

Booklet FSE 2025

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1 Welcome to Rome



Rome, the Eternal City, is a place rich in history, culture, and art. Founded, according to legend, in 753 BC, Rome is the only city in the world that has been capital during all its millenary story, from being the capital of the ancient Roman Empire up to being the capital of Italy nowadays. The Eternal city offers a unique blend of antiquity and modernity that captivates visitors from around the world.

1.1 Landmarks and Attractions

A complete list of all the attractions of Rome does not exist, because it would be too long, as Rome is itself an attraction. Anyway, the most famous ones include:

- **Colosseum:** The largest ancient amphitheater ever built.
- **Roman Forum:** The heart of ancient Rome's public life.
- **Pantheon:** A temple dedicated to all Roman gods, famous for its dome.
- **Trevi Fountain:** The largest and most famous fountain in Rome.
- **Piazza Navona:** A stunning example of Baroque Roman architecture.

1.1.1 Rione Monti

The welcome reception venue is located in one of the main districts of the historical centre of Rome: Rione Monti. Located in the heart of Rome, between Termini station and the Colosseo, Rione Monti is a beautiful ancient district, full of places to visit and that will make you feel as if you were in ancient Rome. Its roads have always been the main access to the **Roman Forum** for Romans. For this reason, this district has always been very important for social life, also due to its proximity to the **Colosseo**. Other of its main attractions are

- **Basilica di San Giovanni in Laterano;**
- **Basilica di Santa Maria Maggiore;**
- **Palazzo delle Esposizioni;**
- **Palazzo Brancaccio;**
- **Palazzo della Consulta;**
- **Palazzo del Viminale;**
- **Basilica di San Pietro in Vincoli**

and a lot of bars and restaurants where you can enjoy nightlife and taste the delicious Roman cuisine. You can find the full list of attractions at <https://www.turismoroma.it/it/quartieri/esquilino-monti>.



1.1.2 Testaccio

The main conference venue is located in Testaccio district. Very close to the famous areas of **Circo Massimo** and **Trastevere**, this district is the heart of Romanity: its popular roots, small ancient boutiques and signs in marble make it fascinating. Some of its attractions are:

- **Piazza Testaccio;**
- **Monte Testaccio;**
- **Cimitero Acattolico;**
- **Piramide Cestia;**
- **Giardino degli Aranci**

and a stop in some of its typical Roman restaurants. Indeed, this district is the house of some typical Roman recipes like carbonara, cacio e pepe and amatriciana.



1.1.3 Musei Capitolini

The **Capitoline Museums**, founded in 1471 by Pope Sixtus IV, are the world's oldest public museums. Located on **Piazza del Campidoglio**, designed by Michelangelo, they house an exceptional collection of ancient sculptures, Renaissance masterpieces, and archaeological treasures. Highlights include the Equestrian Statue of Marcus Aurelius, the iconic She-wolf of Rome, and works by Caravaggio, Rubens, and Titian. The museums span Palazzo dei Conservatori and Palazzo Nuovo, connected by an underground gallery leading to the Tabularium, offering stunning views of the Roman Forum. Perched atop the Capitoline Museums,

Terrazza Caffarelli offers breathtaking views of Rome, from the Vittoriano to St. Peter's Basilica. The **social banquet** will take place in this prestigious setting, blending fine dining with history and panoramic beauty, ensuring an unforgettable experience.



1.2 Local Cuisine

Famous Roman dishes include:

- **Carbonara:** Pasta with eggs, guanciale, pecorino cheese and pepper.
- **Amatriciana:** Pasta with tomato, guanciale and pecorino cheese.
- **Gricia:** Amatriciana without tomato.
- **Cacio e Pepe:** Pasta with grated pecorino cheese and black pepper.
- **Carciofi alla Romana:** Artichokes cooked with mint and garlic.
- **Saltimbocca alla Romana:** Veal with prosciutto and sage, cooked in white wine.
- **Abbacchio alla Scottadito:** Grilled young lamb ('scottadito' literally means 'burned finge', and the name gives you a clue as to what you are in for).
- **Coda alla Vaccinara:** Oxtail stew cooked with various vegetables, notably celery.
- **Trippa alla Romana:** Cow's stomach simmered in a rich tomato sauce spiked with mint, and enriched with pecorino cheese.
- **Maritozzo:** Massive leavened sweet buns freshly stuffed with lightly sweetened whipped cream.

