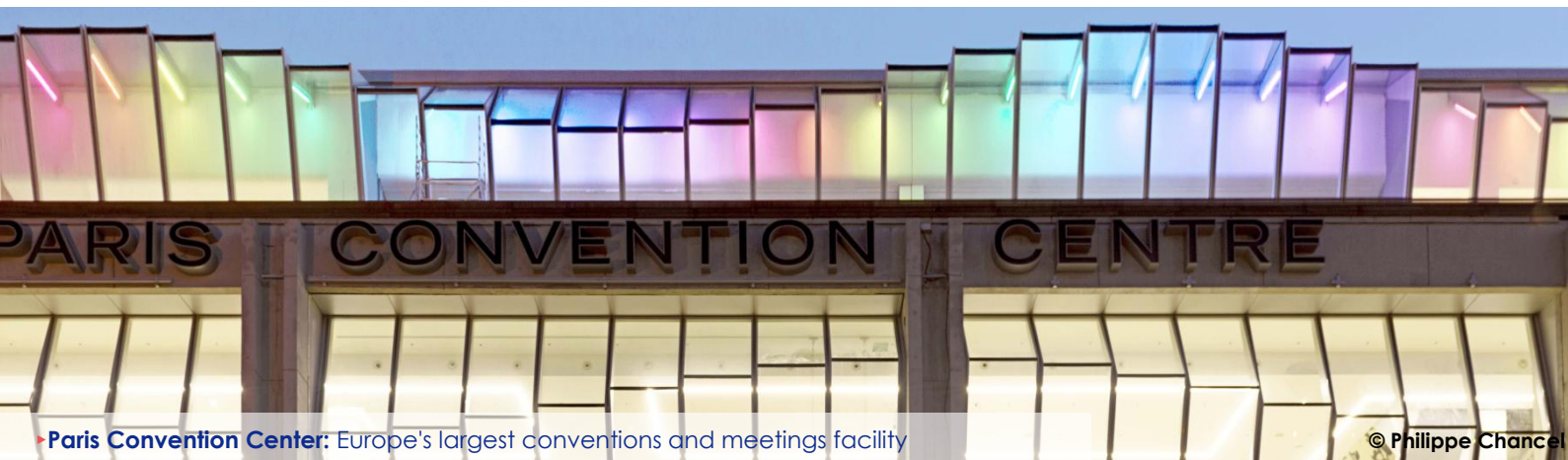


MAJOR EVENTS CALENDAR

FRANCE 2018



► **42nd edition of the prestigious Ryder Cup** golf competition, in Saint-Quentin-en-Yvelines (September 28-30, 2018)



► **Paris Convention Center:** Europe's largest conventions and meetings facility

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MAJOR EVENTS

- ▶ Toulouse: 2018 European City of Science, Occitanie
- ▶ 500th Anniversary of the Renaissance, Centre-Val de Loire (May to September)
- ▶ France Formula One Grand Prix, Le Castellet –Provence- Alpes -Cote d'Azur(June 21-24)
- ▶ Gay Games 2018, Paris Région (August 4-12)
- ▶ 42nd edition of the Ryder Cup, the prestigious golf tournament in Saint-Quentin-en-Yvelines, Paris Région (September 28-30)
- ▶ Dance Biennial in Lyon, Auvergne - Rhône-Alpes (September 14-30)
- ▶ 100th anniversary of the end of WWI (November)
- ▶ European Women's Handball Championship in Brest, Nancy, Nantes, Montbéliard and Paris (November 30 - December 4)










