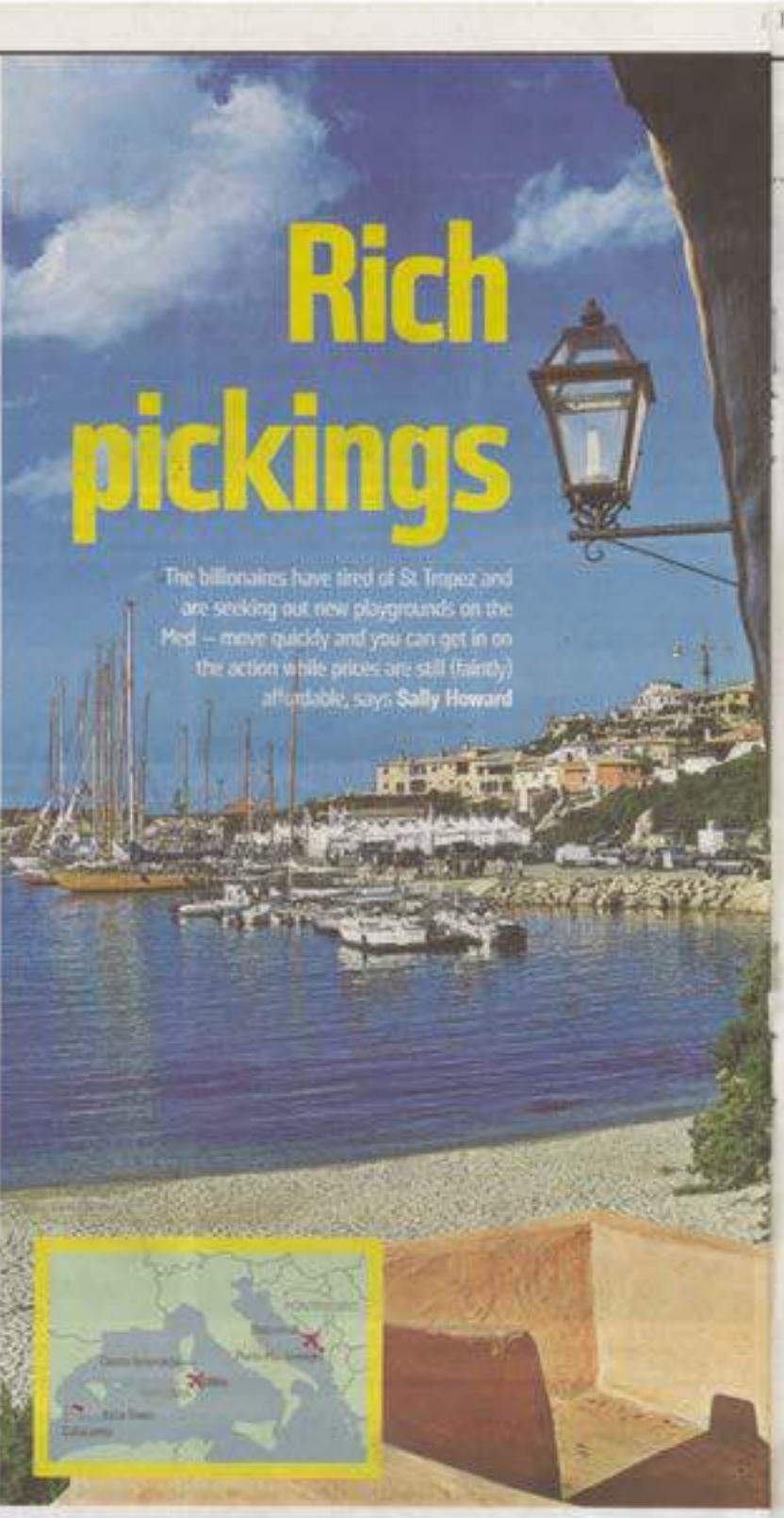


## CARIBBEAN VILLA OF THE WEEK

Palm Grove Villa sits 50ft above sea level on Tortola, in the British Virgin Islands, with views over to Jost Van Dyke. Just a 10-minute walk from the beach, the four-storey property has two bedrooms, including a balcony, terrace, sunbathing areas and enormous ceiling beams; the interiors are decorated in earth white and reddish greens. The villa is part of a complex of seven properties on the island estate, with a shared driveway. Long Bay beach is within walking distance.  
00 1 7843 3087, [knighfrank.com](http://knighfrank.com)

# Rich pickings

The billionaires have tired of St Tropez and are seeking out new playgrounds on the Med — move quickly and you can get in on the action while prices are still (fairly) affordable, says Sally Howard





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on the shelves of the French Riviera this summer and you'll notice fewer megayachts bobbing against the blues. There's a new mood of modesty at large luxury jet- and yacht-owning oligarchs: rock stars and royals, Monaco Carlo and St Tropez are out – too showy. Too many paparazzi trailing their long lenses on your yacht as she apples the Piazzale, festival, a handful of discreet Mediterranean resorts, some newly developed, are in vogue.

"There's another way you can get it," says James Price, who monitors millionaire yacht buyers to the super-rich for Knight Frank estate agency's international department. "These destinations have replaced the jet-set. They've been at it quietly for years. Monkmegui has built deep anchoring marinas at Tivat, a former naval base on the Bay of Kotor. Developers in other sleepy regions of the Mind, such as Catalonia and northern Spain, have been busy creating the high-spec properties this segment go for – private residences with all mod-cons and a certain muted panache."

Symbolic of these developments is La Taza di Corvo, on the Costa Smeralda

Lap of luxury Costa Smeralda, in Sardinia, left, is popular with the super-rich; above, the Porto Montenegro resort has 600 berths and a yacht club

(Emerald Coast), in Sardinia. Set on a Jasper-strewn promontory overlooking the Porto Cervo yachting marina – home to a glitzy yacht club and helipad, Harrods and Prada concessions – this development of 28 luxury residences is due for completion in 2015. It's the first launch in a portfolio of properties developed in consultation with Christie's International Real Estate, the luxury property arm of the auction house, which has the yacht set squarely in view. When complete, La Taza di Corvo will offer five-star facilities, such as panoramic pools, solariums, wine cellars and underground parking.

Yet that's not what gives the development its signal appeal, says Gino Manzini, Christie's senior vice-president, who gives me a sneak preview of the site. "The property occupies the remaining plot of land available for development in a region notorious for tight restrictions. This means the Costa Smeralda will always have low-density development. It will never become, say, the Costa del Sol."

These restrictions date back to the resort's origins under the Aga Khan IV. The business magnate visited the then sparsely populated peninsula in the late 1950s and, bewitched by its blue-green

waters and facilities cards, formed a consortium of wealthy buyers to snap up 30 sq km of land from the incandescent cattle breeders. By the 1960s, his villa Bahia had become a playground for the nouveaux riche: Enrico Berlinguer and Catherine Deneuve rubbed shoulders with playboy moguls, and Ringo Starr composed the Beatles song Octopus's Garden on Peter Sellers's yacht.

Today, the Costa Smeralda's dazzling features – modernist architecture, private security, pristine ecological serenity – are once more in vogue with the appetites of the rich and famous. The Wanadoo oligarch Roman Abramovich owns a sprawling estate here, as does Abu Dhabi's Prince Alwaleed bin Talal. Silvio Berlusconi has his 100-acre holiday estate, Villa Cetona, some of whose 100 notorious bunga-bunga parties, and repeated to house a replica erupting

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Pergola, Umbria, Italy

This perfect family home has easy access to Perugia. Recently restored and completely renovated. • 3 bedrooms & bathroom • Garage/gated in ground floor garage with roof terrace • Detached living areas & swimming pool

Guide price £650,000  
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Preston Avena, Roma, Italy

An apartment located in the heart of the Nomentano area and on the exact floor of a prestigious Art Deco-style building. 3 bedrooms & bathroom & 2 balconies. • Possibility to create a second bathroom

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Praia da Luz, Algarve

Located in the sought after Praia da Luz development on the outskirts of the village, this villa is perched to a high standard and offers beautiful sea views. • 4 bedrooms & Swimming pool garden • Plot approximately 1,700 sq m

Guide price €1,000,000  
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Sotogrande Costa, Sotogrande

Contemporary 4 bedroom villa overlooking a green hole in Sotogrande Costa I. • Plot: House with a garage, terrace & fully fitted kitchen • Air-conditioning • Security system • Plot area approximately 1,200 sq m • Built area approximately 200 sq m

