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Cerimónia de Abertura
Opening Ceremony

大三巴牌坊
Ruínas de S. Paulo
Ruins of St. Paul's



18:30

回歸慶典
Celebração da Transferência
Handover Celebration

西灣湖廣場
Praça do Lago Sai Van
Sai Van Lake Square



2018
澳門國際
MACAO
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INTERNATIONAL
大巡遊
PARADE



Celebração do 19.º Aniversário
da Transferência da Administração
de Macau para a China

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回歸祖國十九周年

Celebration of the
19th Anniversary of Macao's
Handover to China

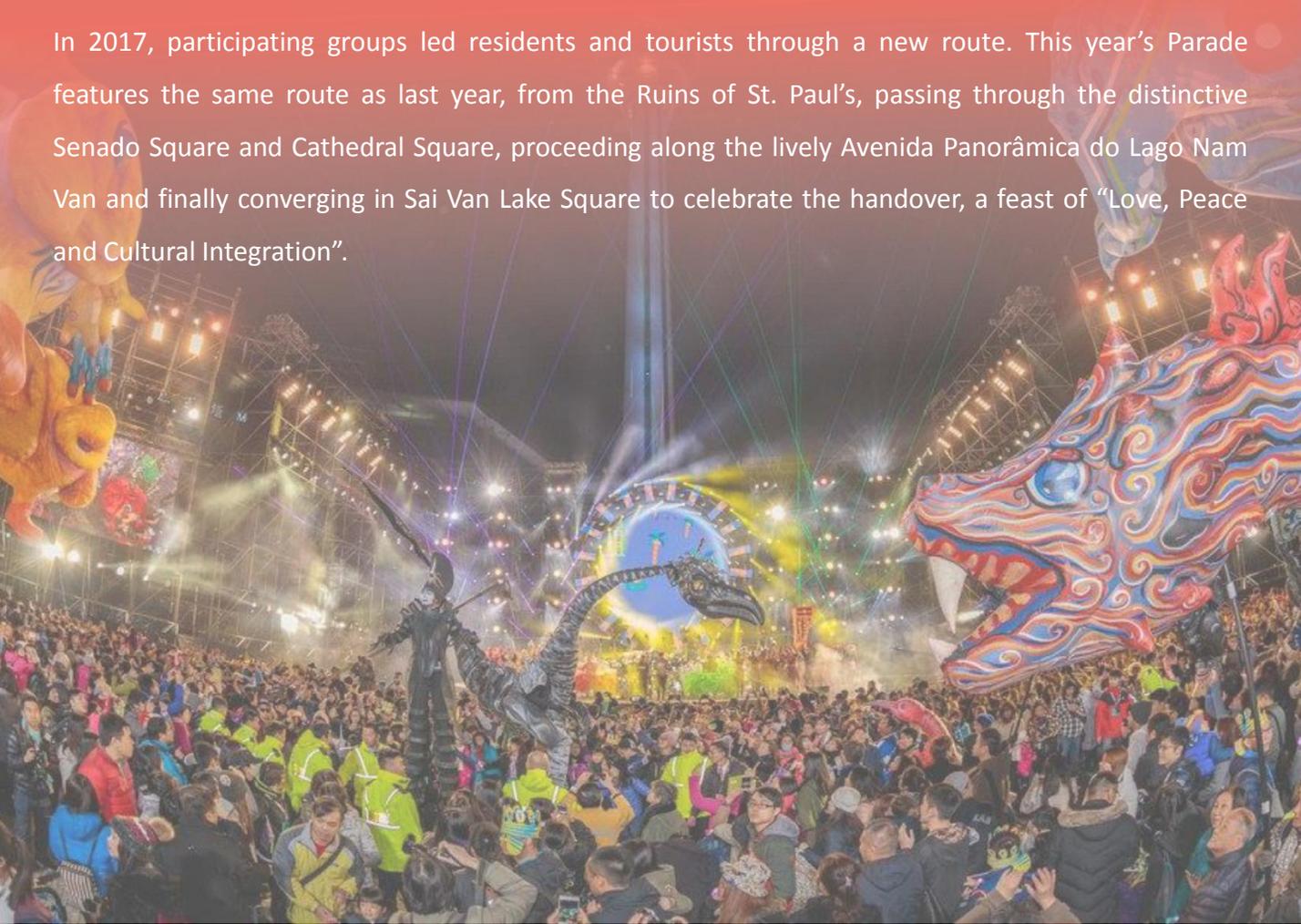


Introduction

The “Macao International Parade” is an annual artistic event, organized by the Cultural Affairs Bureau and co-organized by various governmental departments and entities and supported by civic entities. The “Parade through Macau, Latin City” was held for the first time in 2011 and has become one of the city’s annual events celebrating Macao’s handover to China, as well as an important cultural brand of the city. In 2017, the “Parade through Macau, Latin City” was renamed “Macao International Parade”, hoping that the event will move towards internationalization, demonstrating the unique charm of Macao.

