



## The Italian Art Society announces its 1<sup>st</sup> Annual DISSERTATION RESEARCH GRANT

- 🏠 What? The grant is for funding of up to \$1000, available for use for twelve months.
- 🏠 Why? The grant is to fund or subsidize dissertation research travel.
- 🏠 About what? The grant is to support dissertation research relating to the study of any aspect of the architecture or visual arts of Italy, from the prehistoric period to the present day.
- 🏠 For whom? Ph.D. candidates of any nationality who are members of the IAS and who have not received an IAS award in the past two years are welcome to apply.

### **NEW!** Fogliano/Lester Research Grant

Beginning in January of 2016, IAS will offer one additional dissertation grant of up to \$1000.00, in honor of Peter Fogliano and Hal Lester, for projects concerning art and architecture in Italy between ca. 1250 and ca. 1600. The Fogliano/Lester Dissertation Grant project will be selected from the pool of IAS Dissertation Grant applications. No special application is necessary.

**Applicants must be IAS members at the time of application and use of the funds.** Priority will be given to meritorious projects with demonstrated need. IAS officers and committee members are not eligible to apply.

### **Application deadline: 10 January 2016**

- 🏠 How to apply? Applicants must submit a cover letter indicating membership status, a one-page description of the project, a two-page CV, a proposed budget, and a statement of other potential financial resources. Applications should be submitted in English as a **single WORD or PDF document** (with last name in title) in an email attachment.
- 🏠 To whom? Please send the materials to Janis Elliott, Chair of the Awards Committee, at [awards@italianartsociety.org](mailto:awards@italianartsociety.org). If you have submitted a proposal and have not received confirmation of receipt, please contact Dr. Elliott.

The IAS Awards Committee will determine the awarding of the grant, with final approval by the Board of Directors. Upon acceptance of the grant, the awardee must submit a 500-word abstract of the project to be posted on the IAS website. Funding must be used within one year from date of receipt and a final report indicating actual expenses must be submitted to the IAS Treasurer and IAS President within 60 days of the completion of the research award period. IAS will not reimburse for research expenses incurred before or after the grant period indicated by the award.

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