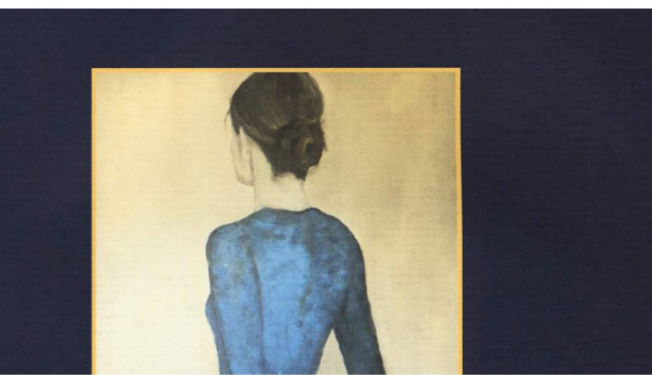


THE ITALIAN BOOK CLUB

Spring 2020



Italian Book Club

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The Italian Book Club, presented by Enrica Maria Ferrara, will explore 3 books by Italian authors.

During the first meeting, the facilitator of the Book Club will introduce the book and give some information about its author. Then, each participant will have the chance to read aloud selected passages of the book. During the reading, aspects of the book's grammar, its language structures and its lexicon will be highlighted and explained by the facilitator, and participants will be encouraged to ask questions about the passages that they have found more challenging to read.

During the second meeting, each participant will be encouraged to discuss the book and the facilitator will guide the conversation by asking questions about the book's characters, plot, message as well as its style and the overall enjoyment of the reading experience.

Please note that for this course an advanced level of Italian is required.

The Club consists of 6 meetings of 2 hours each, for a total of **12 hours**.

Returning participants and current students - **€150**

New participants - **€170**

The Book Club will meet on **Wednesday** evenings from 6.30pm to 8.30pm, from **25th March to 10th June 2020**.

The enrolment period closes on the 20th of March.

Please note that a minimum number of subscriptions must be achieved in order for the Book Club to be confirmed.

Programme

25 March, 9 April:

Gianrico Carofiglio, *La versione di Fenoglio*, Einaudi

22 April, 6 May:

Simona Baldelli, *Vicolo dell'Immaginario*, Sellerio

27 May, 10 June:

Giuseppe Lupo, *Breve storia del mio silenzio*, Marsilio

“Leggendo non cerchiamo idee nuove, ma pensieri già da noi pensati, che acquistano sulla pagina un suggello di conferma. Ci colpiscono degli altri le parole che risuonano in una zona già nostra – che già viviamo – e facendola vibrare ci permettono di cogliere nuovi spunti dentro di noi”

Cesare Pavese

Vi aspettiamo!



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