The Parade invites performing groups from all over the world to join hands with local talents, showcasing Macao’s unique cultural characteristics and its ambience of cultural integration, as well as promoting cultural and artistic interaction and exchange. The Parade brings joy and merriment to the celebration of Macao’s handover, while offering an excellent opportunity to promote the city’s unique cultural features abroad.

In 2017, participating groups led residents and tourists through a new route. This year’s Parade features the same route as last year, from the Ruins of St. Paul’s, passing through the distinctive Senado Square and Cathedral Square, proceeding along the lively Avenida Panorâmica do Lago Nam Van and finally converging in Sai Van Lake Square to celebrate the handover, a feast of “Love, Peace and Cultural Integration”.





Parade Route

The Parade kicks off on Sunday, 16 December, at 3pm, at the Ruins of St. Paul's, passing through Rua de S. Paulo, Largo de S. Domingos, Senado Square, Travessa do Roquete, Cathedral Square, Avenida da Praia Grande, Avenida Panorâmica do Lago Nam Van and Avenida Doutor Stanley Ho, finally arriving at Sai Van Lake Square, at 6:30pm, to celebrate the handover.

Outreach Activities

In order to extend the Parade to the community, this year the outreach activities include lively small-scale performances by local and foreign artistic groups at the locations below, allowing the public to have a preview of the Parade's cheerful atmosphere!

