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Among other aims, the intention is to reflect on the new challenges facing the future of these sciences and on new working methods and how they relate to the past.

We are therefore pleased to invite all students, technicians and researchers to present their work and bring these or other issues to the debate.

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Thursday 11th May
09:30 UTC+1 – Welcoming
09:45-10:00 UTC+1 – Opening – professor Herminia Vilar, Dean of University of Évora.

10:00 – 10:45 UTC+1 – Plenary/Opening session – Attilio Bartoli Langeli (University of Padova, Italy) – “L’écriture et l’histoire, le document et l’histoire : les tournants de la paléographie et de la diplomatie”. Online Zoom.

10:45 - 11:10 coffee break

11:10 – 13:00 UTC+1 Session I: Paleography
11:10 – 11:40 Keynote – Julia Crick (King’s College, UK) – “Palaeography and the transnational”.
11:40 - 12:00 – João Alves Dias (CHAM, University Nova of Lisbon, Portugal) – “O português é tramado: formas gráficas na língua portuguesa”
12:00 - 12:20 - Chiara Rosso – “Standing on the shoulders of the giant: localizing ninth-century manuscripts after Bischoff”.
12:20 - 12:40 – Israel Aquino-Cabreira (University of Rio Grande do Sul (UFRGS), Brazil) - “Use of paleographic sources for the construction of metasources: potentialities and challenges in the production of historical knowledge”. Online Zoom.
12:40 – 13:00 – Francesca Pontini (University of Stirling, Scotland, UK) - “Secretary and Italic hand in Britain in the sixteenth-century: a problem of perceptions”

13:00 – 13:30 - Debate

13:30 - 15:00 - Lunch

15:00 - 16:30 UTC+1 - Session II: Philology and paleography
15:00 - 15:30 - Keynote – Alicia Duhá Lose (University of Bahia (UFBA), Brazil) – “Critérios de transcrição e o impacto no acesso aos dados linguísticos: o caso das "Memórias do Cardeal Patriarca de Lisboa" ou "Memórias do Marques de Pombal", português do Séc. XVII”.

15:30 – 15:50 – Antonio Ackel (University of S. Paulo, Brazil) - “Teorias e métodos filológicos e paleográficos para o estudo de criptogramas”

15:50 - 16:10 – Fernanda Olival (CIDEHUS), Helena Freire Cameron (Instituto Politécnico de Portalegre; CIDEHUS) Renata Vieira (CIDEHUS), Fátima Farrica (CIDEHUS- University of Évora, Portugal) - “Entidades Nomeadas e anotação de textos históricos: categorias e critérios”

16:10 - 16:30 - Debate

16:30 – 16:45 coffee break

16:45 - 18:00 UTC+1 - **Session III: Diplomatics**

16:45 - 17:15 – **Keynote** – Daniel Piñol Alabart (University of Barcelona, Spain) - “La historia del notariado hoy: investigación, oportunidades, retos”.

17:15 – 17:45 - Enrico Fenu (Soprintendenza archivistica della Sardegna) – “El simbolismo gráfico en la firma autógrafa de los reyes de Aragón: notas sobre la "L coronada de Valencia". Online Zoom.

17:45 - 18:15 – Luis Felipe Vélez Pérez (Universidad Nacional de Colombia) – “Diplomática y sigilografia en los protocolos de escribanos de la ciudad de Rionegro durante la Primera República de la Nueva Granada, 1810-1816”. Online Zoom

18:15 - 18:35 - Debate

**Friday 12th May**

10:00 - 11:50 UTC+1 - **Session IV: Sigilography and Codicology**

10:00 - 10:30 - **Keynote** – Laurent Macé (University of Toulouse, France) – “Un prélàt dans un cercle de plomb. La bulle épiscopale dans la Provence rhodanienne (XIIe-XIIIe siècles)”. Online Zoom

10:30 - 10:50 – Justina Sipaviciute – “Forgery of seals and stamps in the Grand Duchy of Lithuania in the 16th-18th centuries”

10:50 - 11:10 – Sofia Orsino (University of Ca' Foscari Venice, Italy) – “Logical manuscripts from the Latin 12th century and how to describe them. Challenges and perspectives”

11:10 - 11:30 – Maria do Rosário Morujão (CHSC, University of Coimbra) - “Um colector apostólico do século XIV e a sua matriz sigilar”
11:30 - 11:45 Debate

11:45 - 12:00 coffee break

12:00 - 12:30 UTC+1 - Session V: Archives
12:30 - 12:50 - Keynote – Jorge Janeiro (Director of Distrital Archive of Évora, Portugal) – “Arquivística: de ciência auxiliar a ciência interdisciplinar”
12:50 – 13:10 – Ana Margarida Dias da Silva (University of Coimbra) – “Reconstruir o Cartório da Santa Casa da Misericórdia de Coimbra gaveta a gaveta (século XVI a XIX)”
13:10 - 13:30 - Montserrat Andrea Báez Hernández (University of Teramo/KU Leuven) – “Desiderosi di avere il corpo di un S. Martire...The Archivio Storico del Vicariato di Roma, the archival source for the research of corpi santi donations from Rome to America, 1850-1890”.
13:30 - 13:50 Debate

13:50 – 15:00 – Lunch

15:00 - 16:50 UTC+1 - Session VI: Agents and chanceries
15:00 - 15:30 - Keynote - Carmen del Camiño Martinez (University of Seville, Spain) – “Agentes, cancillerías y escritura. Algunas reflexiones”.
15:30 - 15:50 – Adrián Ares Legaspi (University of Zaragoza, Spain) - “La escribanía del "bispado de Tuy da parte de Portugall": organización, componentes y funcionamiento”. Online Zoom.
15:50 - 16:10 – João Costa (CHAM – University Nova of Lisbon, Portugal) – “Das letras à política. Os tabeliães de Palmela e Setúbal na Idade Média”
16:10 - 16:30 – Marcin Sumowski (Nicolaus Copernicus University in Toruń, Poland) – “A Long Life of the Accounting Book. Medieval Accounts of Toruń Churches from Writing Down to Electronic Edition”.
16:30 - 16:50 debate

16:50-17:15 coffee break
17:15 – 18:00 UTC+1 - **Closing session – Manuel Salamanca Lopez** (University Complutense of Madrid, Spain) - “When History needs to be written: the “green book” by Marcelino de Vergara”.