

35.BI-MU: 7 Months To The Opening Of The Event Hyper-Depreciation Will Be A Great Booster For The Trade Show And Its Exhibitors

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Among The New Features In This Edition: Forums On Aerospace & Defence And Energy Bi-Mu Futuretech Awards

Scheduled to take place at Ferrarilane Rho October 13 to 15, 2026, seven months before starting, 35.BI-MU is in full swing with its organizational activities, at a time when the government authorities are preparing to present the implementing decree for Hyper-Depreciation, the measure that will be great booster for the Italian market of production machinery and technologies from now until 2028.

The three-year duration of the incentive will provide a significant stimulus to domestic demand – which, so far, has remained on standby – thus offering BI-MU exhibitors a really unique opportunity to identify users' needs and take advantage of their willingness to invest in new systems.

The collection of applications to exhibit at the trade show continues apace, including new confirmations and returns of key players among exhibitors. The staff is also involved in defining all the initiatives that will accompany the event, which is changing its position in the weekly calendar. **For the first time, BI-MU will open on Tuesday and close on Friday**, taking place over four days, all of which will be working days, as in the case of most events that are exclusively B2B.

Promoted by UCI-MU and organized by EFIM – ENTE FIERE ITALIANE MACCHINE, 35.BI-MU has chosen Where it all begins as its slogan for its 35th edition, emphasizing, on one hand, the central role of machine tools, which enable most manufacturing processes and are the main focus of the exhibition. On the other hand, the slogan also highlights the long-standing and enduring tradition of this event. Indeed, 35 editions mean 75 years of uninterrupted organizational activity.

At 35.BI-MU, in addition to machines, BI-MU will give particular visibility to 7 technological themes. **RobotHeart** will be dedicated to robotics, automation, components, systems and artificial intelligence, sponsored by SRI (Italian Robotics and Automation Association). **AMTALY** will be focused on the entire additive manufacturing supply chain, sponsored by AITA (Italian Association of Additive Technologies). **BI-MU Digital** will show digital solutions for the smart factory, with advanced software, technologies for connectivity and data security, sensors and self-adaptive systems. **Metrology and Testing** will spotlight measuring instruments, testing machines, machine vision. **PowerMachines** will host components for mechanical, electrical and pneumatic power transmission, sponsored by FEDERTEC (Association of the Italian Production Chain of Mechatronic Technologies and Components for Fluid Power). **Heat and Surface Treatments** will be focused on parts and systems for improving the performance of materials. A new theme in this edition will be **Tool Tech**, centred on advanced tools for efficient, high-precision production.

An overview of **Revamping & Refurbishing** will complete the product offerings, showcasing a selection of machines and systems, which have been properly refurbished and upgraded to meet the needs of the second-life market, complementary to that of new equipment.

As per tradition, the exhibition will also host the **BI-MUpiù** arena, with a full programme of in-depth cultural, thematic meetings offered by the organisers, exhibitors and experts from the world of industry.

Special focuses will be dedicated to some of the most dynamic user sectors in terms of investments and innovation development, such as **Aerospace & Defence** and **Energy**, hosted in the arena on 14 and 15 October. With these forums, each lasting 30 minutes, BI-MU broadens its horizons, offering operators attending the trade show a detailed analysis of the most interesting

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business opportunities for exhibitors, through the voices of some of the leading figures in these sectors.

For young people, the Education & Job project has been continued, with **ROBOTICS AWARDS** as its flagship event. This is the automation and robotics contest for high-school students, launching in its second edition.

A new initiative for this edition is **BI-MU FUTURTECH AWARDS**, an award celebrating the most innovative solutions in manufacturing featured at the exhibition. The contest is open to the exhibitors at 35.BI-MU, who can compete in three categories: mechanical innovation, digitalisation, sustainability. The initiative highlights the value of the trade show to operators as an event capable of documenting and anticipating the technological advances in the world of industrial production.

Moreover, the programme of events leading up to the exhibition continues. The next two events are: on Wednesday, 22 April, at the UCIMU SISTEMA PER PRODURRE headquarters, "Industrial Service Robots and Humanoids: an Increasingly Blurred Line", organised by IRI, in cooperation with 35.BI-MU and FONDAZIONE UCIMUCOMU FOUNDATION; on Thursday, 18 June, the "Innovative Robotics Forum", at Klomato's House in Bergamo, sponsored by 35.BI-MU and organised by Tecnologie Meccaniche and Tecnolavori, with the support of UCIMU SISTEMA PER PRODURRE. The meeting is focused on the new developments in process robotics and its applications. Further events dedicated to other key sectors of the trade show are being planned for the coming months.

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