Outreach Performances

Art Promotion Mini Parade

2018/12/1 & 2	15:00-16:00	Ruins of St. Paul's	Numerous local art troupes, ready to spend an excitement-packed weekend with you, gather at the foot of the Ruins of St. Paul's to warm up for the Parade, where nearby, they will present a series of Chinese and Western music and dance performances.
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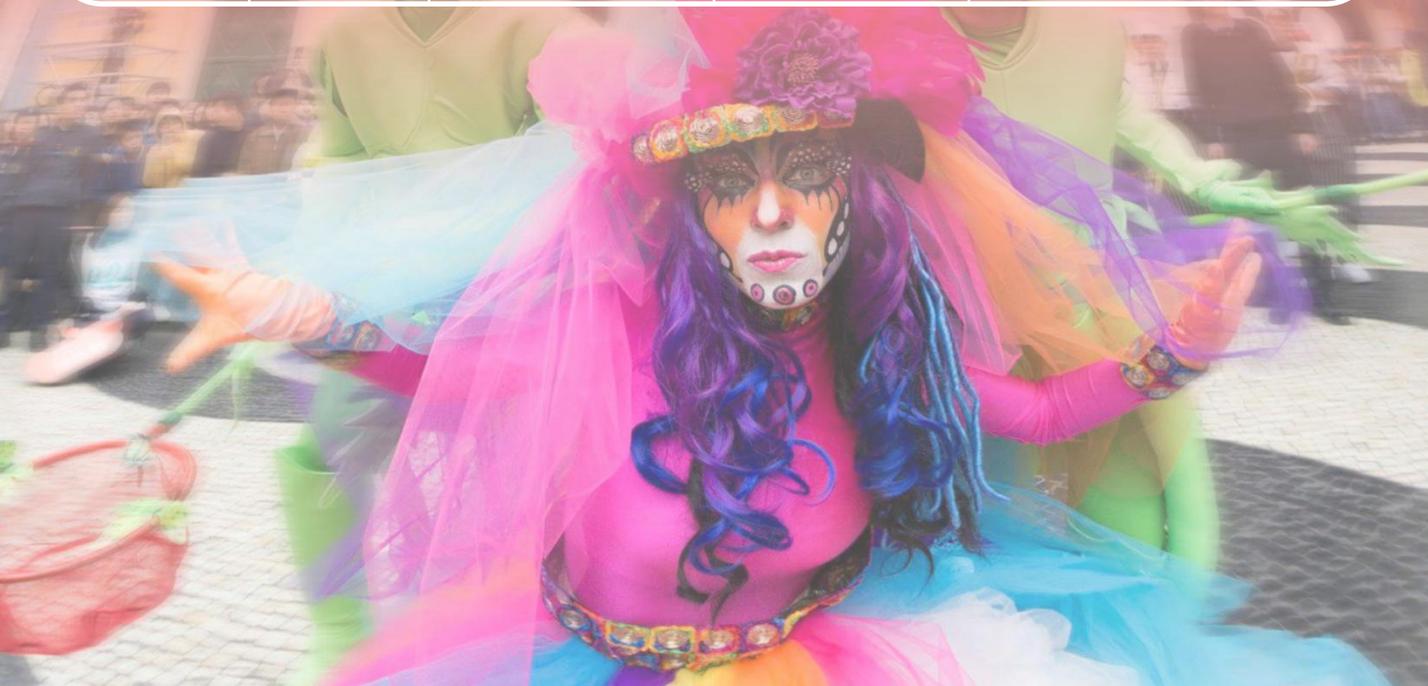
2018/12/8	15:00-16:00	Mount Fortress Garden	Environmental Theatre "Take a Breath"	Artistic Intervention Projects (PIA) (Portugal) and Macao students
2018/12/9	12:00-13:00	Feira do Carmo	Sanfonástica	Livia Mattos Circus Show (Brazil)
	16:00-17:00	Ruins of St. Paul's	Walk with Livia in Music	
2018/12/12	12:30-16:30	Walk through Ruins of St. Paul's, Senado Square and Jorge Álvares Square	Encounter with Living Statues	Living Statue Artists - JOHNman (Germany), Frans Vogels (Netherlands) and Ayelén Molina (Argentina)
2018/12/13	12:30-16:30	Feira do Carmo	Encounter with Living Statues	Living Statue Artists - JOHNman (Germany), Frans Vogels (Netherlands) and Ayelén Molina (Argentina)
	17:30-18:00	Rotunda de Carlos da Maia	The Sister Okdan from Mokpo	Theatre Troupe Getdol (South Korea)
	20:00-21:00	Iao Hon Garden	Fantasy Night of Music and Dance	Art Groups from Brazil, Colombia, Guinea-Bissau, Mozambique and Guizhou, China



Outreach Performances



2018/12/14	12:30-16:30	Rotunda de Carlos da Maia	Encounter with Living Statues	Living Statue Artists - JOHNman (Germany), Frans Vogels (Netherlands) and Ayelén Molina (Argentina)
	12:30-13:30	From Ruins of St. Paul's to Jorge Álvares Square	Dance! Dance! The Cheerful Sister Okdan	Theatre Troupe Getdol (South Korea)
	12:30-14:30	Jorge Álvares Square	Lunch with Clowns	Livia Mattos Circus Show (Brasil), Crazy Clowns (Espanha), Russian Circus (Rússia)
	17:00-18:00	Largo de S. Domingos	City Art Surprise	Art Groups from Brazil, Spain, Russia, Italy, Guangdong and Guizhou, China
	21:00-21:30	Largo do Pagode da Barra	A Fantasy Dream of White Horse	White Horse (France)
2018/12/15	12:30-16:30	Senado Square, Anim'Arte NAM VAN	Encounter with Living Statues	Living Statue Artists - JOHNman (Germany), Frans Vogels (Netherlands) and Ayelén Molina (Argentina)
	14:00-15:00	Anim'Arte NAM VAN	The Power of Drums	Batucada Aainjaa (Colombia) and Ryukyukoku Matsuri Daiko (Japan)
	15:30-16:30	Camões Garden	The Merry Sister Okdan	Theatre Troupe Getdol (South Korea)