MAJOR EXHIBITIONS

- ▶ Leonardo da Vinci at Château du Clos Lucé in Amboise, Centre-Val de Loire (2018-2019)
- ▶ Napoleon, *Images of the Legend* at the Arras Museum of Fine Arts, Hauts-de-France (October 7, 2017 - November 4, 2018)
- ▶ Le Corbusier at the Soulages Museum in Rodez, Occitanie (December 16, 2017 - April 29, 2018)
- ▶ Dutch artists in Paris, 1789-1914, Petit Palais, Paris (February 6th – May 1st 2018)
- ▶ Eugène Delacroix at the Louvre in Paris, in collaboration with the New York MET (March 28 - July 23)
- ▶ Chagall – Malevich, Pompidou Center in Paris (March 28 - July 23)
- ▶ *The Empire of the Roses*, masterpieces of 19th-century Persian art at the Louvre-Lens, Hauts-de-France (March 28 to July 22)
- ▶ Gustav Klimt – an immersive digital exhibition- Atelier des lumières, Paris (April 13 to December 31)
- ▶ The Burrell Collection at the Cantini Museum in Marseille (May 17 - September 23)
- ▶ Picasso, *Donner à voir*, at the Fabre Museum in Montpellier, Occitanie (June 16 - September 23)
- ▶ Goscinny and the Cinema, at the Cité internationale de la bande dessinée et de l'image in Angoulême, Nouvelle-Aquitaine (June 19 - December 31)
- ▶ *Picasso-Méditerranée* at the Picasso Museum in Paris (2017-2019)
- ▶ Claude Monet at the Museum of the Sea and Navy in Bordeaux (June)
- ▶ Picasso's Blue and Rose periods at the Orsay Museum in Paris (September 18, 2018 - January 6, 2019)
- ▶ Color prints from Raphael to Rubens, at the Louvre in Paris (mid-October 2018 - mid-January 2019)
- ▶ Miró, *The color of my dreams*, at the Grand Palais in Paris (October 2018 - January 2019)

GRAND OPENINGS


- ▶ Opening of the Rennes Convention Center in heritage site: Le Couvent des Jacobins, Brittany (January)
- ▶ Opening of the Lafayette Anticipations Corporate Foundation in Paris (March)
- ▶ Re-opening of the Longchamp Racetrack as *ParisLongchamp*, Paris Région (April 8)
- ▶ Opening of l'Atelier des Lumières, a digital arts center in Paris (April 13)
- ▶ Opening of the new Roman History Museum in Nîmes, Occitanie (June 2)
- ▶ Opening of the new Museum of the Sea and Navy in Bordeaux, Nouvelle-Aquitaine (June)
- ▶ Re-opening Nausicaa, one of the world's largest aquariums in Boulogne-sur-Mer, Hauts-de-France (July)
- ▶ Partial opening of the Martell Foundation in Cognac (main floor and roof terrace), Nouvelle-Aquitaine (Summer)
- ▶ Opening of the Cité de l'économie in the former Gaillard Hotel in Paris (end of 2018)
- ▶ Opening of the new Samaritaine and Cheval Blanc Hotel by the LVMH Group in Paris (end of 2018)

JANUARY

	1/1 - 4/29 ▶ Le Corbusier exhibit, Soulagès Museum, Rodez Find out more - OCCITANIE
	1/1 - 4/11 ▶ <i>Napoleon: Images of the Legend</i> , Museum of Fine Arts, Arras Find out more HAUTS-DE-FRANCE
	1/1 - 2019 ▶ Leonardo da Vinci, Château du Clos Lucé, Amboise Find out more CENTRE-VAL DE LOIRE
	11 ▶ Shopping: Winter Sales Find out more - FRANCE
	13-24 ▶ International sled dog race, La Grande Odyssee Savoie, Mont-Blanc Find out more AUVERGNE – RHONE-ALPES
	18-28 ▶ Monte-Carlo International Circus Festival, Monaco Find out more - MONACO
	19-22 ▶ Who's Next & Première Classe trade show, Paris Expo Porte de Versailles Find out more - PARIS REGION
	19-23 ▶ Maison & Objet, an interior design trade show, Paris Nord Villepinte Find out more - PARIS REGION
	20-22 ▶ SIL International Lingerie trade show, Paris Expo Porte de Versailles Find out more - PARIS REGION
	21 ▶ Cyclo-Cross World Cup, Nommay Find out more - BURGUNDY-FRANCHE-COMTÉ
	21-25 ▶ Fashion Week, Haute Couture (Spring-Summer Collection), Paris Find out more - PARIS REGION
	22-28 ▶ WRC Rally, Monte-Carlo Find out more - MONACO
	25-28 ▶ International Comics Festival, Angoulême Find out more - NOUVELLE-AQUITAINE
	26-28 ▶ Enduro / Quad Enduro, Touquet-Paris-Plage Find out more - HAUTS-DE-FRANCE
	28 ▶ Horse Racing: the American Grand Prix, Vincennes Racetrack Find out more - PARIS REGION
	1/28 - 3/5 ▶ Dunkerque Carnival Find out more - HAUTS-DE-FRANCE
	1/31- 2/4 ▶ International Fantasy Film Festival, Gérardmer Find out more - GRAND-EST
	1/31- 2/4 ▶ Classical Music Festival: La Folle Journée, Nantes Find out more - PAYS DE LA LOIRE