Guide price €700,000  
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Lalou-Dessus, France

Unusual country villa location just outside the hamlet size town of Lalou-Dessus. • 2 reception rooms • 3 bedrooms. With office • Detached garage • Swimming pool & terrace area

Guide price €2,200,000  
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Luberon, France

Stunning stone house set in a central position overlooking the Luberon countryside. • 4 bedrooms • Dining room & kitchen (including ground floor studio) • Other areas (Swimming pool - Pool house - Guest house - Covered terrace)

Guide price €2,500,000  
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Les Alpilles, France

Charming 18th century village house with original authentic features set in the heart of Fontvieille village. • 2 reception rooms • Double garage & bathroom • 4 bedrooms • Spacious terrace • Landscaped garden

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Royal Westmoreland, Barbados

Located within the gated golf resort of Royal Westmoreland, Castle 20 is an exclusive 1 bedroom semi-detached residence that offers great golf course views & swimming pool & 24hr security. • Garden • Beach facilities

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→ **villages.** The former king of Spain, Juan Carlos, recently bought the site of a former hotel to build a luxury post-abdication retirement compound. Giancarlo Bracco sells high-end Sardinian villas through his real-estate agency, Immobiliare, in Porto Cervo. "Many of my buyers are rich Russians," he says, as we look out from the rooftop terrace of one of La Tana di Cervo's penthouses. The views are glorious. Porto Cervo blazed with tall white yachts, the coast lined and the curved outline of Cervo beyond.

Buyers with upwards of €1m for a penthouse get to enjoy the view from the 20-parcels studio infinity spa bath to our left, or the rooftop lounge with drinks served from a full-service kitchen bar. "In Moscow, these clients have to travel with armed protection," Bracco says. "But here you see them in shorts, walking their dogs. It's privacy and discretion they're looking for."

**Hammam Trends.** La Tana di Cervo's buyers will include "individuals from the Gulf, Russians, other clients from northern Europe and especially Britons. For smaller units, we're seeing interest from Americans, as their property prices are doing so well at the moment."

With two-bedroom properties starting at about €425k (£34,800), the development is within the profile of Europe's well-to-do second-homeowning middle classes. But I wonder, as we tour the sprawling and tastefully appointed show flats, whether its proposition will be to their tastes. There's the elegant architecture, of course. Designed by a renowned architect to Italy's political classes, Giancarlo Maria Tretto, La Tana di Cervo is built in house gardens sourced from the Sicilian interior, with woodland redolent of olives, Genoese sculptures, carved geometry and waterfalls complete a pastoral picture.

The natural setting, too, is a knockout: 10 acres of olive and juniper trees, indubitably by solid investors, that will offer private walking and nature trails when the development is complete. But Britain's middle classes have perhaps yet to nail on the "second-home residence" model that La Tana di Cervo proposes.



#### OLISARCH OPULLENCE IN SARDINIA

La Tana di Cervo is a brand-new ultra-luxury development of 25 flats in Elba Dolce, with spectacular views over the Porto Cervo yacht club and marina. Each property will have a panoramic pool, a Whirlpool hot tub and a wine cellar, and there's private underground parking.

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#### CELEBRITY CHIC IN IBIZA

A short drive from the airport, and 500yds from Cala Comte cove, this gated villa community will be ready next year. The 30 contemporary homes will have spacious green lawns, private pools and modern sculptures. They'll be exclusively, too, using a communal storage for air conditioning and heating.

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This has long been a staple of the North American property market, where it was pioneered by the luxury Canadian hotel group Four Seasons in a hybrid of private condominium and hotel suites. Today, select residential condominiums Stateside and in Asian cities with a majority of repeat purchases, such as Hong Kong and Singapore. They typically offer property maintenance, a 24-hour concierge service and domestic services (cleaning, cooking, childcare) on demand.

All this is par for the course if you hope to attract multiple-property-owning international buyers, Hammam says.

"Private security, chefs to stage a banquet on the yacht's deck, reliable maids, a maid for the maid – these are basics."

Bracco agrees. "It used to be that villas in the Costa Smeralda were run like little businesses. You'd have your cook, your gardener and your housekeeper. They would require a lot of management when you were overseas. Now very clients don't want this. They want it all done for them, so they can arrive in their private jet and have freshly made pasta waiting on the terrace."

Privacy and an "everything you heart desires" service are also the sell at Cabaceno, a development of 20 grand



Above, Cala Comte at dusk. Above right, a patio set by Cala Comte, on the island's northeast coast.

villas wanting 500ft above Cala Comte, a quiet cove in northeast Ibiza. The modern houses, also set for completion in 2015, are constructed in bluestone, oakwood and local stone, and have large individual pools, glass-roofed patios and windows and glass doors placed with native jacaranda and sisal trees.

Cabaceno's on-site services include a 3,000sq ft spa, Crevallesque-sounding "passive and active" security (including a manned entry checkpoint), and Abriservicio, a concierge service that takes care of everything from private jet hire to checks and bodyguards. The four- to eight-bedroom villas will be

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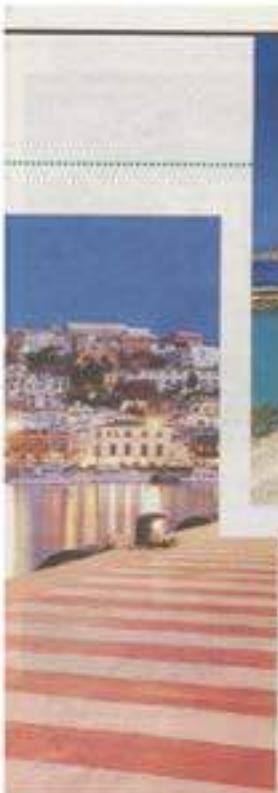


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marketed for between €2.5m and €3.5m.

According to James Price, who is marketing Calacatta in Britain, Ibiza's emergence as a luxury destination shouldn't come as a surprise. "You have your jet set buying properties like this, for whom Ibiza is a friend, fifth home in a portfolio. But you also have lottery-winning northern Europeans who have done well and want a holiday house on an island where they have happy associations from carrying in their youth."

Availability of land is also a factor in the emergence of the luxury property sector on the White Island. Like the Costa



Smeralda, Ibiza has avoided the briefling overdevelopment of the coasts of the Spanish mainland, leaving pockets of land available for development. Further shiny builds under way include Can Roldos, a gated development of flats with panoramic sea views above Marina Botafoc, in Ibiza Town, where prices average €3m.

If you have a yen to spot a sunbathing oligarch this summer, the smart money is on Montenegro. It's a sign of the appetite for a new luxury European vacation destination that ground was broken on the redevelopments of Porto Montenegro by the depths of the recession in 2010. Today, the development, which has backers including Nat Rothschild and the Russian oligarch Oleg Deripaska, is taking shape as a resort with 600 berths, a yacht club, an international school, a museum and an infinity pool.

The first four blocks of luxury homes (all sold) include the Venice-inspired Orana residences and the Zeta residences, high-spirited garden flats that face Porto Montenegro's main boulevard. Estimated owners include a Russian metals magnate and the former Formula One boss Eddie Jordan.

Residences in Kotor, the sixth and most luxurious residential block, will launch in summer 2015. Designed by London's BurdonSmith Architects and



## ROYAL CONNECTIONS IN SARDINIA

Princess Margaret retreated to Costa Smeralda, and in July 2002 Princess Diana was snatched here on Count al-Fayed's yacht. Uncle di Vicco was bought in the 1990s by a group of English MPs, to stop the "wings out of development". It's now home to 22 villas, including the five-bayorm Villa Gaia. 00 39 070 800000, christiesitalianestate.com



## BANKER BLING IN MONTENEGRO

Out of 50 homes at the Regent Hotel and Residences, in Porto Montenegro, only two luxurious three-bedroom penthouses are unsold. They have marina views and private pools; owners can use the hotel's spa. The development, due to be completed this summer, has a bar, a restaurant, a cigar lounge and a library. 00 382 3267 4880, portmontenegro.com

Bred out by MIG Interiors, of Paris, the houses echo La Tana di Cervo's unique - same - vacuous design effect, with polished stone floors, traditional planters, private terraces and landscaped gardens. Price tags hover at the €1m mark, and 24-hour security and "lifestyle concierge" services will come as standard.

