

IQSA Annual Meeting

5-7 September 2022

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Monday 5 September 2022

8.30–12.15 | Palazzo Steri, University of Palermo
Piazza Marina 60

Introductory Remarks

Keynote Lecture by **Roberto Tottoli** (University of Naples L'Orientale):
*Qur'anic Studies Today: Composing Past Approaches and Building
New Perspectives*

Panel: *The Medinan Surahs: An Integrative Approach*

14.00–20.40 | Palazzo Alliata di Villafranca
Piazza Bologna 20

Panel: *Genealogies of Qur'an Translations*

Panel: *Chronology, non-Linearity, Intratextuality, Performance
and Performative Act*

Panel: *Qur'an Translations*

Panel: *Trends in Sufi Tafsi'r*

Panel: *Exegesis, Implausibility and Challenges*

Roundtable: *Qur'anic Coherence*

Performance: *A Read-Through of "Surah Yusuf, A Translation in 5 Acts"*

General Reception

Tuesday 6 September 2022

8.30–19.30 | Palazzo Alliata di Villafranca
Piazza Bologna 20

Panel: *Vision and Visuality in the Qur'an and Beyond*

Panel: *Framing the Antagonist: Modern Readings of the Qur'anic Concept of Fir'awn*

Panel: *Narratives, Predecessors, Contacts*

Panel: *Material Culture*

Project Presentation and Discussion: *Education between the Qur'an and the Bible*

Keynote Lecture by **Johanna Pink** (University of Freiburg):
The Light of Civilization, the Shadow of Empires: Mediterranean Muslims and the Qur'an in the Early 20th Century

Roundtable: *Gender-based Research in Qur'anic Studies. An Exploration of Theoretical and Methodological Directions in Contemporary Scholarship*

Wednesday 7 September 2022

9.30–18.00 | La Pira Library and Research Centre
Via U. Maddalena 112

Panel: *Kitāb, Narratives and Technique*

Keynote Lecture by **Fred Donner** (University of Chicago):
A Historian Looks at the Qur'an

Guided Library Tour and Final Remarks