FEBRUARY

	1-4 ▶ Equestrian Event: Show Jumping World Cup, Bordeaux Find out more -NOUVELLE-AQUITAINE
	2-10 ▶ International Short Film Festival, Clermont-Ferrand Find out more - AUVERGNE -RHÔNE-ALPES
	3 ▶ Rugby: Six Nations Championship Match - France vs Ireland, Stade de France Find out more - PARIS REGION
	3-6 ▶ Europain & Intersuc Bakery and Pastry Trade show, Paris Nord Villepinte Find out more - PARIS REGION
	2/6-5/1 ▶ Dutch artists in Paris, 1789-1914, Petit Palais, Paris Find out more PARIS REGION
	07-11 ▶ Retromobile Trade Show, Paris Expo Porte de Versailles Find out more - PARIS REGION
	10-11 ▶ Transjurassienne Ski and Trail Competition, Lamoura Find out more - BURGUNDY-FRANCHE-COMTÉ
	11-14 ▶ Martinique Carnival Find out more - MARTINIQUE
	13-15 ▶ Première Vision Paris Fashion Trade Show, Paris Nord Villepinte Find out more - PARIS REGION
	2/14-9/1 ▶ Cultural Festival: Marseille-Provence MP2018, <i>Que! Amour!</i> Find out more - PROVENCE-ALPES-CÔTE D'AZUR
	15-18 ▶ Art Up! Contemporary Art Fair, Grand Palais, Lille Find out more - HAUTS-DE-FRANCE
	2/17-3/3 ▶ Nice Carnival Find out more - PROVENCE-ALPES-CÔTE D'AZUR
	2/17-3/7 ▶ Lemon Festival, Menton Find out more - PROVENCE-ALPES-CÔTE D'AZUR
	2/24-3/4 ▶ International Agricultural Show, Porte de Versailles Find out more - PARIS REGION
	2/27-3/7 ▶ Fashion Week, Prêt à Porter (Fall-Winter Collections 2018-2019), Paris Find out more - PARIS REGION



MARCH

	1-4 ▶ Première Classe Trade Show, Jardins des Tuileries, Paris Find out more - PARIS REGION
	2 ▶ 43rd César Awards Ceremony, Pleyel Auditorium, Paris Findoutmore - PARIS REGION
	3-19 ▶ <i>Printemps des poètes</i> Literary Festival: Findoutmore - FRANCE
	4 ▶ Half-marathon, Paris Findoutmore - PARIS REGION
	4-11 ▶ Paris-Nice Cycling Competition Find out more - FRANCE
	6-8 ▶ JEC WORLD Composites Show and Conferences, Paris Nord Villepinte Findoutmoe PARIS REGION
	10 ▶ Rugby: Six Nations Championship Match - France vs England, Stade de France Findoutmoe - PARIS REGION
	13-16 ▶ MIPIM Real Estate Trade Show, Palais des Festivals et Congrès, Cannes Findoutmore - PROVENCE-ALPES-CÔTE D'AZUR
	15-18 ▶ International Travel and Tourism Fair, Paris Expo Porte de Versailles findoutmore - PARIS REGION
	3/15-5/6 ▶ Europa Jazz Festival, Le Mans Find out more - CENTRE-VAL DE LOIRE
	16-18 ▶ Equestrian Event: Saut Hermès Show Jumping Trials, Grand Palais Findoutmore - PARIS REGION
	19-24 ▶ International Film Festival, Aubagne Find out more - PROVENCE-ALPES-CÔTE D'AZUR
	21 ▶ Goût de France/Good France Event Findoutmoe - FRANCE
	27-28 ▶ Rendez-vous en France Travel and Tourism Trade Show, Paris Find out more - PARIS REGION
	3/27-4/2 ▶ Maritime Traditions: Escale à Sète Biennial Find out more - OCCITANIE
	3/28 – 7/22 ▶ The Empire of the Roses exhibition, Louvre-Lens Find out more – HAUTS-DE-FRANCE
	3/28 – 7/23 ▶ Eugène Delacroix Exhibition in collaboration with the MET, Louvre, Paris Find out more - PARIS REGION
	3/28 – 7/23 ▶ Chagall – Malevich Exhibition, Pompidou Center, Paris Find out more - PARIS REGION
	3/30 – 4/2 ▶ Easter Feria, Arles Find out more - PROVENCE-ALPES-CÔTE D'AZUR



