

**OFFICIAL RECOGNITION, AUTHORISATION,**  
**ACCREDITATION & MEMBERSHIP**  
**ISTITUTO GIORDANO S.P.A.**

**EUROPEAN AUTHORISATION & CE MARKING**

**NATIONAL AUTHORISATION & CONCESSION**

**ACCREDITATION & CERTIFICATION**

**NATIONAL & INTERNATIONAL RECOGNITION**

**MEMBERSHIP OF SOCIETIES**

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## 1. EUROPEAN AUTHORISATION AND CE MARKING:

- 1.1. Notified Certification Body, Notified Inspection Body and Notified Laboratory for **Construction Products** according to REGULATION (EU) No 305/2011 (CPR).
- 1.2. Notified Body according to **Recreational Craft Directive (RCD)**
- 1.3. Notified Body according to **Machinery Directive (MD)**
- 1.4. Notified Body according to **Pressure Equipment Directive (PED)**
- 1.5. Notified Body according to **Measuring Instruments Directive (MID)**
- 1.6. Notified Body according to **Marine Equipment Directive (MED)**

See all Istituto Giordano S.p.A. Notifications on website:

[http://ec.europa.eu/growth/tools-databases/nando/index.cfm?fuseaction=notifiedbody.notifiedbody&refe\\_cd=EPOS%5F43729](http://ec.europa.eu/growth/tools-databases/nando/index.cfm?fuseaction=notifiedbody.notifiedbody&refe_cd=EPOS%5F43729)

or search at the following link Notified Body number "0407"

<http://ec.europa.eu/growth/tools-databases/nando/index.cfm?fuseaction=notifiedbody.main>

## 2. NATIONAL AUTHORISATIONS AND CONCESSIONS:

### 2.1. Construction materials

Laboratory operating under a concession from the Ministry of Infrastructure and Transport according to art. 59 del D.P.R. n. 380/2001 (Legge 05/11/1971, n. 1086):

- Authorisation for testing and issue of test certificates for construction materials **Sector A** (concrete, steel, bricks, hydraulic binders) and **Sector B** (solid wood, laminated timber and wood-based panels) in accordance with "Circolare n. 7617/2010".
- Authorisation to testing and issue test certificates for soil and rock in accordance with "Circolare 7618/STC", further extended to optional tests as defined in accordance with point 5 of the above mentioned "Circolare".
- Authorization, according to "art. 59, co. 2, lettera c-bis), del D.P.R. n. 380/2001" to carry out and certify tests and checks on building materials on existing structures and constructions of Sector A of Circular No. 633/STC dated 03.12.2019.

### 2.2. Product safety and conformity evaluation

Memorandum of understanding from the Ministry of Industry, Trade and Crafts - General Directorate for Market Harmonisation and Protection authorising Istituto Giordano S.p.A. to carry out **product safety and conformity evaluation** as part of market surveillance and consumer protection, according to "legge 11 maggio 1999, n. 140".

### 2.3. Energy performance and specifications of building and installation

Issue of conformity certificates for **energy performance and specifications of building and installation components** covered by Annex A to "Decreto del 2 Aprile 1998"

### 2.4. Test certificates for the reaction to fire sector on structural elements, finishing materials, technical installations, furnishing materials and theatrical stage materials

Authorisation to issue test certificates in the reaction to fire sector according to "Decreto Ministeriale del 26/06/1984" and "Decreto Ministeriale del 26/03/1985" with Identification Code RN01RF01.

### 2.5. Applied research on behalf of small and medium sized enterprises

"Legge 17/02/1982 n. 46. D.M. 09/10/1985 MURST (Ministero dell'Università e della Ricerca Scientifica e Tecnologica)". Listed in the register of laboratories authorised to carry out **applied research on behalf of small and medium sized enterprises**.

