The Italian Section, Flinders University, with the collaboration of SAIA-Italian Centre, the Italian Consulate and Comites, Adelaide, is holding

**The Second Conference on the Impact of Italians in South Australia**

Friday 10 October 2003 (6.00 pm. to 9.30 pm.) and Saturday 11 October 2003 (8.30 am. to 5.00 pm.) at the Italian Centre, 262 Carrington St., Adelaide.

**Conference fee**
The registration fee for the conference is A$70.00 and includes attendance at the Friday evening and all-day Saturday sessions, lunch and morning and afternoon tea on the Saturday. The fee for full-time students is $35. On full fee only there is a 10% discount for registration before 1 October 2003. All fees are GST inclusive.

**Registration**
Please forward the attached form, together with your payment, to:

The Impact of Italians Conference, Department of Languages, Flinders University, GPO Box 2100, Adelaide SA 5001.

A tax invoice/receipt will be issued upon receipt of payment.

**Contact for enquiries**
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**Website**
The registration form and programme details may also be downloaded from the website:


The first Conference on the ‘Impact of Italians in South Australia’, which was held in 1993, proved to be a resounding success. Ten years later much has changed in terms of community, impact, and issues. A great deal of research has been done since 1993 on the settlement and impact of Italians in SA. It is appropriate and timely, therefore, that a second conference be held at which experts, professionals, and the wider community have the opportunity to interact, exchange ideas and discuss issues and concerns that are of interest to South Australians today.

The 2003 Second Conference on the Impact of Italians in South Australia will enable the Italian community (in the broadest sense of first, second and third generation members) to have a better understanding of themselves, their heritage, and their contribution to South Australia in historical, cultural, economic and social terms. It will provide a means by which non-Italians can learn of the impact that Italians are making and have made in SA in a variety of spheres. It will be an opportunity for young Australian-Italians to acquire a new awareness of themselves, their identity and their roots. It will provide a forum for debate and the exchange of ideas on issues that are relevant now and are important for the future.
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Programme*

Friday 10 October

6.00-7.00 pm: Registration and light refreshments
7.00-7.20 pm: Opening addresses
7.30-8.15 pm: Gianfranco Cresciani: “Refractory migrants: Fascist surveillance of Italians in Australia 1922-1940”.
8.15-8.45: Vincenzo Andreacchio: “The place and relevance of Italian regional arts for students learning Italian in multicultural Australia”.
8.45- 9.15: Desmond O’Connor: “The post-war settlement of Italians in South Australia”.

Saturday 11 October

8.15-8.30 Late registrations
8.30-10-30 Lara Palombo: “The F-Files: the internment of Italian women in Australia”.
Alessandro Gardini: “Refugees from Venezia Giulia in South Australia: the forgotten Italians”.
Monica Tolcvay: “Community and Church: the activities of the CIWA in post-war Adelaide”.
Sara King: “Italians on the land: fruit and vine growers in the Riverland and the Southern Vales”.
10.30-11.00 Morning tea
11.00-12.30 Giancarlo Chiro: “Core values and cultural identity in a group of first-generation Italian immigrants in South Australia”.
Diana Glenn: “Experiential narratives of a group of first-generation Italian Australians in SA: preliminary findings”.
Kathy Bernardi: “The teaching of Italian in South Australia over the last ten years”.
12.30-1.30 Lunch
1.30-3.00 Teodoro Spiniello / Don Totino: “Commerce and industry: the contribution of SA’s Italians”.
Daniela Rose: “Calabrese settlement in SA with specific reference to migrants from Caulonia”.
Antonio Mercurio & Angela Scarino: “E ... partimmo: Textual and visual narratives of theangiorgesi in Adelaide, 1927-2003”.
3.00-3.30 Break
3.30-4.00 Marcia Fisher: “Caring for the aged in South Australia”.
4.00-4.45 Marco Quaglia (chair): Youth panel: “Issues for young Australians of Italian background”.
4.45-5.00 Closing remarks.

*Programme subject to minor variations