

ROYAL PALACES (SIRACUSA EDITION).

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Let's start with The Palace of the Royal Council.

Near Consiglio Reginale Road, you can see a Palace, named "Camera del Consiglio Reginale" where the Queen lived, wife of the king of Aragona (the family that ruled Sicily); some stories say that this Palace was the first "politic palace" made for a woman (in this case for Italy).

Of this palace of the the 300's (that got broken by the earthquake in 1693 and built a second time) remains only the gothic entrance and an arch with an image in the center of "Saint Michael Angel". The rest of the Palace has some simple balconies e some curved doors.



This is Saint Michael Angel.

Montalto Palace.

In the fourth century, the palace was given to Filippo Montalto from Aragona's Queen. In 1837 the Palace became a hospital for a short period of time and in 1854 the " Daughters of the charity".

The Palace has a gothic style, on the frontal part you can see a "trifora", a "bifora" and a "monofora".

- The arches of the "trifora" are decorated with floral decorations, but the "bifora" offers a carving in baton brise.



Here you can see the different windows.

You can find the Palace in Ortigia, in the neighborhood of “Spirduta”, at the left of Archimede Square.

The building was built in 1397 under the command of Maciotta Mergulese, this is what the writing in latin says.

Lanza Palace.

The Lanza Palace is the oldest building still standing in Piazza Archimede, it was built in the late 1300. The Palace has beautiful sculptural decorations.

The lower parts of the building are home to businesses; the top ones are abandoned.



Here's the Lanza Palace.

And now... BELLOMO PALACE!

The Museum of Bellomo Palace it's in Ortigia historic centre of Siracusa. It was inaugurated in 1948 but only in the seventies at the completion of the permanent exhibition, it was REALLY inaugurated.

A photograph of a courtyard in a palace. The courtyard is paved with light-colored stone tiles. In the center, there is a large, mature palm tree with a dark trunk and green fronds. To the right, there is a stone fountain with a decorative, arched structure. The background shows a white building with a balcony and a small arched window. The overall scene is bright and sunny.

**Here's the courtyard of the
Palace.**

Hope you enjoyed!

SEE YOU SOON!