For yachtsies with money to burn on mooring-side digs, Montenegro is the one to watch. Similar resort targeting the world's well-heeled are set to proliferate in a country that is experiencing 10% year-on-year growth in its tourism industry. Across the bay of Kotor, the Sawiris - Egyptian telecoms tycoons - are building a rival €150 million hotel and resort development, and in 2016, the five-star resort grada-One&Only will launch a hotel and residences at Komber, overlooking Tivat Bay.

Back in Sardinia, on the penthouse terrace of La Tana di Cervo, a plump pink sun is sinking into the crystal-clear waters of the Med. "What a view," says Bracco, ever evincing behind his wraparound sunglasses. "Forget all the money and glamour. This is what they come here for, you know - the sea and magic of this place."

Well, magic, and someone to muster up a plate of basilese gnocchi at least.

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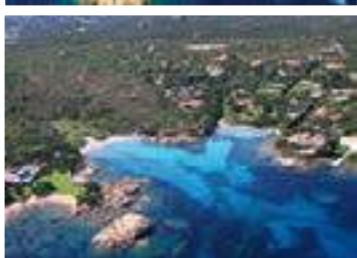
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Well-being, quality of life, sustainability, lengthening of the season:  
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by Holly Piumini



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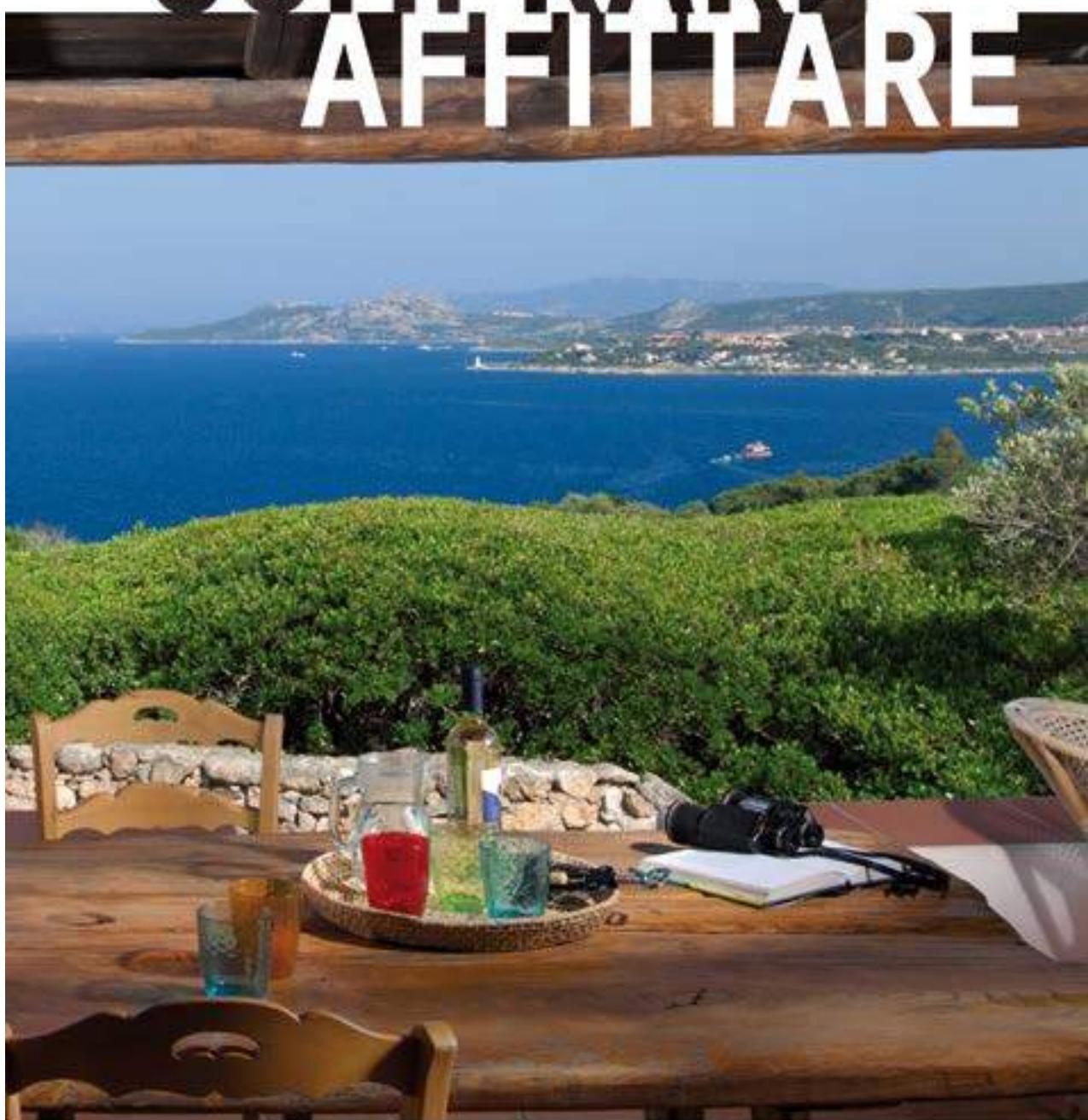


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Sulla Sardegna sventolano le bandiere più ambite dalle località marine italiane. Sono quelle assegnate ogni anno da Legambiente e Touring club. Le storiche "cinque vela" nella nuova guida "il mare più bello", certificano il meglio delle località costiere che hanno saputo coniugare, consucesso, turismo e sostenibilità. In particolare la Sardegna domina la classifica dei comprensori con ben cinque distretti nella top ten. La tutela e la valorizzazione dell'ecosistema costiero sono gli obiettivi di molti comuni sardi che portano avanti progetti per la salvaguardia e la conoscenza dell'habitat. Paesaggio e ambiente sono infatti la vera ricchezza dell'isola. Era il 1962 quando la bellezza delle insenature, le piccole spiagge di sabbia immacolata, l'acqua turchese e cristallino presso Arzachena attirarono l'attenzione del principe Ismael (ta Karim Aga Khan). Quella ventina di chilometri di litorale gallurese divennero in pochissimo tempo la Costa Smeralda. Un nome che non ha bisogno di presentazioni, sinonimo di natura spettacolare e ospitalità principesca. Una meta che non teme né mode né crisi. Nel 2012 il controllo del Consorzio Costa Smeralda è passato all'emiro del Qatar Hamad bin Khalifa Al Thani. Il mix unico della Costa Smeralda è il miglior biglietto da visita per la Sardegna. Lo schema di sviluppo immobiliare è stato ripetuto con successo in altri angoli affascinanti della parte settentrionale dell'isola, metà meno chiacchiera e mondane, ma altrettanto affascinanti. In molti centri, si è costruito rispettando l'ambiente, dimostrando che l'architettura moderna può convivere in armonia con le più remote rocce della storia geologica del continente. La vegetazione, lasciata protagonista, ha presto ricucito le ferite dei cantieri stendendo un tappeto profumato di cisto, mirtto, erica, lentisco, rosmarino che scivola dalle case sul mare blu. ■