APRIL

	4-8 ▶ International Thriller Film Festival, Beaune Find out more - BURGUNDY-FRANCHE-COMTÉ
	5-8 ▶ Art Paris Art Fair, Grand Palais, Paris Find out more - PARIS REGION
	8 ▶ Marathon, Paris Find out more - PARIS REGION
	8 ▶ Cycling: Paris-Roubaix Race Find out more -FRANCE
	8-14 ▶ Ice Hockey: Women's World Championship, Vaujany Find out more – AUVERGNE – RHONE-ALPES
	9-12 ▶ MIPTV Media Market, Palais des Festivals et Congrès, Cannes Find out more - PROVENCE-ALPES-CÔTE D'AZUR
	10-15 ▶ Equestrian Event: Show Jumping World Cup Finals, Paris Find out more - PARIS REGION
	4/13-12/31 ▶ Gustav Klimt – an immersive digital exhibition- Atelier des lumières, Paris Find out more PARIS REGION
	14-22 ▶ International Kite Festival, Berck-sur-Mer Find out more - HAUTS-DE-FRANCE
	4/14-10/6 ▶ Chartres en Lumières Light Festival, Chartres Cathedral Find out more - CENTRE-VAL DE LOIRE
	22-29 ▶ Sailing World Cup, Hyères Find out more - PROVENCE-ALPES-CÔTE D'AZUR
	23-28 ▶ Intermat Construction Trade Show, Paris-Nord Villepinte Find out more - PARIS REGION
	24-29 ▶ 42nd Edition of <i>Le Printemps de Bourges</i> Music Festival Find out more CENTRE-VAL DE LOIRE
	4/27-5/8 ▶ <i>Foire de Paris</i> Trade Show, Paris Expo Porte de Versailles Find out more - PARIS REGION

MAY

	5-12 ▶ Jazz <i>Sous les Pommiers</i> Music Festival Find out more - NORMANDY
	8-19 ▶ Cinema: International Film Festival and <i>Marché du Film</i> for industry professionals, Cannes Find out more - PROVENCE-ALPES-CÔTE D'AZUR
	9-10 ▶ Season launch for 500th Anniversary of Da Vinci's <i>Fêtes Royales</i> , Amboise Find out more - CENTRE-VAL DE LOIRE
	12-21 ▶ International Trade Show, Bordeaux Find out more - NOUVELLE-AQUITAINE
	17-21 ▶ Pentecost Festival, Nîmes Find out more - OCCITANIE
	18-21 ▶ <i>Terre de Blues</i> Music Festival, Marie Galante, Guadeloupe Find out more - GUADELOUPE
	19 ▶ European Night of Museums Find out more - FRANCE
	24-27 ▶ Formula One Grand Prix, Monaco Find out more - PROVENCE-ALPES-CÔTE D'AZUR
	27 ▶ Marathon, Bay of Mont Saint-Michel Find out more - NORMANDY
	5/27-6/10 ▶ Tennis: Roland Garros International French Open, Paris Find out more - PARIS REGION



JUNE

	► Claude Monet Exhibition, Museum of the Sea and Navy, Bordeaux Find out more - NOUVELLE-AQUITAINE
	2-4 (date subject to change) ► SAKIFO Musik Festival, Saint-Pierre de la Réunion Find out more - REUNION ISLAND
	3-10 ► Cycling: Critérium du Dauphiné Road Race Find out more - AUVERGNE - RHÔNE-ALPES
	7-10 ► Harley Davidson Euro Festival, Port-Grimaud Find out more - PROVENCE-ALPES-CÔTE D'AZUR
	9-25 ► <i>Avanti la Musica</i> Festival, Amboise Find out more - CENTRE-VAL DE LOIRE
	10-16 ► Sailing: Giraglia Rolex Cup, Saint-Tropez Find out more - PROVENCE-ALPES-CÔTE D'AZUR
	11-15 ► Eurosatory Defense and Security Trade Show, Paris Nord Villepinte Find out more - PARIS REGION
	11-16 ► International Animation Film Festival and Market, Annecy Find out more - AUVERGNE - RHÔNE-ALPES
	13-17 ► Film Festival, Cabourg Find out more - NORMANDY
	14-18 ► Bordeaux Wine Festival Find out more - NOUVELLE-AQUITAINE
	16-17 ► Car Rally: 24 Hours of Le Mans Find out more - PAYS DE LA LOIRE
	16-23 ► Cannes Lion Festival of Creativity, Cannes Find out more - PROVENCE-ALPES-CÔTE D'AZUR
	6/16-9/23 ► Picasso Exhibition: <i>Donner à voir</i> , Fabre Museum, Montpellier Find out more - OCCITANIE
	17 ► Horse Race: <i>Prix de Diane Longines</i> , Chantilly Find out more - HAUTS-DE-FRANCE
	6/20-8/4 ► Opera: Les Chorégies d'Orange Festival Find out more - PROVENCE-ALPES-CÔTE D'AZUR
	21 ► <i>Fête de la Musique</i> Celebrations Find out more - FRANCE
	21-24 ► France Formula One Grand Prix, Le Castellet Find out more - PROVENCE-ALPES-CÔTE D'AZUR
	22-24 ► Hellfest, Heavy Metal Music Festival, Clisson Find out more - PAYS DE LA LOIRE
	22-24 ► Solidays Music Festival, ParisLongchamp Hippodrome Find out more - PARIS REGION
	6/22 - 12/9 ► Gosciny and the Cinema, Cité internationale de la bande dessinée et de l'image, Angoulême Find out more - NOUVELLE-AQUITAINE
	6/27- 8/7 ► Shopping: Summer Sales Find out more - FRANCE
	6/30-8/26 ► <i>Voyage à Nantes</i> Cultural Event Find out more - PAYS DE LA LOIRE



