

Lavori Pubblici FC

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Full name Lavori Pubblici Futbol Club (created as "Genio Oficina")

Founded 1947

Ground Banadir Stadium, [Mogadishu](#)

Capacity 10,000

League First Somali League

Lavori Pubblici FC (or "Lavori Pubblici FC" in [Italian language](#)) was an historical [football](#) team in [Mogadishu](#), that officially existed from 1947 to 1990.^[1]

History

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The football team was created in the late 1940s by a group of football fans representing all the Italian colonists of all Italian Somalia with the name *Genio Officina*, as an antagonist to the [AC Mogadiscio](#) (the team of the Italians of only the capital Mogadishu) in the first amateur championship of Somalia. The team was officially inscribed in the Somalia first [league championship](#) in 1952 as *Lavori Pubblici FC/Genio*, winning the tournament of that year.^[2]

The team had a lot of followers who were native Somalis and so survived until 1990 when the Somali civil war started, while the antagonist AC Mogadiscio disappeared when [Italy](#) gave the independence to Somalia in 1960 (and nearly all the Italians of Somalia left the country).

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