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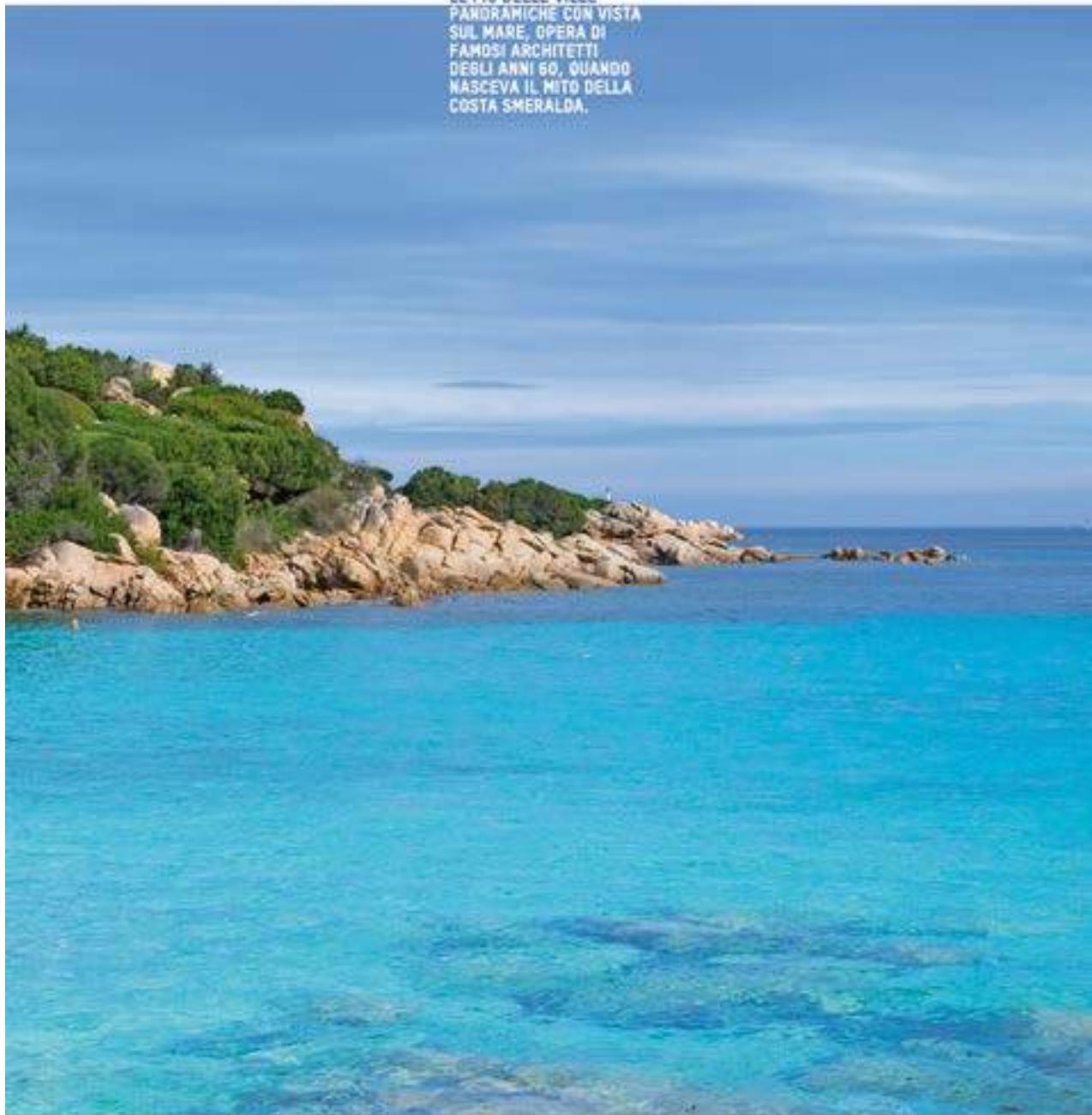
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NEL NORD DELLA SARDEGNA, TRA ROCCE SCULTOREE E LE SPIAGGE INCONTAMINATE DELLA GALLURA, SI TROVANO LE PIU BELLE VILLE PANORAMICHE CON VISTA SUL MARE, OPERA DI FAMOSI ARCHITETTI DEGLI ANNI 60, QUANDO NASCEVA IL MITO DELLA COSTA SMERALDA.

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## AMANDA *in Punta d'isola*



Spiaggette di sabbia rosata e arrotondati scogli granitici bagnati da acque azzurre e limpideggianti. Porto Rafael, nel comune di Paulau, è una delle mete più belle ed esclusive della Gallura, sosta obbligata per raggiungere l'arcipelago della Maddalena e la Corsica. Il villaggio nella parte orientale di Punta Sardegna si affaccia sull'isola di Santo Stefano e su Cala Inglese, detta non a caso "la piscina". A pochi passi sia dal centro del riservato borgo sia dal porticciolo, meta' di appassionati velisti, sorge **Villa Amanda** perfettamente mimetizzata nel paesaggio.

La proprietà gode di una vista stupenda sulle acque blu smeraldo che distano meno di 200 metri. Nonostante la vicinanza al mare, nel giardino a macchia mediterranea è stata incastonata una piscina. Il corpo principale della dimora comprende quattro camere da letto rifiniti con dettagli di pregio, tre bagni, una zona living ampia e luminosa e una cucina. Verande e patii collegano interni ed esterni creando aree salotto e pranzo con vista superba. Nella dépendance ci sono un cucinotto, un bagno e una camera per gli ospiti o per il personale di servizio. immobiliarda - Santa Teresa di Gallura - Tel. 0289 754500 - [immobiliarda.com](http://immobiliarda.com) ■

**SUPERFICIE**  
mq 130

**SUPERFICIE TERRENO**  
mq 2.000

**LOCALI ACCESSORI**  
Piscina

**STATO ATTUALE**  
Ottimo

**PREZZO DI VENDITA**  
2.300.000 euro



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## ECCELSA *su Cala di Volpe*

Più Smeralda non si può. La posizione di Villa Eccelsa permette di abbracciare in uno solo colpo d'occhio tutto il meglio della Costa Smeralda. La proprietà sorge sul promontorio che si tuffa su Cala di Volpe, la splendida rada posta tra le spiagge di Capriccioli e Razza di Juncu. La baia è rinomata anche per l'omonimo hotel di lusso progettato da Jacques Couelle e per il Pevero, uno dei campi da golf più famosi del mondo. Le 18 buche conquistano chiunque prima di tutto per la bellezza del paesaggio, set non solo di alcune memorabili sequenze di "Agente 007 - La spia che mi amava", ma anche del defilé di yacht e personaggi famosi che ogni estate si ritrovano nel porticciolo. Lo show si può godere comodamente da Villa Eccelsa. Ben mimetizzata nella vegetazione, la casa è stata eretta negli anni '90. La zona giorno si apre completamente sulla panoramica terrazza coperta e comprende il salone e la cucina abitabile. Un'aia è riservata alla camera padronale con bagno e stanza guardaroba. La scala interna scende al pian terreno suddiviso in tre camere da letto con altrettanti bagni e accesso diretto al giardino. Grazie all'ampiezza del terreno è possibile realizzare una piscina. Marco Tamburini Immobiliare - Verona - Tel. 045 596477 - eccelsaimmobiliare.it ■



SUPERFICIE  
mq 336

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mq 1.800

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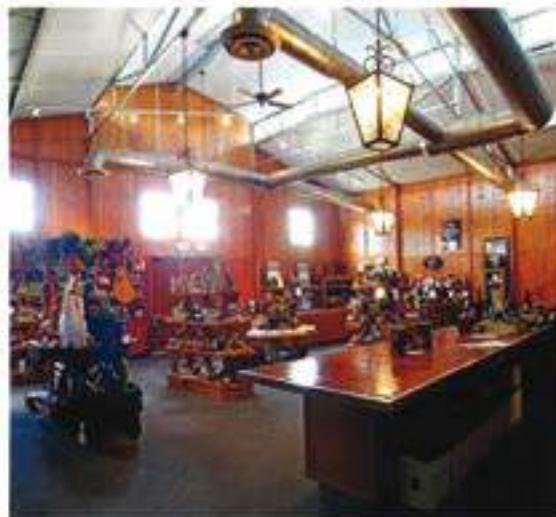
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La proprietà, a **Volterra**, in cima a una collina estesa su 260 ettari, con vista sulla campagna e sul mare, comprende la Villa padronale, residenza estiva dei proprietari, e altre dimore per un totale di 29 camere da letto con bagno, oltre a vigneti, oliveti, alberi di frutto e un parco. Vi è, inoltre, una cantina per produrre vino, una sala degustazione e una piscina. Tra i vini prodotti, il Montescudato Rosso e Bianco Doc, il Vinsanto Montescudato Doc. Romolini International Real Estate Agency/Christie's International Real Estate, [www.romolif.com](http://www.romolif.com), christiesrealestate.com.

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valutazione dei comfort abitativi e degli impianti per la produzione del vino, vedute panoramiche, location prestigiose e naturalmente tipologia del vino prodotto. «Ci sono due tipologie di investitori», precisa Giancarlo Bracco, presidente di Immobilsarda, affiliata a Christie's International Real Estate, «la prima legata ai grandi numeri e alla creazione di medie aziende finalizzate al business della produzione del vino; la seconda, di nicchia e sempre di respiro internazionale, è rappresentata da piccoli investitori interessati alla **conduzione di attività familiari**, realtà di pregio e di eccellenza, che si trovano in luoghi spettacolari. È un mercato assai variegato, che ha bisogno comunque di investitori appassionati attratti dal fascino di località uniche al mondo».