JULY

	<p>► July 2018: The Second Battle of the Marne Commemoration (July 15-18, 1918) Find out more - GRAND EST Read more at: http://france.fr/fr/a-decouvrir/champagne-ardenne-batailles-marne-reims</p>
★★	7/2- 9/23 ► <i>Les Rencontres d'Arles</i> Photography Festival, Arles Find out more - PROVENCE-ALPES-CÔTE D'AZUR
★★	1-5 ► Fashion Week, Haute Couture, Paris Find out more - PARIS REGION
★★	4-14 ► 30th Edition of the International Festival, Colmar Find out more - GRAND EST
★★	4-24 ► 70th Lyrical Art Festival, Aix-en-Provence Find out more - PROVENCE-ALPES-CÔTE D'AZUR
★★	6-9 ► Rock Music Festival: <i>les Eurockéennes de Belfort</i> Find out more - BURGUNDY-FRANCHE-COMTÉ
★★	6-29 ► Theater: Festival d'Avignon Find out more - PROVENCE-ALPES-CÔTE D'AZUR
🏆	7-29 ► Cycling: The Tour de France, starting from Vendée Find out more - FRANCE
🏢	7-9 ► Mode City Lingerie Trade Show, Paris Expo Porte de Versailles Find out more - PARIS REGION
★★	Dates to come ► <i>Calvi on the Rocks</i> Electronic Music Festival, Calvi Find out more - CORSICA
★★	11-15 ► Francolies Music Festival, La Rochelle Find out more - NOUVELLE-AQUITAINE
★★	14 ► National Holiday Celebrations Find out more - FRANCE
★★	14 -22 ► <i>Jazz à Juan</i> Festival, Antibes Juan-les-Pins Find out more - PROVENCE-ALPES-CÔTE D'AZUR
★★	17-21 ► Nice Jazz Festival, Nice Find out more - PROVENCE-ALPES-CÔTE D'AZUR
🏆	19-20 ► Sailing: Tour de France, Hyères Find out more - PROVENCE-ALPES-CÔTE D'AZUR
★★	19-22 ► <i>Les Vieilles Charrues</i> Music Festival, Carhaix Find out more - BRITTANY
★★	25-29 ► Traditional Festival, Bayonne Find out more - NOUVELLE-AQUITAINE
★★	7/27- 8/15 ► <i>Jazz in Marciac</i> Festival Find out more - OCCITANIE
★★	7/28 - 8/3 ► European Film Festival, Lama Find out more - CORSICA
★★	July- August ► Paris Plage, Waterfront Activities and Entertainment Find out more - PARIS REGION

AUGUST

★★	3-12 ► Inter-Celtic Festival, Lorient Find out more - BRITTANY
🏆	4-12 ► 2018 Gay Games Event, Paris Find out more - PARIS REGION
★★	18-20 ► Horse Sales: the Yearlings Auction, Deauville Find out more - NORMANDY
★★	24-26 ► Rock en Seine music festival, Saint Cloud Park Find out more - PARIS REGION
🏆	26 ► Sailing: Start of the Solitaire du Figaro race, Le Havre Find out more - NORMANDY
🏆	8/27-9/2 ► Ultra Trail Race, Mont Blanc Find out more - AUVERGNE - RHÔNE-ALPES
★★	8/31-9/9 ► American Film Festival, Deauville Find out more - NORMANDY



