FRIDAY, 18 MARCH 2011

1.00 – 2.00  
Welcome and opening remarks, followed by Lunch

2.00 – 3.00  
Opening Address, Professor Joseph Farrell, 
Patrick Brydone, A Scots Observer in Sicily

3.00 – 3.15  
Afternoon Tea

Session A:
3.15 – 4.00  
Tom MacPherson, Off Centre in the New World: Assimilation Experiences of a Bicultural American Family

SATURDAY, 19 MARCH 2011

Session B:
9.30 – 11.00  
Eric Richards, Scotland, the Highlands and ‘the Elephant Question’
Karen Agutter, Southern, Sicilian and ‘Inferior’!
Eric Richards and Karen Agutter, The Highlands and Sicily Compared and Contrasted

11.00 – 11.30  
Morning tea

Session C:
11.30 – 1.00  
Stefano Bona, The Unification of Italy Seen from the Sicilians’ Point of View: The Case of Tomasi di Lampedusa's "The Leopard"
Liz Campbell, Double lives: some observations about the lives and works of Luigi Pirandello and Robert Louis Stevenson
Luciana d’Arcangeli, Sicilian Waistcoats and Scottish Kilts: Cinema from Opposite Extremes?

1.00 – 2.00  
Lunch

Session D:
2.00 – 3.30  
Melinda Graefe, Science and landscape in the travel narratives of Vincenzo Lunardi and Patrick Brydone
Graham Tulloch, Turning Points: Scotland and Sicily, Scott and Lampedusa
Jonathan Esposito, Distant Caledonians: Scottish travellers in Sicily and the South of Italy, 1600-1900