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A. Bagno a Ripoli, sulle colline fiorentine, è in vendita una villa di 1480 (sopra e a sinistra), apparturata per secoli alla stessa famiglia. La dimora, in perfetto stile locale, ha una loggia al primo piano e il giardino d'accesso ha una fontana e una serie di cipressi. La superficie interna è di 1.130 mq e il terreno di 20 ettari. C'è la possibilità di acquistare, a parte, un borgo composto da nove appartamenti con piscina a pochi passi dalla villa. **Knight Frank**, tel. 055/218457; knightfrank.com

**■ GUARDANDO IL GOLFO DEL TIGULLIO**

Trattativa riservata

È situata fra Santa Margherita e Portofino questa villa in vendita, sotto e a destra, con un giardino di 2 ettari affacciato sul mare. La dimora principale è stata da poco ristrutturata e nel parco si trova anche una casa per gli ospiti. Il giardino pianeggiante è ombreggiato da piante e alberi da frutto. Su due lati esterni della casa, due zone private permettono di mangiare all'aperto. Tra la villa e la casa degli ospiti si trova la piscina panoramica. Accesso al mare, a piedi, in 10 minuti. **Milan Sotheby's International Realty**, telefono 02/67078300; sotheby-ersaty.com



**■ FASCINO ANNI '60**  
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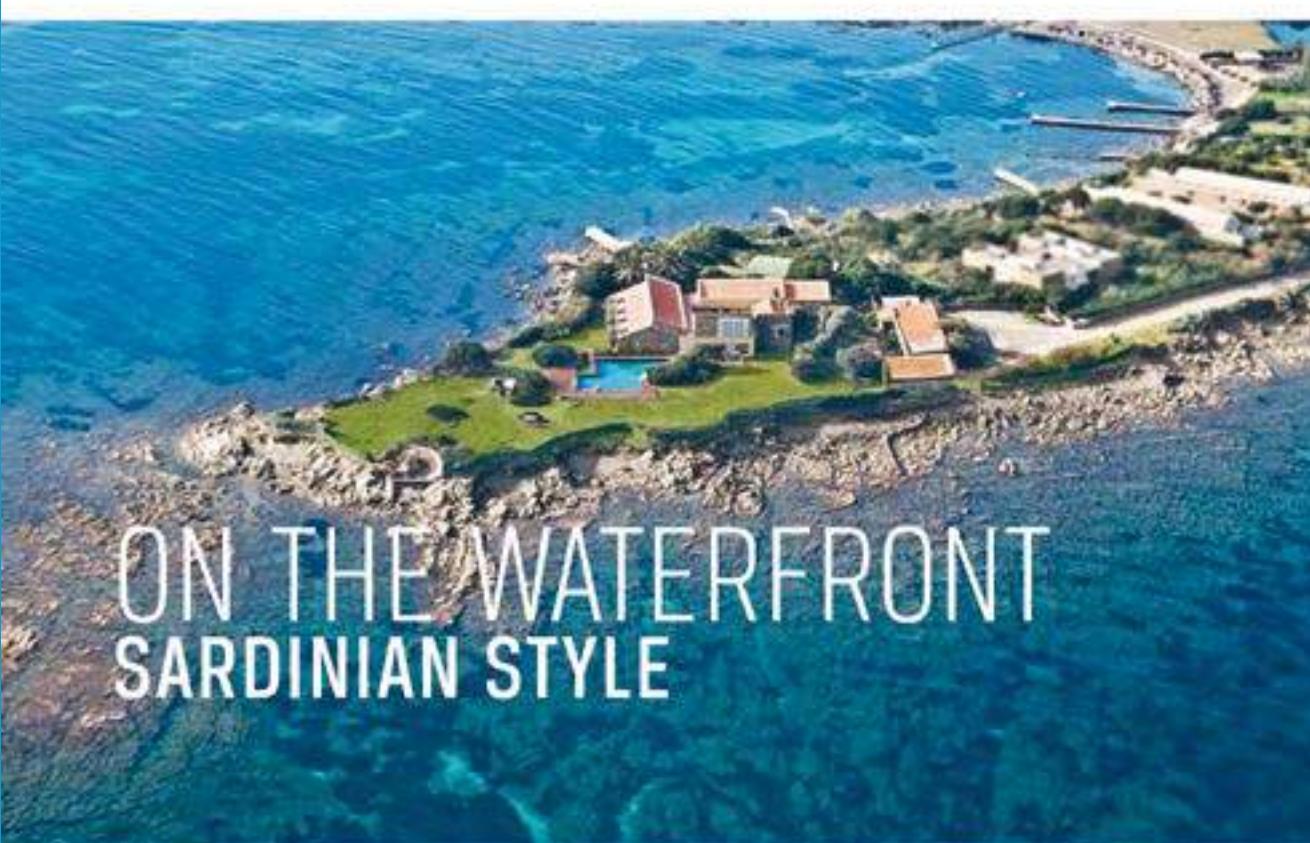
È una lingua di terra che si allunga verso il mare, tra il porto vecchio di Stintino e il Golfo dell'Asinara, nel Nord della Sardegna, quella che ospita questa villa in vendita di 800 mq circa, compresi porticato, veranda e case del custode. La dimora, progettata dall'architetto Alberto Riva, con la collaborazione di Fred Drugman nel 1960, conserva il fascino di quegli anni, anche se è stata recentemente oggetto di una sapiente ristrutturazione firmata dall'architetto Jean-Claude Lissusse. Un curatissimo giardino di 3.742 metri quadrati circonda la villa e ospita una piscina con acque di mare, un patio interno, un'area wellness, posto barca, molo, solarium e spiaggia privata. **Immobilisarda**, telefono 02/76009446; immobilisarda.com

tro, con i pavimenti in antiche chianche locali e i soffitti a volta di botte, dove il bianco accecante del sole del Sud trova riposo nella contrapposizione di antiche pareti in pietra e pochi e minimi arredi caratterizzati da piccole macchie di colore, nei vetri, nei tessuti e nei materiali. Per chi ama la **contemplazione della campagna** con le sue socialità che cambiano a seconda delle stagioni, ideali sono le proposte in Umbria e Toscana. Il casale di **Città della Pieve** ha il fascino del buon ritiro bucolico. All'esterno, le pareti in mattoni, il pergolato di vite sotto cui pranzare all'aperto, le rose



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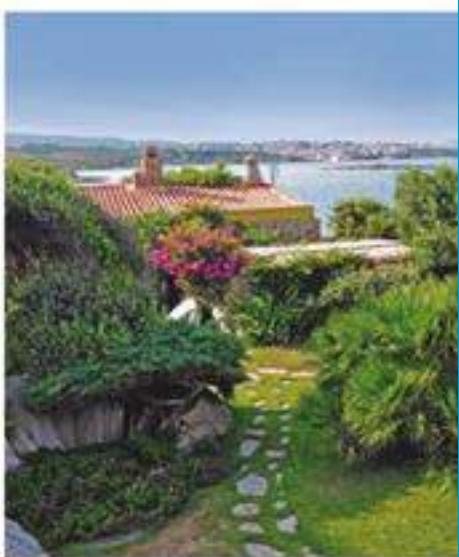
**S**INCE ITS DEVELOPMENT BY AGA KHAN IV IN THE EARLY 1960S, SARDINIA HAS BEEN the refuge of choice for glitterati around the world. The mystique of this exclusive island, located roughly 120 miles (193 km) west of mainland Italy, is readily apparent in the dramatic coastline and crystalline waters of the Mediterranean Sea. Combine that with the awe-inspiring megayachts along the Marina di Porto Cervo, the numerous world-class resorts and the esteemed Pevero Golf Club, and it has all the fixings for today's most glamorous lifestyles.

Yet despite all of that, Sardinia has maintained an Old World appeal, thanks to the traditional architecture that remains prevalent, as well as the environmental preservation of nearly 25% of the island. This striking juxtaposition of modern splendor and untouched beauty epitomizes the essence of Sardinia, and best explains why high society continues to frequent the pristine Mediterranean getaway.



LEFT: Centered around a sheltered courtyard, the villa affords a quintessential Mediterranean lifestyle.

BETWEEN: Native Sardinian plantings surround the property, providing privacy and natural appeal.