SEPTEMBER

	1-2 ▶ Grande Braderie de Lille flea market and fair, Lille Find out more HAUTS-DE-FRANCE
	2-17 ▶ <i>Visa Pour l'Image</i> Photography Festival, Perpignan Find out more - OCCITANIE
	7-17 ▶ European Fair, Strasbourg Find out more - GRAND EST
	7-10 ▶ Who's Next & Première Classe Trade Show, Paris Expo Porte de Versailles Find out more - PARIS REGION
	7-11 ▶ Maison & Objet, interior design trade show, Paris Nord Villepinte Find out more - PARIS REGION
	8 ▶ Medoc Marathon Find out more - NOUVELLE-AQUITAINE
	8-9 ▶ <i>Feria du Riz</i> Bullfighting Festival, Arles Find out more - PROVENCE-ALPES-CÔTE D'AZUR
	11-14 ▶ Space 2018: agriculture and livestock industry trade show, Rennes Find out more - BRITTANY
	11-15 ▶ 30th Anniversary of the Polyphonic Singing Festival, Calvi Find out more - CORSICA
	11-16 ▶ Cannes Yachting Festival, Cannes Find out more -PROVENCE-ALPES-CÔTE D'AZUR
	13-16 ▶ Golf: The Evian Championship Find out more -AUVERGNE - RHÔNE-ALPES
	14-16 ▶ International Motorcycle Race: le Bol d'Or, the Paul Ricard circuit, le Castellet Find out more -PROVENCE-ALPES-CÔTE D'AZUR
	14-30 ▶ Dance Biennial, Lyon Find out more - AUVERGNE - RHÔNE-ALPES
	15-16 ▶ European Heritage Days Find out more - FRANCE
	9/18-1/6 ▶ Picasso Exhibit, blue and rose periods, Orsay Museum, Paris Find out more - PARIS REGION
	19-21 ▶ Première Vision, fashion industry professionals trade show, Paris Nord Villepinte Find out more - PARIS REGION
	25-27 ▶ Ryder Cup Junior, Disneyland Paris Find out more - PARIS REGION
	25-28 ▶ IFTM Top Resa travel and tourism trade show, Paris Expo Porte de Versailles Find out more - PARIS REGION
	9/25-10/3 ▶ Fashion Week, Prêt à Porter (Spring-Summer Collections), Paris Find out more - PARIS REGION
	26-29 ▶ Monaco Yacht Show Find out more - PROVENCE-ALPES-CÔTE D'AZUR
	26-30 ▶ Brittany Film Festival, Dinard Find out more - BRITTANY
	28-30 ▶ Ryder Cup, Le Golf National, Saint-Quentin-en-Yvelines Find out more - PARIS REGION
	28-30 ▶ <i>Fête de la Gastronomie</i> Culinary Celebrations Find out more - FRANCE
	9/28-10/1 ▶ SILMO optics and eyewear trade show, Paris Nord Villepinte Find out more - PARIS REGION
	9/29 -10/7 ▶ Sailing: Les Voiles de Saint-Tropez Competition Find out more - PROVENCE-ALPES-CÔTE D'AZUR



OCTOBER

	Oct – Jan 2019 ▶ Exhibition: Color Prints from Raphael to Rubens, Louvre Museum, Paris Find out more -PARIS REGION
	Oct – Jan 2019 ▶ Miró Exhibition: <i>The Color of My Dreams</i> , Grand Palais, Paris Find out more -PARIS REGION
	Oct – Jan 2019 ▶ Lille3000, Eldorado-themed performances and events Find out more - HAUTS-DE-FRANCE
	1-5 ▶ TFWA WORLD Exhibition & Conference, luxury, Cannes Find out more - PROVENCE-ALPES-CÔTE D'AZUR
	4-14 ▶ Paris Motor Show, Paris Expo Porte de Versailles Find out more - PARIS REGION
	6 (Date subject to change) ▶ White Night Event, Paris Find out more - PARIS REGION
	7 ▶ Marathon: Run In Lyon Find out more - AUVERGNE - RHÔNE-ALPES
	7 ▶ Horse Race: <i>Qatar Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe</i> , ParisLongchamp Find out more - PARIS REGION
	11-14 ▶ Mountain Bike Race: <i>Roc d'Azur</i> Competition, Fréjus Find out more - PROVENCE-ALPES-CÔTE D'AZUR
	15-18 ▶ MIPCOM Audiovisual Trade Show, Cannes Find out more - PROVENCE-ALPES-CÔTE D'AZUR
	18-21 ▶ FIAC Contemporary Art Fair, Grand Palais, Paris Find out more -PARIS REGION
	19-21 ▶ Men's Table Tennis World Cup, Disneyland Paris Find out more - PARIS REGION
	21-25 ▶ SIAL International Food Exhibition and Trade Show, Paris Nord Villepinte Find out more - PARIS REGION
	10/27-11/04 ▶ Tennis: Rolex Paris Master, Accor Hotels Arena Find out more - PARIS REGION
	Dates to come ▶ Vanilla Festival, Lifou Island Find out more - NEW CALEDONIA

