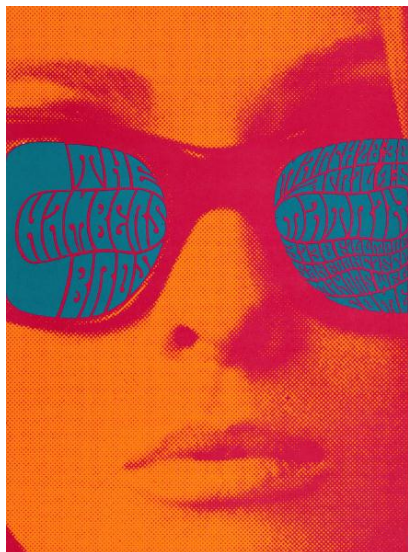


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From Leonardo to the Microchip:

Italian Creativity and Innovation in the Economy of the Future

A talk by Roberto Bonzio

Join us for a lively multimedia performance celebrating the power of unconventional thinking as a driver of innovation at the crossroads between counterculture and hi-tech through portraits of inspiring figures, some with Italian names: from **Lawrence Ferlinghetti**, patriarch of the *Beat Generation*, to **Adriano Olivetti**, visionary entrepreneur from Ivrea, and **Federico Faggin** from Vicenza, who created the first microchip and invented the touch technology.

*Free-thinker **Roberto Bonzio** left the newsroom and a full-time job at the international news agency Reuters in Milan to found "**Italiani di Frontiera**" (Frontier Italians), an innovative project investigating the secrets of talent conceived as a one-man-band journalistic adventure.*

*With a strong presence on online and offline media, more than 250 live storytelling events hosted by top companies and institutions in Italy and abroad, a book published in 2015 and inspirational tours across the Silicon Valley for professionals of any industry, Roberto Bonzio has been nominated *Alumnus of the Year* by Venice University Ca' Foscari for his original work.*

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