### 2.6. Test certification in the fire resistance sector for fire doors and shutter assemblies

- Authorisation to issue test certificates in the fire resistance sector according to Circular No. 7 of 02/04/1991 (Circolare n. 7 del 02/04/1991), standard CNVVF/CCI UNI 9723 and Ministerial Decree of 26/03/1985 (D.M. 26/03/1985).
- Authorisation in accordance to procedures laid down in Ministerial Decree of 21/06/2004 (D.M. 21 giugno 2004) for UNI EN 1634-1 and technical-administrative specifications given by the Ministry of the Interior.

### 2.7. Fire resistance testing and classification on the following products and systems

- **Non loadbearing walls with penetration seals (wall figuration), linear joints (wall figuration), service ducts e shafts (wall figuration) and closures for conveyor systems** according to UNI EN 1364-1, UNI EN 1366-3, UNI EN 1366-4, UNI EN 1366-5, UNI EN 1366-7 and procedures laid down in Ministerial Decree of 16/2/2007 (D.M. 16/2/2007) and technical-administrative specifications given by the Ministry of the Interior.
- **Loadbearing walls** according to UNI EN 1365-1, according to procedures laid down in Ministerial Decree of 16/02/2007 (D.M. 16/2/2007) and technical/administrative specifications given by the Ministry of the Interior.
- **Floors, roofs, beams, balconies, walkways and stairs** according to UNI EN 1365-2, UNI EN 1365-3, UNI EN 1365-5 e UNI EN 1365-6, following procedures laid down in Ministerial Decree of 16/02/2007 (D.M. 16/2/2007) and technical-administrative specifications given by the Ministry of the Interior.
- **Membrane ceiling, penetration seals (ceiling configuration), linear joint seals (ceiling configuration), service ducts and shafts and closures for conveyor systems** according to UNI EN 1364-2, UNI EN 1366-3, UNI EN 1366-4 e UNI EN 1366-5 following procedures laid down in Ministerial Decree of 16/02/2007 (D.M. 16/2/2007) and technical-administrative specifications given by the Ministry of the Interior.
- **Curtain Walls** according to UNI EN 1364-3, following procedures laid down in Ministerial Decree of 16/02/2007 (D.M. 16/2/2007) and technical-administrative specifications given by the Ministry of the Interior.

### 2.8. Registration with the Italian Research Records Office

Registry Code No. E0490Y9Y in the Italian Research Records Office.

### 2.9. Certification of the production process of industrially processed, conglomerate cement product

Authorization from the Italian Ministry of Infrastructure – Public Works Governing Body – Central Technical Service for **certification of the production process of industrially processed, conglomerate cement product** according to Ministerial Decree of 14/09/2005 (ref. par. 11.1.8 - Regulations for industrially processed, ready-made concrete).

**2.10. Accreditation as Industrial Research Laboratory “Delibera Regionale Emilia Romagna n. 762/2014”.**  
Accreditation by "REGIONE EMILIA-ROMAGNA" number 13559 dated 04/08/2020 as Industrial Research Laboratory ..

### 3. **ACCREDITATION AND CERTIFICATION:**

ACCREDIA has been appointed by the Italian Government on 22 December 2009 as the sole National Accreditation Body that performs accreditation with authority derived from the State (Decreto 22/10/ 2009 GURI n. 22 26/01/2010).

ACCREDIA accreditation is recognised:

- in European Community Countries and EFTA countries by virtue of mutual recognition (MLA) underwritten by ACCREDIA by the greater part of accreditation bodies which are members of the EA (European Cooperation for Accreditation);
- at international level by virtue of the MLA, underwritten by ACCREDIA and by the greater part of accreditation bodies which are members of the international association IAF (International Accreditation Forum, Inc.);
- at international level by virtue of the international agreement of multilateral mutual recognition, the “ILAC Arrangement”, underwritten by ACCREDIA and the greater part of accreditation bodies, that are members of ILAC (International Laboratory Accreditation Cooperation).

