

VII International Colloquium on Christine de Pizan

Bologna, September 22-26, 2009

Second Circular

Dear friends,

You are kindly invited to confirm your participation in the Colloquium and related activities. Please fill out the attached form and send it together with your attendance fee not later than **April 30**.

Dates and location of the conference

The colloquium will take place from the 22nd to the 26th of September, 2009, in the Conference Center of the magnificent and recently restored St. Cristina complex, located in the historical center of Bologna.

<http://www.artivisive.unibo.it/Luoghi/>

Some participants may wish to arrive the day before the beginning of the conference. All will be welcomed in late afternoon. An informal welcome reception will take place from 6 p.m. at the Maison Française de Bologne, Via de' Marchi 4.

Presentation of papers

The presentation of each paper must be limited to 20 minutes, followed by 10 minutes' discussion. The official languages of the conference are **Italian, French and English**.

Registration Fees

90 Euros for those presenting papers and belonging to an institution of higher learning.

50 Euros for independent scholars, doctoral students, registered colleagues not presenting papers, and others who participate in the workings of the Conference and its related activities.

Accommodations

Available in university residences and public hotels. For any other request, **please** contact us at: dipital.convegnopizan2009@unibo.it

University Residences

All available rooms at two university residences have been reserved for Conference participants. They are centrally located and within easy walking distance from the Conference sites; they are simple but very clean and comfortable, with private bathroom. In the possibility that some of the participants may arrive two days before the opening of the Colloquium and remain two days after its closing, the rooms have been reserved from **September 20th to September 27th**. Participants are kindly requested to indicate the precise dates of their arrival and departure. The Colloquium organizers will attend to the room assignment.

Foresteria S.Giovanni in Monte

Via de' Chiari, 8

Bologna

<http://www.ceur.it/collegio-erasmus/>

<http://www.camplusforesterie.it>

Single room: Euros 40,00
 Double room, single occupancy: Euros 45,00
 Double room: Euros 45,00
Breakfast is not included, but there are several cafés in the neighborhood
9 single rooms and 12 double rooms have been reserved

Ospitalità San Tommaso d'Aquino:
via San Domenico 1, 40124 - Bologna,
<http://www.collegiosantotommaso.it>

Single room: Euros 50
 Double room, single occupancy: Euros 55
 Double room: Euros 70
 Double room (larger): Euros 80
Breakfast included

10 single rooms and 23 double rooms have been reserved

Hotels

Special rates for the 2009 Pizan Colloquium have been arranged with Bologna Arts Hotel. There are four first rate hotels, centrally located, and recently restored. They are: “Corona d’Oro,” “Commercianti,” “Orologio,” and “Novecento.”

For reservation please go to the web site:
<http://www.bolognarhotels.it>

click on link “meeting and congresses,” then on “meetings Calendar”, VII Christine de Pizan International Congress Special rates” fill in username and password to access reduced rates, including an additional 20% discount with a reservation for at least four nights.

Username: Bologna
Password: Pizan2009

Since these hotels are in prime locations, it is necessary to make reservations as soon as possible. (reservation by credit card, full payment upon departure).

Prices are in Euros, per room, per night, taxes included; delicious buffet breakfast; free use of Internet. Rates valid from September 21 through 27 .

	****L <i>ArtHotel Corona d Oro</i>	**** <i>ArtHotel Commercianti ArtHotel Novecento</i>	***S <i>ArtHotel Orologio</i>	
Room category	Convention rates	Convention Rates	Convention rates	Officail rates
Single	109	99	89	327
Double, single occupancy	114	104	94	357

Double	155	145	135	357
Deluxe double	165	155	145	383
Suite	264	254	244	510
Garage	26	26	26	

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Meals

For those who wish it, a special rate of **15 euros** per meal is available at a typical restaurant next to the Conference Center, to be paid on site. It is necessary to indicate the number of meals the participants intend to consume in order to make advance reservations. It is also possible to have a quick lunch or snack in many very pleasant cafés in the neighbourhood.

Other Conference Activities:

Guided tours in French and English of the medieval area of Bologna

Guided tours in French and English of the City Medieval Museum

Concert of 14th and 15th century music.

Official conference dinner on September 26th (**40 euros**, to be paid on site).

Dinner with concert, date to be announced (**35 euros**, to be paid on site).

Further complete details on the organized activities, on other useful information, and a first draft programme will be available at the beginning of April.

While waiting for your answer, the organizing committee sends to all its warmest greetings:

Giovanna Angeli, Patrizia Caraffi, Liliane Dulac, Mario Mancini, Maria Giuseppina Muzzarelli, Vita Fortunati, Jeff Richards, Anna Slerca, Margarete Zimmermann.

Patrizia Caraffi

Registration Form

The form must be completed and sent via e-mail to the following address not later than **April 30th**:
dipital.convegnopizan2009@unibo.it:

Last and first name:

University:

Title:

Home and/or work address:

Telephone:

E-mail address:

1. Registration Fee:

- 90 Euros
- 50 Euros

To be paid not later than **April 30th**, by money order addressed to :

Dipartimento di Italianistica dell'Università di Bologna – Convegno Pizan 2009

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Participants from the United States and Canada may pay the registration fee to Prof. Julia Nephew. The cost of this transaction is \$7-10 per person (a much lower rate than the money order). Please contact Prof. Julia Nephew: nephewja@yahoo.com

2. Paper presenters are required to fill in the following information:

3. Accommodation:

- University Residence (reservation made by the Conference organization, payment upon departure)

Arrival date _____

Departure date _____

Number of persons _____

- single room
- double room, single occupancy
- double room

- Hotel (reservation by credit card, full payment due upon departure)

4. Meals:

Lunch (15 Euros, to be paid on site)

- Tuesday 22 , person(s) _____
 Wednesday 23, person(s) _____
 Thursday 24, person(s) _____
 Friday 25, person(s) _____
 Saturday 26, person(s) _____

- Conference official dinner, evening of September 26 (40 Euros, to be paid on site)

Number of participants _____

- Dinner-Concert (35 Euro, to be paid on site)

Number of person(s) _____

Special needs (allergies, special food requirements, dietary needs, etc.)

5. Activities

Guided tour of the medieval area yes no

- French Number of person(s) _____
 English Number of person(s) _____

Guided tour of the City Medieval Museum yes no

- French Number of person(s) _____
 English Number of person(s) _____

Concert of 14th and 15th century music yes no

Number of person(s) _____