There is no finer embodiment of this dichotomy than Villa Solenzana, a flawless waterfront estate originally constructed in the 1960s on a private peninsula in the northwest hamlet of Stintino. It's a postcard-like setting, with a craggy shoreline surrounded by azure water and views stretching to the island of Asinara in the distance.

For the past year, the property has been available to rent as an ultra-high-end getaway with five en suite bedrooms, professional grade kitchen and even a music hall, but it wasn't always this way. When the current owner purchased Villa Solenzana in the 1990s, it had fallen into complete disrepair. Determined to salvage such a unique and special setting, she contacted well-known local architect Jean Claude Lesuisse.

## PROPERTY FEATURE



Over a two year period, the two worked closely to recreate the property as a world-class retreat with all of the modern essentials, without compromising the timeless elegance that makes life on the island so desirable. Inside, Villa Solenzana is simple and understated, almost minimalist, with gently sloping white walls in the local fashion, accented by Venetian tiles, distressed elm and handcrafted materials collected from around the world.

At the heart of the home is a spacious, covered courtyard with fountains and flower beds, connecting the various living spaces; waking hours on Sardinia, after all, are meant to be spent outdoors. Villa Solenzana's greatest feature, though, is unquestionably the expansive stonework along the waterfront, complete with a boat dock, swimming pier, sundeck and changing room. The perfect place to spend a leisure day of sunshine, such a project would be impossible to build today, due to local conservation laws.

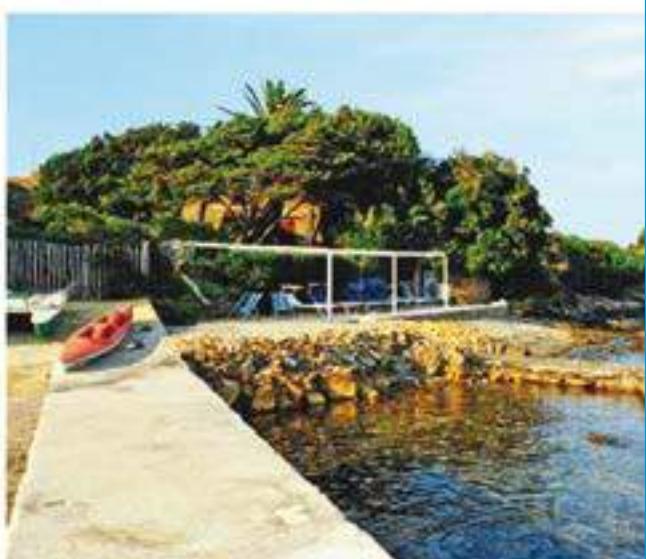
Nearby, one will find a covered veranda with a fully equipped summer kitchen – refrigerator, pizza oven, and barbecue station – and mesmerizing sea views, a setting that has hosted many an al fresco dinner late into the evening.

FOR MORE INFORMATION ON THIS WATERFRONT ESTATE, visit [luxuryportfolio.com](http://luxuryportfolio.com) and search Web ID: VNTV88

**TOP:** The sparkling waterside swimming pool was constructed with wooden walkways and local stone.

**MIDDLE:** Just slightly removed from the main villa, a covered veranda offers refined outdoor living space with unbeatable views.

**BOTTOM:** The extensive waterfront is conveniently located steps from the main villa, and delivers a total hideaway from the outside world.





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Since the 1970s, Porto Cervo has been a destination for Europe's jet set. Today, the luxury enclave on Sardinia's Emerald Coast is drawing investors from further afield.

从1970年代起，切尔沃港便成为欧洲富豪的旅游目的地。如今，位于意大利南部撒丁岛海岸的豪宅更吸引着众多海外的投资者。

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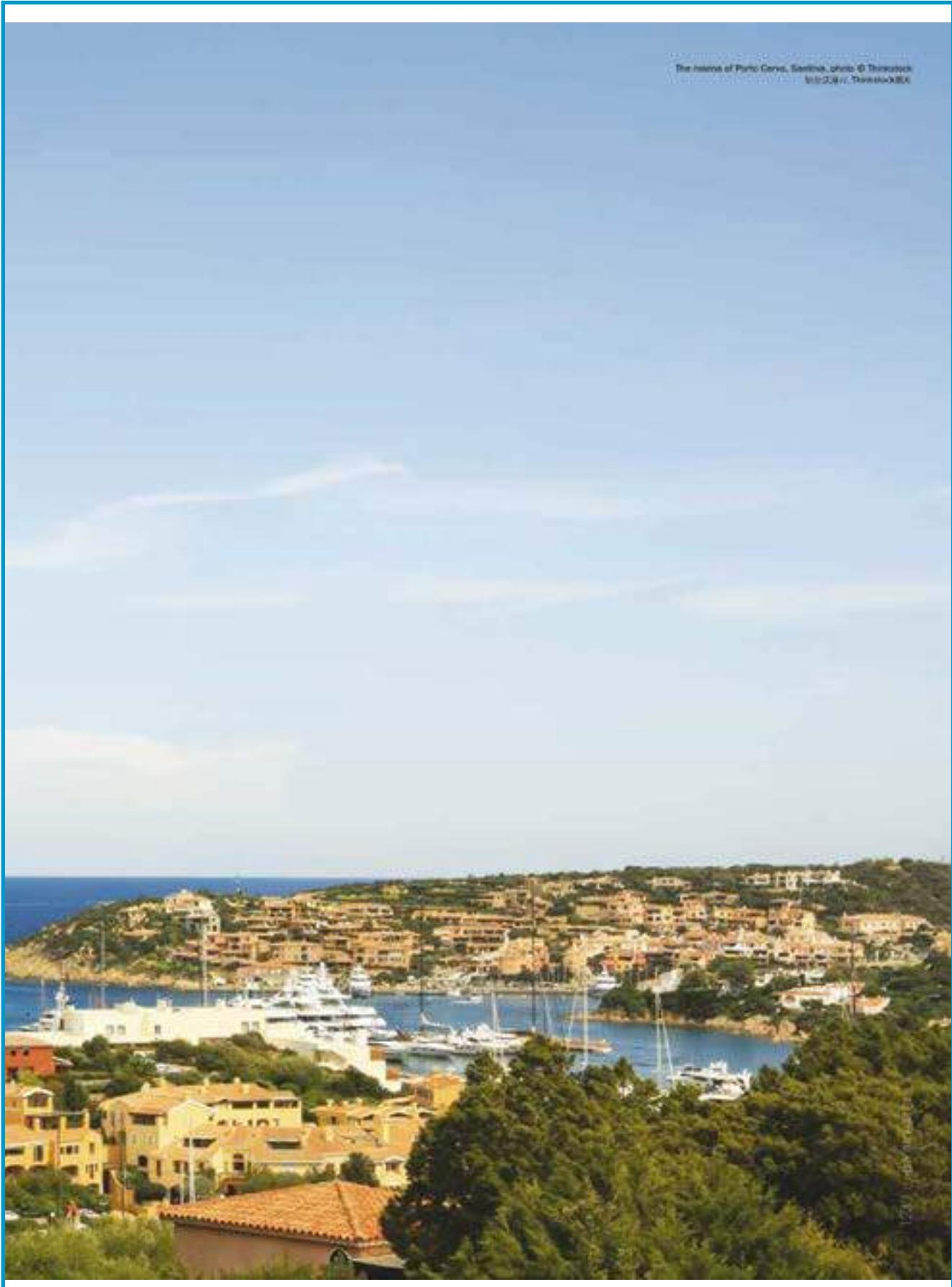


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**T**here's a reason the north east coast of Sardinia is referred to as Costa Smeralda – the Emerald Coast. The colour of the water shimmers blue, green and turquoise. From the airplane it looks like spilled paint, almost opaque. Then, driving in from Olbia the sea shimmers into view along the rugged coastline, the sun dazzling off its bright green surface.

An autonomous region of Italy, Sardinia is the Mediterranean's second largest island. To the east, it is separated from the Italian mainland by the Tyrrhenian Sea; to the north from the French island Corsica by the Strait of Bonifacio. Home to roughly 1.64 million inhabitants, the island is one of Italy's least populated regions. Largely free of big industry and corporate farming, its bucolic landscape is dotted with vineyards, olive groves and sheep.