Campus Activities

2018/12/5	Street Perspectives Artistic Approaches in Public Spaces	Apart from watching it in a theatre, a performance can also be enjoyed in a park, in a public square or in a coffee shop. But in what way should we appreciate a performance to get the best out of it? Taking their previous street performances as examples, Artistic Intervention Projects (PIA) will teach you their secret methods, opening your eyes to the limitless possibilities of street art.	Artistic Intervention Projects (PIA) (Portugal)
2018/12/11-12	Circus Encounter	Have you ever dreamt about becoming part of a circus? Lívia Mattos from Brazil will take you into the circus tent by sharing with you her creative music and body movements.	Lívia Mattos Circus Show (Brazil)
2018/12/13-14	Doki doki Okinawa	One of the traditional performing arts of Okinawa, the beating of Taiko drums is said to have originated as a way of sending ancestral spirits, who had returned to the earthly world for the Obon Festival, back to the Underworld by dancing together to the chomping sounds of Taiko drums. The dancers are closely connected to each other with impressive choreography and the heroic sounds of the drums. Apart from performing in this year's parade, Ryukyukoku Matsuri Daiko from Japan will be invited to demonstrate Taiko drum-beating in local schools, sharing unique Okinawan music and traditions. Students will have the opportunity to be selected to try out the drums. An event not to be missed!	Ryukyukoku Matsuri Daiko (Japan)

Workshops

2018/11/22、23、26、28 19:30-22:00 Old Court Building	Paper Limitless	What can you make out of paper? With a piece of paper, a box cutter, a can of glue and a paper box, you can make a paper slab as hard as wood, masks moulded to any shape you want, or a variety of props!	Artistic Intervention Projects (PIA) (Portugal)
2018/12/10、11 20:00-21:30 Old Court Building	Circus Tricks	Have you ever dreamt about becoming part of a circus? Lívia Mattos from Brazil is going to teach you her circus tricks and give you secret tips on composing music!	Lívia Mattos Circus Show (Brazil)

* Registration for the workshops must be made in advance.



Parade Programme

Opening Ceremony— Unveil the secret order | Ruins of St. Paul's, 3pm

VIVA and the elite artists are ready to depart in search of magical powers!

Handover Celebration | Sai Van Lake Square 6:30pm

VIVA distributes magical powers and makes Sai Van Lake Square shine! The protagonists of the legends and groups from all over the world perform one after the other, presenting fascinating circus performances and folk customs, exciting drum sounds and romantic dream dances...Come feel the joy of this performance!





Previous Editions

2018

VIVA receives the secret order and leads the audience to China and Portuguese-speaking countries, gathering folklore and obtaining magical powers.

2017

VIVA leads the audience through the city's busy streets, revealing touching stories of Macao.

2016

The time gate opens and VIVA travels through time and visits the wonderful country of Shan Hai.

2015

VIVA leads the bravest citizens of Macao and abroad in the search of a hidden treasure following the clues indicated on a treasure map, crossing three mysterious areas of Macao in a fantastic adventure.

2014

The theme of the Parade is the encounter between VIVA and mysterious aliens, who visit several sites of the Historic Centre of Macao in search of ways to save the planet.

2013

Under the theme "The Rhythm of Life", four giant puppet guardians explore the fabulous journey of life on the big stage of the Parade.

2012

First edition of the Creative Image Campaign of the Mascot VIVA and collaboration with the international non-lucrative humanitarian organization ORBIS in a charity sale of paper models of the mascot VIVA.

2011

First edition of the Parade.





Information about live broadcast and TV broadcast

Live broadcast
16/12/2017 15:00 - 19:00

Iao Hon
Garden

Rotunda de
Carlos da
Maia

Rua de D.
Belchior
Carneiro

Garden of Flower
City, Rua de
Coimbra, Taipa

TV broadcast

2018 / 12 / 16
15:00 - 19:00

2018 / 12 / 14
2018 / 12 / 20

2018 / 12 / 22
22:30 – 23:00

TDM Chinese channel and
TDM HD (live broadcast)

"Scoop" (TVB)

Parade Special Programme
(TVB)





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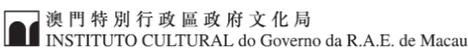
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