

Compagnia Drammatico Vegetale

The Company has been part of youth theatre since 1974. For more than 45 years this historic kids' theatre company – founded by Pietro Fenati with Elvira Mascanzoni and Ezio Antonelli and organised by William Rossano and Sara Maioli – has been producing theatre works and interactive installations through a distinctive interweaving of artistic languages. Their puppet shows and interactive multi-sensorial exhibitions for an encounter between art and early childhood are among the most interesting works on the European scene, centred around the experiential factor of the little spectators-enjoyers. Use and refinement of the senses, the narrated and evocative word, fun learning: these make every production a living and necessary subject that cries out for participation. The Company directs and organises numerous child-oriented theatre events and festivals. Worth mentioning since it is in harmony with *Small Size* is *Artebebè*, a province-wide project of theatre, art and culture for early childhood which couples artistic quality with educational, social and recreational value. *Artebebè* came into being in 2009 with the aim of creating new forms of socialisation for infants and their families through encounters with the languages of theatre, music and the plastic and figurative arts. The project immediately became, to all effects, part of the Provincial Administration's plan for promotion of its policies: safeguarding and accommodating infancy and adolescence, and therefore providing parenting support. In 1991, Drammatico Vegetale, in collaboration with Teatro delle Albe, founded Ravenna Teatro, a Centre of Theater Production.

Awards

Alice attraverso lo specchio

winner of the award as **the best scenography** at *12th Tehran International Puppet Theatre Festival* (from 10th to 16th August 2008) Mobarak [Iran](#)

Sirena d'oro award to Drammatico Vegetale at *34th International Festival ARRIVANO DAL MARE!* (September 2009) [Italy](#)

Brum

winner of the award as **the best show for children** at *Petrushka Festival 2012* (September 2012) Ekaterinburg [Russia](#)

Brum

winner of the award **Young Critics Award Other view** at *XIII International Theater Kingfestival 2015* (April 2015) Novgorod [Russia](#)

Che sì, che no

winner of the award **For the creation of the artistic space** at the *International Puppet Theatre Festival Katowice For Children 2013* (from 15th to 19th October 2013) Katowice [Poland](#)

Viaggio in aereo polish title ***Narsuj mi baranka***

winner as **the best show for young public produced in 2015** award given by the Opole Region produced by Teatr Ateneum, Katowice, [Poland](#) (October - November 2015, debuted on 14th of November) [Poland](#)

Organisational management and promotion

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