# Embark on a trip and discover your inner Homo Universalis

Walking, biking and kayak tours with the guide Ivan, will introduce you to the hidden features of our history, flavors of the traditional local dishes, drinks and the best coffee in town. Row towards the island, visit the Faust Vrančić Memorial Center. Agency Karika offers much more than a typical trip!

Traveling with Destina means experiencing Vodice in an exciting way. Sail through Faust's homeland and discover the beauties of this beautiful archipelago rich in natural and cultural values.

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## Bring Faust home with you

Mrs. Kuštović from the Lipa workshop on the island of Prvić has preserved from oblivion the skill of handmaking folk costumes and its elements. Bring an original souvenir of use value from Prvić!

Family Farm Natura Škoj in Prvić Šepurine hides a small treasure of autochthonous plants from which numerous cosmetic products are made.

Lulina is a well-known name of a cheerful workshop and shop of unique hand-made bags, jewelry, lamps, magnets and other items. Faust-inspired motifs are also included into designer Domenika's original works.

The love for paper and the pleasure of touching its delicate face, inspired a new line of Spulina art resulting in decorative, but useful, unique and carefully handmade objects inspired by Faust.

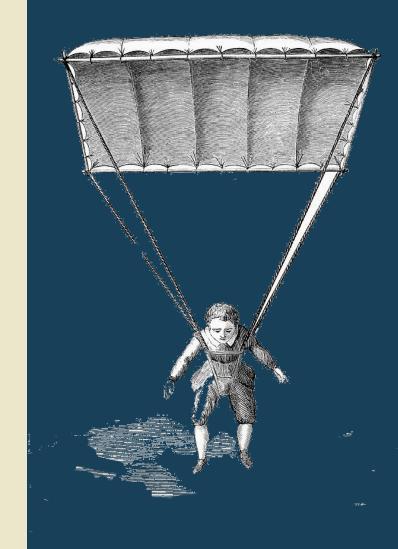
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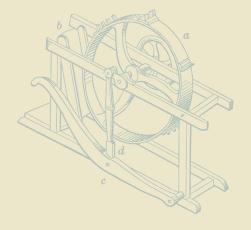
# INSPIRED BY FAUST

Faustus Verantius - Homo Universalis



Faust Vrančić, born in 1551, was a great philosopher, historian, lexicographer, and most of all an inventor and a great visionary. His stay on the island of Prvić shaped his childhood and inspired him with curiosity and inventiveness. He later described his inventions, inspired by the way of life on the island, in his book *Machinae novae*.

Olive mills, grape presses and a sundial are just some of the machines that marked Faust's thinking on how to get the best of nature: olive oil, wine, weather... The most famous inventions such as bridges, mills, presses, watches, parachutes, still attract attention today with their functionality and as the forerunners of modern machines. Inspired by his inventions, way of life and the time in which he lived, we invite you to experience something new and different.



## A gastronomic journey to the Faust's time

In Faust's time, the diet was Mediterranean, healthy food grown within the household, collected in an indigenous environment, caught in our waters... Today we still enjoy the products of family farms, fresh food from the local market and fish market, spices and aromatic plants of our region.

We recommend a special offer of our restaurants inspired by Faust.

A special offer has been prepared for you by: Slar, Adria, Makina, Sky, Konoba Stara Makina, Tri piruna.

#### Memorial center Faust Vrančić

Visit MC Faust Vrančić in Prvić Luka and get acquainted with the life and inventions of this great man. The Memorial Center provides an overview of his versatile scientific and innovative work. Models of never made devices and buildings are still technically applicable in modern construction.

#### mc-faustyrancic.com

## Wineries, wine and olive oil tasting rooms

Get acquainted with the process of producing topquality olive oil with an expertly guided presentation from olive groves to olive oil. Through a historical overview, find out how olive oil was produced by our ancestors with a comparison of how it is made today. After a tour of the Sv. Ivan olive mill, try different varieties of olive oil and find out all about the typical characteristics and benefits of olive oil.

Do not miss to visit the Birin Winery where you will learn the story of the vineyard and the production of today's high quality varieties of wine. In the Birin family, they have been dealing with olives, vines, figs and cherries for generations - cultures typical of the Vodice region, and today Nikola Birin continues the tradition in viticulture.

Taste at least three labels of Birin Winery and enjoy an inspiring story after which you will not resist buying a bottle for yourself and your dear friends.

Baraka Winery is a family boutique winery on the Srima peninsula. It produces fine, authentic wines of the highest quality. Treat yourself to an unforgettable experience of wine tasting in a specially equipped tasting room, arrange special events for loved ones in an inspired ambience and with your host Filip learn all about the vineyard and creating special wine labels of our region.

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# Wellness & Spa vacation with a view to Faust's island

Health care is paramount to harmony of mind and body, and our hotels offer just that! Treat yourself to a unique pleasure and choose the program that suits you - we especially recommend massages with eco essential oils of immortelle, sage and lavender. Back in Faust's time in our region, these plants were known as an ornament, medicine and spice.

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