NOVEMBER

	▶ WWI Centenary Commemorations Find out more - FRANCE
	11-15 ▶ EQUIPHOTEL Trade Show, Paris Porte de Versailles Find out more - PARIS REGION
	13-16 ▶ Salon Piscine Global, pool and wellness trade show Eurexpo, Lyon Find out more - BURGUNDY-FRANCHE-COMTÉ
	17-18 ▶ Paris Supercross, U-Arena, La Défense-Nanterre Find out more - PARIS REGION
	18 ▶ Wine Auction, Hospices de Beaune Find out more - BURGUNDY-FRANCHE-COMTÉ
	11/23/12/24 ▶ Christmas Market, Strasbourg Find out more - GRAND-EST
	26-29 ▶ ALL4PACK packaging, processing and handling trade show, Paris Nord Villepinte Find out more - PARIS REGION
	27-29 ▶ TRUSTECH (formerly CARTES) trade show, Palais des Festival, Cannes Find out more -PROVENCE-ALPES-CÔTÉ D'AZUR
	27-30 ▶ POLLUTEC environmental development trade show, Eurexpo, Lyon Find out more - AUVERGNE - RHÔNE-ALPES
	11/29-12/16 ▶ European Women's Handball Championship Find out more - FRANCE
	30/11-4/12 ▶ Equestrian Event: Salon du Cheval Longines Masters Paris, Villepinte Find out more - PARIS REGION



DECEMBER

	All month ▶ Christmas Markets Findoutmore FRANCE
	6-9 (dates to come) ▶ Festival of Lights, Lyon Findoutmore AUVERGNE - RHÔNE-ALPES
	08-16 ▶ Sailing: NAUTIC Trade Show, Paris Expo Porte de Versailles Findoutmore - PARIS REGION

2018

- ▶ Opening of the Rennes Convention Center in a heritage site, le Couvent des Jacobins – January | Brittany
- ▶ Opening of the Lafayette Anticipations Foundation – March 10 Paris Region
- ▶ Opening of the Calvados Experience, a site focused on the sensory discovery of Calvados, Pont-l'Évêque – March | Normandy
- ▶ New 4* hotel in the Domaine de Chambord: le Relais de Chambord – March | Centre-Val de Loire
- ▶ New Historical Center for the Battle of Cambrai and the Flesquières tank – End of March | Hauts-de-France
- ▶ Opening of Paris-Saclay Convention – April Paris Region
- ▶ Reopening of the Longchamp Racetrack as “ParisLongchamp” - April 8 Paris Region
- ▶ Opening of L'atelier des lumières, a digital arts museum with the works of great masters displayed in XXL format, Paris – April 13 Paris Region
- ▶ Opening of the Sir John Monash Center in Villers-Bretonneux - April | Hauts-de-France
- ▶ The Martell Foundation in Cognac opens its ground floor and rooftop terrace - Spring | Nouvelle-Aquitaine
- ▶ Reopening of Lutetia Hotel - Spring Paris Region
- ▶ Reopening of the Armistice Museum in Compiègne - Spring | Hauts-de-France
- ▶ Opening of the first Fauchon Hotel, Place de la Madeleine - May Paris Region
- ▶ New Roman History Museum in Nîmes, with its inaugural exhibition on gladiators - June 2 | Occitanie
- ▶ New Museum of the Sea and Navy in Bordeaux - June | Nouvelle-Aquitaine
- ▶ Reopening of Nausicaa, Europe's largest aquarium, in Boulogne-sur-Mer - End of June | Hauts-de-France
- ▶ Opening of a 5* hotel in the old Cognac Monnet cellars, in Cognac - July | Nouvelle-Aquitaine
- ▶ Opening of a Convention Center in Metz - September | Grand Est
- ▶ Opening of Galeries Lafayette Champs-Élysées - October Paris Region
- ▶ Reopening of La Piscine, the André Diligent Art and Industry Museum, in Roubaix - October | Hauts-de-France
- ▶ Opening of the new Samaritaine and Cheval Blanc Hotel by LVMH Group, Paris - End of 2018 Paris Region
- ▶ Opening of the Cité de l'économie in the former Gaillard Hotel, Paris - End of 2018 Paris Region
- ▶ Opening of a Mama Shelter Hotel in Lille - End of 2018 | Hauts-de-France