#### 3.1 ACCREDIA - Department of Certification and Inspection

- Accreditation **No. 0057MS** awarded on 19 December 2000, as a Management System Certification Body.
- Accreditation **No. 0082PRD** awarded on 12 April 2006, as a Product/Service/Process Certification Body.
- Accreditation **No. 0096PRS** awarded on 23 February 2015, as a personnel Certification Body.

See all Istituto Giordano S.p.A. Accreditations on website:

[http://services.accredia.it/ppsearch/accredia\\_orgmask.jsp?ID\\_LINK=1733&area=310&PPSEARCH\\_ORG\\_SEARCH\\_MASK\\_ORG=0619&PPSEARCH\\_ORG\\_SEARCH\\_MASK\\_SCHEMI=&PPSEARCH\\_ORG\\_SEARCH\\_MASK\\_SCHEMI\\_ALTRI=&PPSEARCH\\_ODC\\_SEARCH\\_MASK\\_SETTORE\\_ACCR=&PPSEARCH\\_ORG\\_SEARCH\\_MASK\\_CITTA=&PPSEARCH\\_ORG\\_SEARCH\\_MASK\\_PROVINCIA=&PPSEARCH\\_ORG\\_SEARCH\\_MASK\\_REGIONE=&PPSEARCH\\_ORG\\_SEARCH\\_MASK\\_STATO=&orgtype=all&PPSEARCH\\_ORG\\_SEARCH\\_MASK\\_SCOPO=&PPSEARCH\\_ORG\\_SEARCH\\_MASK\\_PDFACCREDITAMENTO=&submitBtn=search](http://services.accredia.it/ppsearch/accredia_orgmask.jsp?ID_LINK=1733&area=310&PPSEARCH_ORG_SEARCH_MASK_ORG=0619&PPSEARCH_ORG_SEARCH_MASK_SCHEMI=&PPSEARCH_ORG_SEARCH_MASK_SCHEMI_ALTRI=&PPSEARCH_ODC_SEARCH_MASK_SETTORE_ACCR=&PPSEARCH_ORG_SEARCH_MASK_CITTA=&PPSEARCH_ORG_SEARCH_MASK_PROVINCIA=&PPSEARCH_ORG_SEARCH_MASK_REGIONE=&PPSEARCH_ORG_SEARCH_MASK_STATO=&orgtype=all&PPSEARCH_ORG_SEARCH_MASK_SCOPO=&PPSEARCH_ORG_SEARCH_MASK_PDFACCREDITAMENTO=&submitBtn=search)

#### 3.2 ACCREDIA - Department of Test Laboratories

Accreditation No.0021L awarded 14 November 1991, for the following accredited testing:

