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Experience the art of living at the Versailles court in the 18th century



Take a trip back in time... Discover the type of food and service people enjoyed at the time. Thanks to documentation describing the period in question, relive the age of Vatel, of Pompadour and Rameau, of royal feasts and French service..., invite yourselves to the King's table!.... Retrouvez la douceur de vivre du beau XVIIIème siècle...



The workshop features a dinner inspired by the feasts organized at the Versailles court. A slide show detailing the art of living in the 18th century will accompany the dinner. Our voyage back to the origins of French gastronomy is based on three principles:

- A re-creation, based on historical documents: Alexandre Loire's research took him to the National Archives. His findings will render the dining experience as true to the way meals were served at the time as possible.
- An exploration of the new taste preferences during that time: the end of Louis XIV's reign was a turning point in culinary art: spices were no longer used, the authentic taste of food was rediscovered, new farming techniques were implemented, and Champagne was invented.
- Evocation of the customs of the aristocracy during the 18th century: dining « à la Française » is a convivial and solemn moment. Opulence and ritual go hand in hand among the upper classes of society during the Old Regime.



Be our guests during this voyage back in time ...

The workshop "At the King's table" is perfect for companies during an executive seminar, for example, or during a meeting of the executive committee, sales managers or with clients.

We can personalize each workshop to tailor to your choice of catering or location.

This exceptional moment can take place at many different locations. The choice depends on the atmosphere you wish to convey and the number of participants attending...

AL-HISTO has links to palaces, from the most formal to more intimate: from Versailles to the Château de l'Eglantine in Jouy-en-Josas...



AL-HISTO is partner to Villa Violet, located in the heart of the 7th arrondissement in Paris, near the Eiffel Tower. A discrete and peaceful location, it has a contemporary yet classical elegance, which is perfect for organizing seminars and other events, and can accommodate



approximately fifteen people.

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So let's talk about history...

History is not only about Kings or their wars. It is also about your company, its expertise and its products...

Biography

Alexandre Loire has two professional cultures.

He is a mechanical engineer, with a degree from Centrale Nantes, working for the automotive industry as well as for other industries around the world.

In 2004, he became a tourist guide, member of the National Federation of Tourist Guides, to give tours, in French and in English, in museums and historical monuments of the Paris region.

Keen on History, he founded AL-HISTO to join his two passions together, by proposing an original service offering for companies: visits during seminars, consulting and assistance with sponsorship activities.

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