Inland, the narrow lanes of historic villages like Nuoro and Galtellì are lined with stone houses and rustic churches. Slabs of blue sky float between the buildings and the surrounding hills are never far from view. On the southern coast, Cagliari, the island's capital city is the commercial centre. In Sardinian, the name for Cagliari – Casteddu – literally means castle, and today's city is known for its Art Nouveau architecture, elaborate monuments and steep city walls overlooking the harbour. Underneath the modern city, archaeological evidence suggests human settlements stretching back five thousand years, as far as the Neolithic period.

The layers of history in Sardinia are as diverse and multifaceted as the geographical wonders that abound and continue underground, with pre-historic ruins and vast coastal caves that open up like underground cathedrals. And yet, despite its many cultural and natural wonders, Sardinia has remained mysterious in ways that other Mediterranean jewels, like Sicily and the French Riviera, have not. That is, with the exception of Porto Cervo.

Located on the island's "Emerald Coast," the village of Porto Cervo has drawn Europe's elite since the 1970s. The village was the brainchild

of the British business magnate and imam Aga Khan who first drew up the blueprint for the Costa Smeralda in 1962 with the goal of conserving a corner of the idyllic island and creating a marina at its heart. Khan, along with various other investors, commissioned architects and landscape designers such as Jacques Cointe, Luigi Vietti and Michele Businello to create Moorish-style architecture that maintained continuity with the carefully preserved 54-mile stretch of crystal waters, which offered residents an unparalleled level of privacy.

The area and its pristine beaches, exclusive yacht club and luxurious seaside villas quickly became a popular upper-crust hideaway, drawing celebrated visitors, among them King Juan Carlos of Spain, Catherine Deneuve and Brigitte Bardot. Decades later the Emerald Coast remains Italy's flashiest summer getaway. Today, driving to the Polo Gold Cup or Porsche Parade, you might cross paths with Russian oligarch Roman Abramovich or the Italian political and media titan Silvio Berlusconi, both of whom own estates nearby.

Strict building regulations have ensured that villas in Porto Cervo and along the Emerald Coast continue to offer maximum privacy. The Consortium, of which every homeowner in Porto Cervo becomes a member and which oversees security and maintenance, has restricted development to low-rise, low-density villas and apartments, most of which are secluded from view by pine trees.

Today the village of Porto Cervo, which is located on the southern and eastern shore of the natural port, features a plethora of luxury boutiques, bars and restaurants. The other shores of the bay boast the old and the new marina – the exclusive Yacht Club Costa Smeralda, nearby are a handful of famous beaches including Romazzino, La Celvia, Pevero Bay and Cala di Volpe, all characterised by white sand and crystal clear emerald water. There is also the famous Pevero Golf Course, and along the coast, a handful of luxury villas with incredible village and ocean views.

With a reputation for privacy and exclusivity and limited supply, the real

Left page: "Pieds Dans L'eau" Villa, Porto Cervo, listed with Miles Sotheby's International Real Estate. Price on request.  
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Right page: Villa in Pevero Park, Pevero Golf, Sardinia, listed with Christie's International Real Estate for 10,850,000 euros.  
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丁马东北海岸称为科斯提·斯梅拉尔达，即绿宝石海岸，这需要言之有据，这里的海水是那样的碧蓝与洁净，从飞机上俯瞰下来，它就像纯净的仙池。几乎是不透明的，然后，从撒尔比亚进入时，可以感觉到大海沿着崎岖的海岸线扑入眼帘，阳光在明亮湛蓝的海面上泛起片片粼光。

撒丁岛是意大利的自治区，系地中海上的第二大岛，在东侧，伊特鲁里亚海岸将它与意大利大陆分隔，在北部，锡尼沐海岸将其与法国的利西嘉岛分隔，该岛上大约有164万居民，是意大利人口最少的岛屿，并且，大体上没有大型工业与企业化经营农场，在其传统式风车中，点缀着葡萄园、橄榄树丛和灌木。

该岛内，具有历史意义的村庄有诺罗和盖尔蒂利，美丽分布着条条小巷，两旁是石屋和乡村教堂，建筑与之间的天空飘浮着片片蓝色的天空，周围是起伏的群山，在南部海岸是卡利亚里市，既是岛上的都城，也是商业中心，在撒丁海岸，卡利亚里被称为“Casteddu”，意指城堡，如今，该市以其新艺术建筑、精心制作的纪念桥以及可以俯瞰海港的陡峭城墙而远近闻名，从这个现代化城市地下发掘出来的考古学证据显示：早在五千年前，直至新石器时代，这里便有人类居住。

撒丁岛历史丰富多彩，其地下蕴藏着丰富的遗迹，包括史前遗迹以及巨大的海岸洞穴，切尔沃港的村庄坐落于该岛上的“绿宝石海岸”，自从1970年代便开始吸引欧洲的名流纷至沓来，该村落乃是英国商业巨子与阿贾阿道汗的得意之作，始于1962年便为科斯提·斯梅拉尔达绘制发展蓝图，旨在为这个幽静恬居的岛屿保留一个原生态小角，并为自己创造一个心理上的港湾。

本地区及其原始海湾，独一无二的游艇俱乐部以及豪华海边别墅迅速成为深受富豪们追捧的上流社会“乐园”，吸引着众多名流访客，包括西班牙的胡安·卡洛斯一世、凯瑟琳·德纳芙和碧姬·芭杜，历经数个世纪的沉寂，绿宝石海岸作为意大利最著名的旅游圣地的地位依然屹立不倒，今天，当你前往马球金牌赛或保时捷巡游时，有机会与俄罗斯寡头大亨罗曼·阿布拉莫维奇或意大利政治家特雷什托西尔维奥·贝卢斯科尼擦身而过，他们在此地均拥有宅邸。

严格的建筑条例确保位于切尔沃港以及沿着绿宝石海岸而建造的别墅继续为业主提供尊贵的私密，每个房屋业主均为财团的会员，由财团负责安全与保养，对于低层、低密度别墅与公寓的开发均设立严格的限制，大多数物业周边都种上松树，自成一体。



如今，切尔沃港位于自然海岸南部与东部的村庄拥有令人眼花缭乱的奢华精品店、酒吧和餐馆，海湾的其他海岸拥有古老而质朴的小型渔船码头——独一无二的科斯塔·斯梅拉尔达游艇俱乐部。

位于绿宝石海岸的房地产市场以其私密性、独特性和稀缺性而闻名，与欧洲其他知名的众多度假村相比，它在经济风暴中更能驾驭大局，反之当然，正是来自不同区域的国际买家意旨的不断增长，对于豪华物业的需求也因而迅速飙升，据Costa Smeralda Immobiliarda公司的销售经理朱莉娅·捷莱和透露，这些买家包括来自俄罗斯、拉丁美洲和中国的投资者，该公司属于接手得国际地产公司的关联企业。



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正是来自不同区域的国际买家数目的不断增长，对于豪华物业的需求也因而迅速放大。



estate market on the Emerald Coast has ridden the economic storm better than many of Europe's other luxury second-home locations. Demand is driven by an increasingly diverse set of international buyers, including investors from Russia, Latin America and the Middle East, says Julia Bracco, Sales Manager at Costa Smeralda Immobiliare, an affiliate of Christie's International Real Estate.

"Costa Smeralda has become a favourite destination amongst international High Net Worth Individuals. They are drawn to the clear turquoise seas, the Yacht Club Marine catering to megayachts, golf clubs, and array of sensational restaurants and shops," she says. Sardinia is also easily accessed from around Europe, Bracco adds. The island is located about a two hours from major European cities and in addition, the Olbia Airport features a dedicated private jet area to guarantee year-round connections to major hubs.

Between 2004 and 2006, rising demand and restricted supply led property prices to climb 50 per cent before peaking in 2007/2008 when the average price of a four-bedroom waterfront villa reached US\$23.8 million. Although sales activity cooled in response to the global financial crisis, prices held relatively firm between 2008 and 2010. Since then, applicant numbers and enquiries have increased, although they have yet to recover to pre-recession levels.

"The sales deals have slowed down," says Luca D'Angelo of Sotheby's International Realty in Milan. Nevertheless, he says, discerning buyers are still investing in premium waterfront villas. "Unique and unmatched properties are the dreams of many buyers who are willing to pay a lot of money - over US\$40 million. You cannot find them anywhere else."