- **LAB N°0021 Site A** See the following website page:  
[http://services.accredia.it/accredia\\_labsearch.jsp?ID\\_LINK=293&area=7&numeroaccr=0021&classification=A&isRestricted=false&dipartimento=L](http://services.accredia.it/accredia_labsearch.jsp?ID_LINK=293&area=7&numeroaccr=0021&classification=A&isRestricted=false&dipartimento=L)
- **LAB N°0021 Site B** See the following website page:  
[http://services.accredia.it/accredia\\_labsearch.jsp?ID\\_LINK=293&area=7&numeroaccr=0021&classification=B&isRestricted=false&dipartimento=L](http://services.accredia.it/accredia_labsearch.jsp?ID_LINK=293&area=7&numeroaccr=0021&classification=B&isRestricted=false&dipartimento=L)
- **LAB N°0021 Site C** See the following website page:  
[http://services.accredia.it/accredia\\_labsearch.jsp?ID\\_LINK=293&area=7&numeroaccr=0021&classification=C&isRestricted=false&dipartimento=L](http://services.accredia.it/accredia_labsearch.jsp?ID_LINK=293&area=7&numeroaccr=0021&classification=C&isRestricted=false&dipartimento=L)
- **LAB N°0021 Site D** See the following website page:  
[http://services.accredia.it/accredia\\_labsearch.jsp?ID\\_LINK=293&area=7&numeroaccr=0021&classification=D&isRestricted=false&dipartimento=L](http://services.accredia.it/accredia_labsearch.jsp?ID_LINK=293&area=7&numeroaccr=0021&classification=D&isRestricted=false&dipartimento=L)
- **LAB N°0021 Site E** See the following website page:  
[http://services.accredia.it/accredia\\_labsearch.jsp?ID\\_LINK=293&area=7&numeroaccr=0021&classification=E&isRestricted=false&dipartimento=L](http://services.accredia.it/accredia_labsearch.jsp?ID_LINK=293&area=7&numeroaccr=0021&classification=E&isRestricted=false&dipartimento=L)
- **LAB N°0021 Site F** See the following website page:  
[http://services.accredia.it/accredia\\_labsearch.jsp?ID\\_LINK=293&area=7&numeroaccr=0021&classification=F&isRestricted=false&dipartimento=L](http://services.accredia.it/accredia_labsearch.jsp?ID_LINK=293&area=7&numeroaccr=0021&classification=F&isRestricted=false&dipartimento=L)
- **LAB N°0021 Site G** See the following website page:  
[https://services.accredia.it/accredia\\_labsearch.jsp?ID\\_LINK=1734&area=310&numeroaccr=0021&classification=G&isRestricted=false&dipartimento=L](https://services.accredia.it/accredia_labsearch.jsp?ID_LINK=1734&area=310&numeroaccr=0021&classification=G&isRestricted=false&dipartimento=L)

#### 3.3 ACCREDIA – Department of Calibration Laboratories

Accreditation No. 020 T as a Multisite Calibration Centre (first accreditation awarded on 1993)

- **LAT N°020T** for thermometric and electrical parameters.

See the tables of accreditation on website:

[http://services.accredia.it/ppadt/search.jsp?ID\\_LINK=1737&area=310&PPADT\\_SEARCH\\_SCHEMA=LAT](http://services.accredia.it/ppadt/search.jsp?ID_LINK=1737&area=310&PPADT_SEARCH_SCHEMA=LAT) and search the number **020** in “Codice di accreditamento” box (as shown below):

##### Modulo di Ricerca

Schema	<input type="text" value="Laboratori di Taratura (LAT)"/>
Codice di accreditamento	<input type="text" value="020"/>

### 3.4 Quality Austria Certificate – Quality Management System ISO 9001:2015

From 27 October 2017, Istituto Giordano has a quality management system according to ISO 9001, Cert. No 19658/0, scope “SUPPLY OF TESTING SERVICES RELATIVE TO CONSTRUCTION PRODUCTS, SOIL, ROCKS AND STRUCTURAL TESTING”.

## 4. NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL RECOGNITION:

### **IMQ (Quality Mark Institute)**

- Recognition/authorisation to carry out laboratory tests as part of voluntary Product Certification schemes for the “IMQ-CIG Mark of Conformity” for flues.
- Recognition/authorisation to carry out solar thermic tests No. IMQ-213/C1.

### **UNCSAAL (Italian Architectural Aluminium and Steel Manufacturers Association)**

Recognition dated 26 March 1985.

Testing laboratory for UNCSAAL certification of window, doors and curtain walls.

### **KEYMARK for thermal insulation products (www.key-mark.org)**

Authorisation issued 05 July 2002 by SDG5 (Scheme Development Group 5 - a body promoting the voluntary European product certification scheme for thermal insulation products) to carry out thermal conductivity measurement as part of the CEN KEYMARK voluntary certification scheme for thermal insulation products.

### **IFT (Institut für FensterTechnik e.V.)**

Recognition/authorisation to carry out laboratory testing and factory surveillance as part of voluntary product certification schemes aimed at obtaining the “IFT-IG Mark” for:

- windows, doors, shutters (burglar-resistant);
- door and window frames.