2019

- ▶ Opening of the Luma Foundation to promote contemporary art, in Arles | Provence-Alpes-Côte d'Azur
- ▶ Opening of the Pinault Foundation at the former Paris Stock Exchange - Early 2019 Paris Region
- ▶ Opening to the public of Hôtel de la Marine, with artisanal boutiques, book stores and fine dining, at Place de la Concorde in Paris. Paris Region
- ▶ Opening of MOCO, a new contemporary art center in Montpellier | Occitanie
- ▶ Opening of the Cité de la Gastronomie in Valence | Auvergne – Rhône-Alpes
- ▶ Opening of the International City of Gastronomy in Lyon | Auvergne – Rhône-Alpes
- ▶ Opening of the International Gastronomy and Wine Exhibition Center in Dijon | Burgundy-Franche-Comté
- ▶ New 18-hole Garden Golf Course in Villenave d'Ornon | Nouvelle-Aquitaine
- ▶ End of the expansion and modernization phase of the

Roland-Garros Stadium, Paris Region

- ▶ Opening of the ITC: International Trade Center at Roissy-Charles de Gaulle Paris Region
- ▶ Opening of Philippe Starck's 164-foot-tall hotel near the Pompidou Museum in Metz | Grand Est

Major Events Scheduled for 2019

- ▶ International Design Biennial in Saint-Etienne - Spring | Auvergne - Rhône-Alpes
- ▶ 500th Anniversary of Leonardo de Vinci's death - May 2
- ▶ 75th Anniversary of the Normandy Landings – Early June | Normandy
- ▶ The Rouen Armada - June 6 to 16 | Normandy
- ▶ FIFA Women's World Cup Finals- June 7 to July 7 | Grenoble, Lyon, Montpellier, Nice, Reims, Rennes, Paris, Valenciennes
- ▶ ESC European Society of Cardiology Convention, Paris Convention Center, Porte de Versailles - August 31 - September 4 Paris Region
- ▶ Lyon Biennial - End of year | Auvergne - Rhône-Alpes
- ▶ Congrès ESC European Society of Cardiology, Paris Convention Centre, Porte de Versailles - 31 août-4 septembre Paris Region
- ▶ Biennale de Lyon - fin d'année | Auvergne - Rhône-Alpes

2020

- ▶ European Athletics Championship Paris Region
- ▶ Normandy Impressionist Festival | Normandy
- ▶ Manifesta, the European Biennial of Contemporary Art in Marseille | Provence-Alpes-Côte d'Azur
- ▶ New terminal at Roissy CDG Airport Paris Region
- ▶ Launch of the renovation projects at the Grand Palais, connecting it to the National Galleries Paris Region

2023

- ▶ Completion of the CDG Express: a 20-minute long 20-mile ride from Gare de l'Est to CDG Airport Paris Region
- ▶ End of transformation projects at Gare du Nord Paris Region
- ▶ Opening of the Cité de la gastronomie in Rungis Paris Region
- ▶ Rugby World Cup (September/October)
 - France will be hosting this competition in 9 stadiums:
 - Stade de France, in Saint-Denis
 - Orange Vélodrome, in Marseille
 - Groupama Stadium, in Lyon-Décines
 - Stade Pierre-Mauroy, in Villeneuve-d'Ascq
 - Matmut Atlantique, in Bordeaux
 - Stade de La Beaujoire, in Nantes
 - Stadium, in Toulouse
 - Allianz Riviera, in Nice
 - Stade Geoffroy-Guichard, in Saint-Etienne

2024

- ▶ Olympic Games : August, 02-18 (France)
- ▶ Paralympic Games : September, 04-15 (France)

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