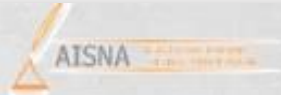




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# MONDAY - NOVEMBER 11, 2019

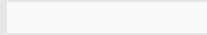


- 3.00 PM            Opening Remarks:
- Gianni **DE GENNARO**  
                         Center for American Studies Chairman
- Rodney **FORD**  
                         Cultural Affairs Officer, U.S. Embassy
- Gigliola **NOCERA**  
                         AISNA President
- 3:30 PM            Keynote Speech:  
                         ***Space in the time of progress***  
                         Federico **ROMERO**  
                         European University Institute
- 4:30 PM            Introduction and Chair:  
                         Elisabetta **VEZZOSI**  
                         Università di Trieste
- 4:45 PM            Round Table:  
                         ***Rethinking American Frontiers***
- Gabriella **ARRIGO** – Agenzia Spaziale Italiana  
                         Alessandra **BITUMI** - Université Sorbonne Nouvelle, Paris  
                         Elena **LAMBERTI** - Università di Bologna  
                         Amanda **REES** – University of York
- 6:00 PM            Q&A

# TUESDAY - NOVEMBER 12, 2019

- 9:30 Introduction and chair:  
Elisabetta **VEZZOSI**  
Università di Trieste
- 10:00 Seminar Lesson (History):  
***From Walls to Wall:  
Nativism from Benjamin Franklin to Donald J. Trump***  
Fraser M. **OTTANELLI**  
University of South Florida
- 11:15 BREAK
- 11:45 Seminar Lesson (Literature):  
***The Geopolitical Imaginary of 21st-Century US Fiction,  
Part One: Migration***  
Caren **IRR**  
Brandeis University
- 1:00 PM LUNCH
- 3:00 PM Introduction and chair:  
TBD
- 3:30 PM Lecture:  
***"Youth to itself rebels, though none else near":  
Fathers, Sons, and the End of History in the 1990s Seattle***  
Fiorenzo **IULIANO**  
Università degli Studi di Cagliari
- 4:30 PM Q&A and Discussion

# WEDNESDAY - NOVEMBER 13, 2019



9:30	Introduction and chair: TBD
10:00	Seminar Lesson (Literature): <b><i>The Geopolitical Imaginary of 21st-Century US Fiction, Part Two: Species</i></b> Caren <b>IRR</b> Brandeis University
11:15	BREAK
11:45	Lecture: <b><i>Rewriting the Frontier: Feminist Translation in North America and the Imagination of Transcultural Spaces</i></b> Sergia <b>ADAMO</b> Università degli Studi di Trieste
1:00 PM	LUNCH
2:30 PM	Introduction and chair: TBD
3:00 PM	Seminar Lesson (History): <b><i>Monuments, Memory, and the Italian-American Community: Christopher Columbus, Italo Balbo and Beyond</i></b> Fraser M. <b>OTTANELLI</b> University of South Florida
4:30 PM	Wrap up and conclusions
5:00 PM	Certificate Awarding