### **EFSG (European Fire Security Group)**

Recognition/authorisation to carry out laboratory testing on behalf of EFSG certification bodies for voluntary product certification regarding safes and other secure storage units.

### **FBT VKF - Switzerland**

Official recognition by the Swiss Construction Technology Commission (FBT) and the Association of Public Buildings Insurance Companies (VKF) as a test laboratory for fire resistance of building components.

### **AGENZIA DELLE DOGANE E DEI MONOPOLI (ex AAMS)**

Agreement between “Agenzia delle Dogane e dei Monopoli (ADM)” and Istituto Giordano refers to the carrying out of the verification activities for the certification of on-line gaming referred to “Decreto Direttoriale 10 Gennaio 2011”.

### **UNITED ARAB EMIRATES MINISTRY OF INTERIOR CIVIL DEFENSE**

15/12/2015 Istituto Giordano is recognized fire testing laboratory for the following products:

- building products and elements (reaction to fire testing: ducts, curtain wall systems, roofing, glazing, interior finish, textile, upholstery, false ceilings, fire wall system, floorings, light fire storage units);
- non- loadbearing horizontal elements (fire resistance testing: ceilings, suspended ceilings);
- non- loadbearing vertical elements (fire resistance testing: walls, doors, shutters, openable windows, penetration seals).

### **THOMAS BELL-WRIGHT INTERNATIONAL CONSULTANTS**

Istituto Giordano has been appointed as inspection body for the carrying out of sampling and inspection activities on construction products by TBWIC.

### **NATIONAL ACCREDITATION & MANAGEMENT INSTITUTE, INC.**

Istituto Giordano S.p.A. is recognised as a testing and calibration laboratory.

### **EUROPEAN CERTIFICATION BODY (ECB) GmbH**

Cooperation agreement between Istituto Giordano and ECB for Type Tests, Comparison Tests, Evaluation of Changes and External Quality Surveillance on Burglar Resistant Products.

### **AMERICAN CERTIFICATION BODIES (NAMI, KEYSTONE, WDMA, MIAMI DADE)**

Istituto Giordano S.p.A, as an ISO / IEC 17025 accredited laboratory by ACCREDIA, has been recognized by NAMI, KEYSTONE, MIAMI DADE, WDMA, the American Certification Bodies, for environmental tests (water, air and wind), burglar-proof and mechanical resistance (anti-storm tests) on windows and curtain walls and also on doors and skylights by WDMA, according to the main American standards ASTM and AAMA.

### **Agreement between ISTITUTO GIORDANO and BBA ((BRITISH BOARD OF AGRÉMENT): UKCA MARKING**

BBA recognises the CPR AVCP 1 and 2+ audits/inspections performed by istituto giordano for the purposes of obtaining and maintaining the corresponding UKCA certification.

**Agreement between ISTITUTO GIORDANO and INTERTEK (International Certification Body)**

Istituto Giordano S.p.A has been recognized by INTERTEK as qualified laboratory for all ACCREDIA accredited tests according to UNI CEI EN ISO / IEC 17025.

**5. MEMBERSHIP OF SOCIETIES:**

**AIA**

Italian Acoustics Association

**ALPI**

Independent Testing Laboratories Association

**CEI Italian Electrotechnical Committee**

**CONFINDUSTRIA RIMINI**

Association of business enterprises in the province of Rimini

**CTI**

Italian Thermo-Technical Committee, energy and environment

**EGOLF**

European Group of Organisations for Fire Testing, Inspection and Certification

**FOX CLUB**

European Association of Testing Institutes for the Assessment of Burglar Resistant Building Components

**ASSOCIAZIONE GREEN BUILDING COUNCIL ITALIA**

Adhesion to the Green Building Council, Italy. Member No. 411.