D'Angelo compares the appeal to that of St. Tropez in France. "You have to be there to see the right people, the glamorous places. It's the place to be and it's very exclusive," he says. And yet, Porto Cervo manages to

hold fast. "科斯塔·斯梅拉达是深受国际高净值人士欢迎的目的地。这里面湛蓝的海洋，可供泊大型游艇的码头游艇俱乐部、高尔夫俱乐部以及大型风格餐馆和商店，让这些高端消费人士乐而忘返，" 布莱科还添了一句。从欧洲每个角落均可方便地前来撒丁岛，该免去主要欧洲城市的两个小时的路程，而且，奥尔比亚机场拥有专用私人飞机区域，确保一年四季均可与主要枢纽的交通保持顺畅。

在2004年至2006年期间，由于此地旺盛，供应有限，导致物业价格上涨了50%。在2007年至2008年期间更达到顶峰，其时，拥有四个新房的滨水别墅的平均价格高达2,300万美元。尽管在全球金融风暴期间市场冷却了一段时间，但在2008年至2010年期间价格仍相对保持坚挺。

“交易精英有所下降，”米兰苏富比国际地产的卢卡·安吉洛指出。精明的买家仍然愿意在高品质清水现房，拥有独特的资金是众多买家的梦想，他们不惜为此大手笔——超过4,000万美元。这种情形在其他地方难得一见。”

安吉洛认为此地物业的吸引力与法国的圣·特罗佩不相上下。“建议您找到那些会带给你迷人地方，这里才是您要找的地方，但显然十分昂贵。”他说道。然而，切尔西决心将其诱人的魅力与海滨的高品质融为一体，那就是，自豪制作的意大利面条、烤乳猪和质朴的意大利歌剧冰棍同样。

被誉为极具吸引力并令人梦寐以求的海滨豪华海边的滨水别墅，视乎其规模、位置与设施状况，这些物业通常都有五至七个卧室以及一些豪华特征。其价格可高达6,000万美元。那些建造在距离海水较近的物业也可能高出两到3,000万美元的高价，而沿着海岸建造的公寓售价则在250万至620万美元之间。

按照朱莉娅·布莱科的说法，欧洲人，特别是来自德国、斯堪的纳维亚和美国的买家主要将目光集中于房价为250万美元至620万美元程度的度假别墅。来自中东和南美的买家则对那些位于1,250万美元以上的海滨住宅、别墅和其他物业表示浓厚兴趣。

苏富比国际地产近日推出其独一无二的豪宅清单中的一个著名物业——位于切尔西的宏伟壮观的海景村，尚未透露价格。该物业建于1965年，附于



combine glamour with laid-back cool that is, like the homemade pasta and porceddu and refreshing gelati, uniquely Italian.

The most rare and coveted are waterfront villas with direct access to the beach. Depending on the size and location and finishes, these properties, often boasting five to seven bedrooms and a host of luxurious features, can range in price to upwards of US\$60 million. Those located close to but not on the water will sell for over US\$10 to US\$20 million, while apartments along the coast will range from around US\$2.5 to US\$6.2 million.

According to Julia Bracco, Europeans, in particular buyers from Germany, Scandinavia and the UK, focus primarily on vacation homes in the US\$2.5 to US\$6.2 million range, while buyers from the Middle East, Russia and South America are showing interest in the high-end, villas and estate in the US\$32.5 million plus range.

Sotheby's International Realty is currently marketing one of its most exclusive listings, the Majestic Waterfront Estate in Porto Cervo, for an undisclosed amount. The property was built in 1965 at the beginning of Costa Smeralda's development. In a style typical to the area, the villa is embedded in its natural setting and difficult to spot from the coastline, even though it is located on the sea with sweeping ocean and village views.

The 820 sq metre main house features a master suite and seven en-suite guest bedrooms, a fully equipped Boffi kitchen, a heated swimming pool and tennis court. There is also a guardian's house, garages, five service bedrooms, a small private beach and a private dock long enough for an 18-metre boat.

Due to building restrictions, new build projects are rare in Porto Cervo. However, one project that recently launched sales is the Piazza del Principe, a collection of penthouses and apartments with views of the Manna. The project is built in 'Costa Smeralda' style – architect Claude Lescure oversaw the construction – and features finishes made by local artisans, including handmade terracotta and wrought iron detailing. The

units range from 100 to 250 sq metres. There are also spacious outdoor living areas, verandas and terraces that overlook the sea. Pricing is given upon request.

As with most high-end second-home destinations, the majority of investors are buying into a lifestyle. But D'Angelo says the rental market is strong and profitable especially for long time homeowners. "On average demand for rentals is strong and especially when it comes to the very high end," he says. "Villas can be rented out in high season for crazy numbers – US\$1.2 million for the season."

In addition to Porto Cervo, areas popular among wealthy homeowners include nearby Porto Rotondo and Romazzino. But the luxury market remains restricted to a few coves on the island's northeast coast, an area decidedly separate from the rest of Sardinia. And with new supply heavily restricted, the natural environment fiercely protected, and demand strengthening from a growing pool of wealthy European, CIS and Russian purchasers, market analysts expect prices to remain stable.

"There is interesting potential in the international markets of Asia, India, and emerging countries looking for a unique environment, a tranquil Italian lifestyle and vivid culture amid stunning natural surroundings," says Julia Bracco. "The peculiarity of Sardinia is it is mixed with the authenticity of a laid-back Italian lifestyle and incomparable food and wine offerings."

D'Angelo of Sotheby's International Realty shares a positive outlook for the luxury market, but he also thinks more can be done to lure international buyers to the area. With increasing arrivals – including budget carriers, the area has opened up to a wider clientele, and cannot rest on its luxury brand name alone.

"There is a big margin for improvement in the way investors should carry their projects and better their services and amenities to cater to the demands of the international clientele," he says. So far the Emerald Coast has sustained its glamorous reputation, but glittering emerald waters will only take you so far. Today's international investors expect the best. ■■■

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“平均而言，租赁需求十分强劲，特别是当该需求到达顶峰之时。”他说，“在旺季时，别墅的出租价格令人惊愕，一个季节的租金竟高达120万美元！”



科斯塔·斯福拉尔达的开发之初，并且，谈到整群带本地区的典型风格，置身于自然怀抱之中，从海岸线上难以将其分辨出来。它位于海边，且拥有清澈的海洋与乡村景观。其820平方米的主建筑内有一个主人套房以及七个双人客房，一个设备齐全的Bath厨房，一个热水泳池以及一个38米长游泳码头。

由于建筑上的限制，阿尔瓦罗的新建筑项目甚为稀缺。然而，最近有一个项目将当销售，这便是王子广场——拥有码头监视的公寓。该项目采用科斯塔·斯福拉尔达风格建造，建筑师克劳德·莫苏萨对建筑全程监督，采用当地工匠精心制作的瓷砖材料，包括手工制作的陶瓦和钢铁制作。这些住宅单元从200至250平方米不等。

在蔚蓝海岸的二手房方面，大多数投资者买入的其实是一种生活方式，誓言洛杉矶，和货市场十分强劲且利润可观，对于长期业主尤其如此。”平均而言，租赁需求十分强劲，特别是当该需求到达顶峰之时。”他说，“在旺季时，别墅的出租价格令人惊愕，可达120万美元。”

除了阿尔瓦罗之外，深为富豪业主青睐的地区包括邻近的蒙泰图·罗维多和罗马尼托，但是，豪宅市场的开发仍限于位于该岛东侧海岸的几个小海湾——与奥丁尼其他地区截然分开的区域。

“在国际市场上，包括亚洲、印度以及新兴国家的买家对新宅物业产生浓厚兴趣。他们都在寻找一个独特的环境，纯粹的意大利生活方式以及免于自然环境怀抱之中的清新的文化。”朱莉娅·斯黑利说道，“威尼斯的独特魅力在于它将休闲的意大利生活方式与令人陶醉的美食和美景结合得淋漓尽致。”

苏雷比国际地产的负责人对豪宅市场所持观点同样积极，但是，他认为需要更加努力地吸引国际买家前往该地区考察，随着越来越多交通线路的开通，包括廉价航空公司，该地区向更多的客户开放，而不是仅仅依靠其奢华品牌。

“这个过程还有很大的改善空间，投资者应推进其项目，改善服务与设施，以便满足国际客户的资源。”他说道，迄今为止，珠宝石海岸保持着无瑕的纪录，今天乃至将来的国际投资者将会越来越好。





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