1.3 Eating in Italy

Few simple rules:

1. regional dishes rule: Italian cuisine is very regional. Do not expect to find any 'Italian' dish everywhere!
2. drinking and eating go hand-in-hand: do not order cappuccino and Aperol spritz during lunches and dinners (and choose wine instead of beer);
3. pasta is usually a first course, not a main dish or a side dish (actually, don't even think about a 'main course' in Italian cuisine);

4. breakfast is a short, small, and sweet start to the day (note that 'latte' is milk in Italian, so do not expect coffee with it + coffee is always espresso);
5. breakfast is the only time of day when Italians drink a cappuccino;
6. pasta isn't eaten with bread or salad;
7. do not use a knife to cut spaghetti (and do not break them in general);
8. tagliatelle alfredo, spaghetti bolognese, spaghetti with meatballs, pizza with pineapple, ketchup, etc.: just not Italian at all;
9. don't eat fish with cheese (generally, you probably shouldn't ask for extra cheese);
10. no dinner before 7 pm (or later);
11. no tips, but 'coperto': a small fee (1 - 3 Euros per person) for table items like bread, olive oil, vinegar, salt, and pepper.

1.4 Restaurant Suggestions

Restaurants in Testaccio

- **Taverna Testaccio**

Via di Monte Testaccio, 46/48A
00153 Rome, Italy
Phone number: 06 8007 4526
Price: €€

- **Trapizzino** is a modern restaurant where you can taste local street food, like triangular sandwiches, fried rice balls and beer.

Via Giovanni Branca, 88
00153 Rome, Italy
Phone number: +39 06 4341 9624
Price: €

- **Il Grottino** is an ancient pizzeria where you can find also pasta and other typical Italian food.

Via Marmorata, 165
00153 Rome, Italy
Phone number: +39 06 574 6232
Price: €- €€.

- **La villetta 1940** is an ancient exclusive Roman cuisine restaurant, located next to the Piramide Cestia.

Viale della Piramide Cestia, 53,
00153 Rome, Italy
Phone number: +39 06 575 0597
Price: €€€

- **Vinificio** is a winery, but you can also find some food there.

Piazza dell'Emporio, 1
00153 Rome, Italy
Phone number: +39 389 179 8451
Price: €€.

- **Trattoria Pennestri** is a Roman restaurant with traditional food. There are also veg options.

Via Giovanni da Empoli, 5
00154 Rome, Italy
Phone number: +39 06 574 2418
Price: €€€

Restaurants in Monti

- **Taverna Romana** is a typical Roman restaurant. If you need gluten free cuisine, you can call and advise them.

Via della Madonna dei Monti, 40
00184 Rome, Italy
Phone number: 06 474 5325
Price: €€- €€€

- **Le Tavernelle** is another typical Roman restaurant. It is located in one of the most famous streets of the district.

Via Panisperna, 48
00184 Rome, Italy
Phone number: +39 06 474 0724
Price: €€- €€€

- **I Monticiani** is a steakhouse and local restaurant in one of the most famous streets of Monti.

Via Panisperna, 84
00184, Rome, Italy
Phone number: +39 06 4754 3408
Price: €€- €€€

- **Ai Tre Scalini - Bottiglieria dal 1895** is a wine bar and local cuisine restaurant in the east of Monti.

Via Panisperna, 84
00184, Rome, Italy
Phone number: +39 06 4890 7495
Price: €€- €€€

2 Logistical Information

2.1 Useful Phone Numbers

Urgent cases only!

- **Emergency Number (Police, Ambulance, Firefighters) → 112**
- **Medical Emergency and Ambulance → 118**
- **Police Department → 113**
- **Fire Department → 115**

Other useful numbers:

- Tourist service number → +39060608

- Medical Guard (Non-urgent medical assistance) → +3906570600
- Taxi Rome (24/7 Radiotaxi) → +39063570 / +39066645 / +39065551

For more tourist information, visit <https://www.turismoroma.it/>.

2.2 Buses, Metro and Taxis

In Rome, public transportation is managed by ATAC (Azienda per i Trasporti Autoferrotranviari del Comune di Roma). You can buy single tickets (€1.50, valid for 100 minutes from the first validation on buses and trams, or for a single metro ride) or packs of 2, 3, 5, or 10 tickets, ranging from €3.00 to €15.00.

How to Buy Tickets:

- **Tap & Go:** Use a contactless card directly at metro turnstiles.
- **MooneyGo:** App for purchasing and managing tickets.
- **Authorized Retailers:** Tobacco shops, newsstands, some bars.
- **Ticket Machines:** Available in metro stations and major bus stops.

Apps to book a Taxi:

- **Free Now**
- **Chiama Taxi 060609**
- **WeTaxi**

3 FSE 2025 Conference

3.1 General Information

The 31st Fast Software Encryption (FSE 2025) conference will be held in Rome in March 17-21, 2025. The event is organized by the International Association for Cryptologic Research (IACR). More details are available on the official website: <https://fse.iacr.org/2025/>.

