



PROGRAMME

Thursday 26 September 2019

'Sala del Cenacolo', Piazza in Campo Marzio 42, Roma

14.00-16.00, followed by a cocktail reception until 17.00

Hosted by Senator Michela Montevecchi and Alessandro Fusacchia, Member of Parliament

Seminar on Multilingualism: International standards for language ability

The seminar will consider how clear standards and mutual recognition of language qualifications can encourage and support the learning of a wider range of languages, and enhance the educational and professional opportunities of Italians across Europe and beyond.

Moderated by Angeliki Salamoura, Association of Language Testers in Europe (ALTE)

14.00-14.10	Welcome Alessandro Fusacchia, Member of Parliament Co-host
14.10-14.25	Setting the scene & Common European Framework of Reference for languages (CEFR): What is new and why is the CEFR still relevant for language education? Angeliki Salamoura ALTE (Association of Language Testers in Europe)
14.25-14.45	So, is English alone really enough? Ülle Türk Estonian ministerial adviser and linguistics expert
14.45-14.55	Short Break (time permitting)

14.55 -15.05	AI and language learning, teaching and assessment: A peek into the future
	Angeliki Salamoura
	Principal Research Manager, Cambridge Assessment English Sarah Ellis
	Senior Assessment Services Manager, Cambridge Assessment English
15.05-15.20	<i>Opening up the choice – the European Commission's new Recommendation on language learning</i>
	Vito Borrelli
	Deputy Head, Commissione Europea - Rappresentanza in Italia
15:20-15:30	Between plurilingualism and lingua franca: the university for foreigners of Perugia and the comprehensive approach to international relations
	Prof. Emidio Diodato
	Università per Stranieri di Perugia
15.30-15.40	Multilinguismo a scuola in Italia
	Giulia Peri
	Centro CILS, Università per Stranieri di Siena
15.40-15.50	Discussion and Q&A
15.50-16.00	Closing remarks
	Senator Michela Montevecchi
	Co-host
16.00-17.00	Cocktail reception and networking