



THE PROGRAMME

9.45 OPENING REMARKS

10.00 Keynote Speaker: Sonia Cunico. “Strapianti: viaggi e miraggi tra lingue, culture, e confini” (in Italian)

11.00 Gabriele Paleari: “Beyond Italy’s political (b)order: why we should incorporate the diversity of San Marino, Switzerland, Slovenia, and Croatia in Italian teaching and assessment.” (in English)

11.30 Giusy Stott: “Improving the learning environment: promoting inclusive practices with students of different language backgrounds studying ab initio Italian.” (in English)

12.00 Rasha Soliman. Linguistic variation and the CEFR descriptors: how compatible are they? (in English)

12.30 Luca Malici: “Queering the Italian and Modern Languages Syllabi: some BGILQT and feminist annotations towards a Queer Language Pedagogy.” (in English)

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14.00 Chiara La Sala: “Developing language skills and intercultural competence in language classes: the novel *In Altre Parole* by Jhumpa Lahiri.” (in English)

14.30 U Talk workshop (in English)

15.15 Workshop 2: Teaching mixed abilities students (Claudia Pusceddu) (in English)

16.00 Workshop 3: Incorporating diversity through Italian cinema (Giulia Baronti) (in English)

17.00 Keynote Speaker: Judith Rifesser: “The praxis of teaching diversity and intercultural understanding in the languages classroom.” (in English)

18.00 Closing remarks

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