The Italian Art Society is pleased to announce a competition for the

**IAS/KRESS LECTURE IN NAPLES, ITALY SPRING 2015**

The IAS is actively seeking a speaker for the 2015 Lecture in NAPLES Italy to promote intellectual exchange between North American and Italian scholars, supported by the IAS and the Samuel H. Kress Foundation.

- The speaker must be an established scholar with a PhD and a solid publication record, based in North America.
- The proposed lecture may address any period in Italian art but must be related to the host city of Naples or its environs.
- The lecture may be given in Italian or English, should be approximately 45 minutes in length, and may not have been previously published or presented at another conference or venue.
- The selected presenter will receive an honorarium of $700 and a $900 supplementary lecture allowance, which can be used for travel, lodging, or translation expenses.
- The applicant must be a member of the Italian Art Society at time of application and lecture.
- The speaker must be available to present on 20 May 2015.

Applications should include a letter of introduction, plus a one-page abstract of the paper to be delivered, and a current CV (submitted in a single PDF or Word document).

**The deadline for the grant application is 4 JAN. 2015**

Questions and applications should be directed to Cathleen Fleck, President of the IAS president@italianartsociety.org. If you have submitted a proposal and have not received confirmation of receipt, please contact Dr. Fleck.

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