The American Boccaccio Association in collaboration with the Ente Nazionale Giovanni Boccaccio presents:

**On-line Paleography Seminars:**

**Manuscript Culture in Boccaccio's Times**

**May 12-28, 2021**

Seminars are taught by internationally renowned paleographers:

**Irene Ceccherini**  
**Marco Cursi**  
**Teresa De Robertis**  
**Maddalena Signorini**  
**Stefano Zamponi**

The Online Paleography Seminars will involve methodological and practical components of Latin and vernacular paleography taught by experts in the field from a variety of Italian universities. The teaching program will include introductions to the major Florentine and Roman libraries; paleography classes using Latin and vernacular manuscripts, and transcription practice. Participants should be ABA members, affiliated with a North American university, and have good knowledge of the Italian language as the seminars will be conducted in Italian.

**PROGRAM**

**OPEN TO THE PUBLIC**

**Wednesday, May 12 at 10.00a-12.00p (ET) / 16.00-18.00 (IT):**

**Rome:** Angelica, Corsini and Vallicelliana Libraries  
Maddalena Signorini, Associate Professor at the University of Rome

**Friday, May 14 at 10.00a-12.00p (ET) / 16.00-18.00 (IT):**

**Vatican City:** Vatican Library (in Italian)  
Marco Cursi, Professor at the University of Naples, and Dr. Claudia Montuschi, Director of Manuscript Dept. at the Vatican Library

**Wednesday, May 19 at 10.00a-12.00p (ET) / 16.00-18.00 (IT):**

**Florence:** Riccardiana, Laurentian Medici Library, and National Central Library (in Italian)  
Teresa De Robertis, Professor at the University of Florence

**FOR REGISTERED PARTICIPANTS ONLY**

**Friday, May 21 at 10.00a-12.00p (ET) / 16.00-18.00 (IT):**

**Manuscripts in Latin,** one hour of transcription practice  
Stefano Zamponi, Professor at the University of Florence

**Wednesday, May 26 at 10.00a-12.00p (ET) / 16.00-18.00 (IT):**

**Manuscript in vernacular,** one hour of transcription practice  
Irene Ceccherini, Associate Professor at the University of Florence

**Friday, May 28 at 10.00a-12.00p (ET) / 16.00-18.00 (IT):**

**Two hours of transcription practice**  
Teresa De Robertis, Stefano Zamponi, Irene Ceccherini

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