

ARS SACRA 2023 – NEL DECENNALE
MUSICOLOGICAL AND HISTORICAL CONFERENCE
ALESSANDRIA (AL), ITALY



**DEADLINE POSTPONED
TO 15 SEPTEMBER 2023**

18 - 22 October 2023

The Study Center LR *Edizioni* (lr-edizioni.it) and Conservatory of Music “Antonio Vivaldi” of Alessandria (conservatoriovivaldi.it), will curate the **2023 Edition of the Study Days “Ars Sacra – Nel Decennale”**, Conference of Musicological and Historical Studies.

The meetings will take place in Alessandria (Piedmont, Italy), in the historic seat of the Conservatory, –“Palazzo Cuttica”, Auditorium and/or Abbà-Cornaglia rooms – from the morning of **Wednesday 18 to Sunday, always morning, 22 October 2023**.

Three days will be dedicated to musicological, ethnomusicological and historical-liturgical themes, while one will focus more on archival-library issues. The Conference will conclude with a **Round Table** which will precede the official closure of the works. The organization commits to the publication within one year, with *on-demand* formula, of the congress proceedings.

Alessandria, an important center of medieval origin, is strategically located almost in the center of Piedmont, connected by train and bus to Milan (90 km), Genoa (80 km) and Turin (90 km).

Call for Papers (Proposals)

The organizers invite interested scholars to present Report Proposals, Round Tables and Posters presentations, and own Studies regarding sacred music, the history and the repertoire of ecclesiastical musical chapels, their teachers, topics concerning theology, liturgy and music in the Christian tradition, in one space of time that can embrace all the epochs of our cultural history.

Special sessions will be dedicated to the themes "The Choral Books of St. Pius V", "Sacred Music and Liturgy in the Musical Chapels" and “The Maestro di Cappella: composer and man of faith”.

Submitted proposals of any kind must have a title with an abstract of approximately 200 words, including the proposer's name, institution to which they belong (if any) and email address.

In addition to this, you will need to attach a short curriculum vitae (max 15 lines) and indicate any equipment requests. The report must have a maximum duration of 25 minutes (corresponding to approximately a text of 8 folders for a total of 16,000 characters). It is not possible to submit more than one abstract.

For further information on the Conference, please contact the Study Center LR *Edizioni* or email centro.studi@lr-edizioni.it or via *whatsapp* and/or telegram messaging on (+39) 377.4328764.

Report Proposals, Round Tables, Posters and Studies must be submitted to centro.studi@lr-edizioni.it indicating “Proposta Ars Sacra 2023” as the subject, no later than **Friday 15 September 2023**.

Acceptances, on the other hand, will be communicated to individual scholars by **Wednesday 20 September 2023**.