



**The Italian Art Society is delighted to announce
our competition for the**

SEVENTH ANNUAL IAS/KRESS LECTURE IN ITALY Spring 2016

The IAS seeks a speaker for the 2016 IAS/Kress Lecture in Florence, Italy, to promote intellectual exchange between North American art historians and scholars in Italy. The lecture, which will take place on June 1, 2016 at Villa I Tatti, The Harvard University Center for Italian Renaissance Studies, is supported by the IAS and the Samuel H. Kress Foundation

- The speaker must be a senior or established scholar based in North America who holds the Ph.D. and who has a solid publication record.
- The proposed lecture may address any period in Italian art but must be related to the host city of Florence or its environs.
- The lecture may be given in English or Italian, should be approximately 45-50 minutes in length, and may not have been previously published or presented at another conference or venue.
- The presenter will receive an honorarium of \$800.00 and a \$1250.00 supplementary lecture allowance that may be used for travel, lodging, or translation expenses.
- The applicant must be a member of the IAS at time of application and presenting the lecture.
- The speaker must be available to present his or her lecture on June 1, 2016.
- Current IAS officers and committee members are not eligible to apply.

Applications should include a cover letter, a one-to-two page abstract of the proposed lecture, and a current CV (submitted in a single PDF or Word document)

Application Deadline January 8, 2016

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

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