



GENERATIONS OF CHANGE

PROTEST AND REFORM IN THE AMERICAN EXPERIENCE

MAY
5-8 2025
CENTRO STUDI AMERICANI

SEMINAR ON U.S. HISTORY, LITERATURE, AND CULTURE

OPENING REMARKS

 2:30 pm

Roberto SGALLA
Center for American Studies

Karen SCHINNERER
U.S. Embassy to Italy

Daniele FIORENTINO
Seminar Director

Sabrina VELLUCCI
Seminar Director

Leonardo BUONOMO
AISNA President

KEYNOTE SPEECH
online
 3:00 pm

Michael KAZIN
Georgetown University

ROUND TABLE

 4:30 pm

Introduction and Chair

Lorenzo COSTAGUTA
University of Bristol

Speakers

Katharine CAPSHAW
University of Connecticut

Alice CIULLA
Università Roma Tre


Cinzia SCARPINO
Università degli Studi di Milano


Tbd

 6:00pm

Q&A

Introduction and chair 🕒 10:00 am	Daniele FIORENTINO Università Roma Tre
	<i>Civil Rights Heroes in Literature for Young People: Mobilizing Innocence and Complicating Memory</i> Katharine CAPSHAW University of Connecticut
	Q&A
🕒 11:15 am	BREAK
🕒 11:45 am	<i>"We Are People of This Generation": America's Young Confront the Postwar World</i> WORKSHOP Alexander BLOOM Wheaton College
	Q&A
🕒 1:00 pm	LUNCH
ROUND TABLE 🕒 2:30 pm Introduction and Chair	Lorenzo COSTAGUTA University of Bristol
Speakers	Matteo PRETELLI Università degli Studi di Napoli L'Orientale Alice GUSSONI Università degli Studi di Padova Maria Susanna GARRONI Sapienza Università di Roma
	Q&A
🕒 04.30 pm	<i>The Times They Are a-Changin'</i> Alessandro PORTELLI Sapienza Università di Roma

<p>Introduction and chair</p> <p> 10:00 am</p>	<p>Sabrina VELLUCCI Università Roma Tre</p>
	<p><i>"I Am a Marxist of the Groucho Faction": Youth and the Making of the Counterculture</i> Alexander BLOOM Wheaton College</p>
	<p>Q&A</p>
<p> 11:15 am</p>	<p>BREAK</p>
<p> 11:45 am</p>	<p><i>Black American Children's Poetry, Intersecting Audiences, and Social Change</i> Katharine CAPSHAW University of Connecticut</p>
	<p>Q&A</p>
<p> 1:00 pm</p>	<p>LUNCH</p>
<p> 2:30 pm Introduction and Chair</p>	<p>Daniele FIORENTINO Università Roma Tre</p>
<p>Book Round Table</p>	<p><i>The Age of Reconstruction: How Lincoln's New Birth of Freedom Remade the World</i> Don H. Doyle University of South Carolina</p> <p>Thomas J. BROWN University of South Carolina</p> <p>Alessandro HUBER Università Roma Tre</p>
	<p>Q&A</p>
<p> 4:00 pm</p>	<p>Marjorie SPRUILL University of South Carolina</p>

<p>Introduction and chair</p> <p> 10:00 am</p>	<p>Stefano FRANCESCHINI Università Roma Tre</p>
<p>Book Round Table</p>	<p><i>Other Americas: Paradigm Changes and Generational Conflicts</i></p> <p>Salvatore MARANO Università degli Studi di Catania</p> <p>Gigliola NOCERA Università degli Studi di Catania</p> <p>Donatella IZZO Università di Napoli L'Orientale</p>
	<p>Q&A</p>
<p>11:15 am</p>	<p>BREAK</p>
<p>11:30 am</p>	<p><i>STUDENT WORKSHOPS a discussion and evaluation of the seminar</i></p>
	<p>Q&A</p>
<p>1:00 pm</p>	<p>Certificate Awarding</p>