The Summer School will be held in Ameglia (La Spezia) from August 23 to 28, 2016 at the Santa Croce Monastery, Bocca di Magra, in Via Santa Croce, 3.

Participation is open to all students enrolled in universities, to researchers, and to anyone interested in the contents of the course. The Summer School will accept 30 participants max. Participants must register online at www.unicatt.it/formazionepermanente and at the same time send their application submitting their curriculum vitae and a motivational letter to Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore – Segreteria Summer School in Scienze Religiose “Scritture Sacre” via Carducci 30, 20123 Milano Tel. +39.02.7234.5701 Fax +39.02.7234.5706 formazione.permanente-mi@unicatt.it. The selection will be based on merit, experience, and motivations. The final deadline to apply is June 20, 2016.

The registration fee for the Summer School is € 400.00 + 22% VAT (€ 488.00). The amount includes the participation in the activities of the Summer School (lectures and seminars), educational resources and extra-curricular activities. Accommodation, meals and entrance fees to monuments/attractions are excluded. A new reduction is available for students enrolled in other universities: the amount is € 300.00 + 22% VAT (€ 366.00). For students enrolled in the Università Cattolica the participation fee is € 250.00 + 22% VAT (€ 304.00). The registration fee must be paid upon confirmation of admission and no later than July 8, 2016 by wire transfer to Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore c/o Banca Intesa Sanpaolo, Codice I B A N IT07W0306903390 211610000191, specifying the name of the participant and the title of the course on the reason for payment line. The registration fee is non-refundable except in the event of cancellation of the course and in any event within the terms provided under the heading General rules of enrollment to the courses of milano.unicatt.it.

During the Summer School participants will be staying at the Santa Croce Monastery. The daily hotel rate per person is € 55.00 full board in a double bedroom. Few single rooms are available, subject to availability, for € 70.00 full board. As soon as your admission is confirmed you can make your request at the Segreteria della formazione permanente who will check the availability. The fees will be paid directly on site.

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The Monastery, San Nicola del Carro, steeped in history and legend, is located in the town of Ameglia in the province of La Spezia, on the far slope of the Caprione headland, overlooking the mouth of the Magra river. It was founded February 2nd, 1175 in accordance with the will of the bishop of Luni, Lindo 1152 and Anastasio Ballestrero, the Provinciar Superior of the Carmelites of Liguria, bought the estate and turned it into a spirituality center. Since then the San Nicola Monastery, run by the Discalced Carmelites Friars, offers hospitality, and with its ample indoor and outdoor spaces, it can accommodate large groups.

The Monastery is located in the heart of what was once called ancient Lunigiana, a rich land of art and history, of lush landscapes where life is highly liveable. Its strategic geographical location on the border between Liguria and Tuscany makes it a covered destination for cultural and spiritual tourism.
**Introduction**

The event is primarily aimed at undergraduate seniors, graduate students and at those who are undergoing further specialization in humanities, as well as teachers in the same field. Some courses will be held in English.

**Program**

- **Tuesday morning (Aug. 23)**
  - **Introduction**
    - Gian Luca Potestà, Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore
- **Wednesday morning (Aug. 24)**
  - La Bibbia ebraica: formazione e traduzioni.
    - Marco Rainini, Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore
- **Wednesday afternoon (Aug. 24)**
  - La questione dell’ispirazione del Corano e lo studio critico del testo nel mondo islamico: storia e prospettive
    - Enzo Pace, Università degli Studi di Padova
- **Thursday morning (Aug. 25)**
  - The divine inspiration as a problem and as a solution
    - Marco Rizzi, Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore
- **Thursday afternoon (Aug. 25)**
  - The Reformers of 16th Century and the Vernacular Bible
    - Giovanni Vian, Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore
- **Friday morning (Aug. 26)**
  - Guided tours of the surroundings in significant cultural and religious sites
    - Marco Rainini
- **Saturday morning (Aug. 27)**
  - Saturday afternoon (Aug. 27)
  - Saturday morning (Aug. 27)
  - Saturday afternoon (Aug. 27)
  - Saturday evening (Aug. 27)

**Aim**

The Summer School is a set of books that steered theology and spirituality, offered moral guidance and behavioral provisions, left an profound influence on art and politics. Today the study of the principles and contents of the Scripture seems to be of utmost importance, as it has so far been the case of the study of the Scriptures.

**Intended audience**

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**Certificate**

- All the events of the Summer School will provide a certificate of attendance.

**Admissions**

- The Summer School is part of the teachers training and continuing education initiatives carried out by Università Cattolica and automatically recognized by the Italian school administration, according to current legislation, and allows, for teachers of all levels, the legal and economic benefits of participating in training initiatives, and, if financed by the "Custo del docente" provided by the 107/2015 lexi known as “La Buona Scuola”.

**Friday afternoon (Aug. 26)**

- Guided Tours of the surroundings in significant cultural and religious sites

**Scientific Committee**

- **Scientific Director**
  - Gian Luca Potestà
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**Extra Information**

- **Certification**
  - Participants will receive a certificate of attendance.

**Participants**

- **Researchers**
  - Marco Rainini, Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore
  - Marco Rizzi, Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore
- **Teachers**
  - Enzo Pace, Università degli Studi di Padova
  - Giovanni Vian, Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore

**Intended Audience**

- **Graduate Students**
  - Teachers in the same field.
- **General Public**
  - People interested in the themes covered and their historical background.