

**THURSDAY
2 FEBRUARY**

**HARRY CROWE ROOM:
ATKINSON COLLEGE**

6:00 P.M. WELCOME

Gabriele Scardellato

Chair Designate, The Mariano A. Elia Chair
in Italian-Canadian Studies

KEYNOTE SPEAKER

Franca Iacovetta

History, University of Toronto
Italian-Canadian History, Evidence, and
Presentation: An Inventory of Alternatives

INTRODUCTION

Gabriele Scardellato

Introduction of SATURNIA Documentary

Q&A

Ferdinando Dell'Omo and Lilia Topouzova
Directors of SATURNIA

7:30 P.M. LIGHT BUFFET RECEPTION

Sponsored by Founders College
Prof. Mauro Buccheri, Master

**FRIDAY
3 FEBRUARY**

**ROOM 303:
FOUNDERS COLLEGE**

8:30 A.M. COFFEE & WELCOME

Gabriele Scardellato

The Mariano A. Elia Chair in Italian-
Canadian Studies

Caroline DiCocco

Chair, ICAP Executive

09:00 - 10:30 A.M. SSHRC PRESENTATIONS

CHAIR: Clara Sacchetti-Dusfresne
aig+c, Lakehead University

Gianni Rossi

SSHRC Program Officer,
Partnerships Portfolio
Partnership Grants & Partnership
Development Grants

10:30 - 10:45 A.M. Q&A

Janet Friskney

Dean's Office, Faculty of LA&PS,
York University

BREAK

11:00 - 12:30 A.M. PANEL

**National, institutional and community
archiving perspectives**

CHAIR: Gabriella Colussi Arthur
York University

Fr. Ezio Marchetto, C.S.

International initiatives for archiving
Italian emigration experiences

Stan Carbone

Jewish Museum of Western Canada
Institutional archiving

Gabriele Scardellato

York University
Archiving strategies for "virtual
institutions"

LUNCH & TOUR OF ARCHIVES OF ONTARIO

1:45 - 3:00 P.M. PANEL

From traditional to digital archiving

CHAIR: Gabriele Scardellato
York University

Garima Banerji

Archives of Ontario

Caroline Di Cocco

ICAP
Associational life and the archival record



Roberto Perin

York University
Digital collections, Ellis Island records

BREAK

3:15 - 4:30 P.M. PANEL

Methods of outreach and education

CHAIR: Maria Cioni

University of Toronto,
Faculty of Engineering

Rob Leverty

Executive Director,
Ontario Historical Society
Archival, museum and local history
organizations in Ontario

Anne Urbancic

University of Toronto
A community-based archiving project

Cassidy Bankson

Pier 21 Museum
Space, Authority, Memory: Oral History
with Italian-Canadians at Pier 21

6:00 P.M. BUFFET DINNER

Michelangelo's Restaurant,
Atkinson College

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Chair in Italian-Canadian Studies**

7:30 P.M. GUEST SPEAKER

Nino Ricci

\$#*+ My Dad Says: Culture & Personal History

Photo exhibition by **Vincenzo Pietropaolo**

**SATURDAY
4 FEBRUARY**

**ROOM 303:
FOUNDERS COLLEGE**

9:00 A.M. COFFEE & OPENING REMARKS

Caroline Di Cocco
Chair, ICAP Executive

PLENARY SESSION: NEXT STEPS

**9:30 - 10:30 A.M. POTENTIAL SOURCES
OF FUNDING**

Clara Sacchetti-Dufresne, Maria Cioni
Overview & Discussion

**10:30 A.M. - 12:30 P.M. OPEN DISCUSSION
& PRELIMINARY COMMITMENTS**

Short-term goals
Collections at risk (6 month objectives)

Medium-term goals
Community involvement (12 month
objectives - next conference)

Long-term goals
Research models/projects; outreach

BREAK

12:45 - 1:00 P.M. CONCLUDING REMARKS

**Gabriele Scardellato and
Caroline Di Cocco**



The Italian-Canadian Archives Project (ICAP) is an initiative of the Mariano A. Elia Chair in Italian-Canadian Studies at York University. The initiative has received the strong support - financial and otherwise - of a number of institutions and individuals including Dr Mauro Peressini, Curator, Canadian Museum of Civilization; Professor Mauro Buccheri and Founders College, York University; Professor Todd Dufresne and aig+c, Lakehead University; and John Bonofiglio and the Institute of Italian Studies, Lakehead University. A first step for this initiative was the creation of an ICAP committee including an executive consisting of Maria Cioni, Gabriella Colussi Arthur, Caroline Di Cocco, Clara Sacchetti-Dufresne and Laura Nigro. These dedicated individuals have taken on the task of crafting and implementing the group's objectives and functions and of organizing this 2nd National Conference/Workshop and they are owed a warm thank you for all of their efforts.

2ND NATIONAL CONFERENCE / WORKSHOP

TOWARDS A NATIONAL ITALIAN- CANADIAN ARCHIVE



The
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KEYNOTE SPEAKERS

FRANCA IACOVETTA & NINO RICCI

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