3.2 Conference Venue

The conference will be held at the Department of Architecture, Roma Tre University, located in the former Mattatoio complex in the Testaccio district:

Department of Architecture, Roma Tre University

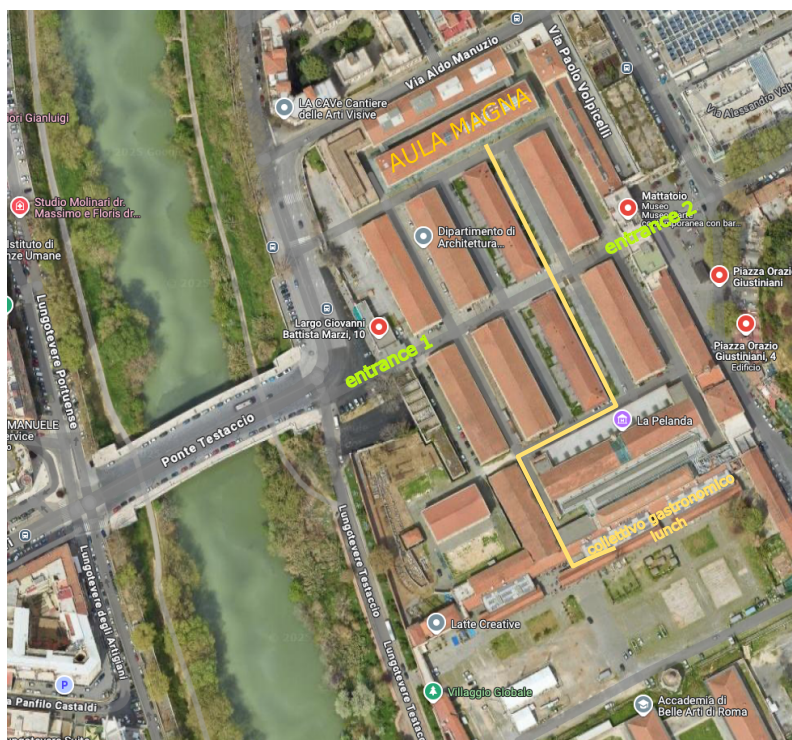
Piazza Orazio Giustiniani, 4

00153 Rome, Italy

You can also enter the campus from:

Largo Giovanni Battista Marzi, 10

00153 Rome, Italy



In Section 4 you can find the complete schedule for the FSE 2025 conference. Please note that the welcome reception and the social banquet take place in different venues. You can find more information in the “Social Events” section.

4 Conference Schedule

Sunday, March 16, 2025

Via della Madonna dei Monti, 40, 00184, Roma (RM)

Time	Event
18:00 - 20:00	Welcome Reception and Registration

Monday, March 17, 2025

Aula Magna di Architettura, Largo Giovanni Battista Marzi, 10, 00153 Roma (RM)

Time	Event
08:30 - 09:15	Registration
09:15 - 10:00	Opening + Award Papers Chair: Orr Dunkelman <i>Permutation-Based Hash Chains with Application to Password Hashing</i> Charlotte Lefevre, Bart Mennink
10:00 - 10:30	Coffee Break
10:30 - 11:30	Session 1 - Permutation-based Cryptography Chair: Yaobin Shen <ul style="list-style-type: none"><i>To Pad or Not To Pad? Padding-Free Arithmetization-Oriented Sponges</i> - Mario Marhuenda Beltrán, Charlotte Lefevre, Bart Mennink<i>SoK: Security of the Ascon Modes</i> - Charlotte Lefevre, Bart Mennink<i>Committing AE from Sponges: Security Analysis of the NIST LWC Finalists</i> - Juliane Krämer, Patrick Struck, Maximiliane Weishäupl
11:30 - 11:50	Break
11:50 - 12:30	Session 2 - Gröbner Bases Chair: Willi Meier <ul style="list-style-type: none"><i>Gröbner Basis Cryptanalysis of Ciminion and Hydra</i> - Matthias Johann Steiner<i>Exploring the Six Worlds of Gröbner Basis Cryptanalysis: Application to Anemoi</i> - Katharina Koschatko, Reinhard Lüftenegger, Christian Rechberger
12:30 - 14:30	Lunch
14:30 - 15:30	Session 3 - On Ciphers for FHE and ZK Chair: Christina Boura <ul style="list-style-type: none"><i>FRASST: TFHE-Friendly Cipher Based on Random S-Boxes</i> - Mingyu Cho, Woohyuk Chung, Jincheol Ha, Jooyoung Lee, Eun-Gyeol Oh, Mincheol Son<i>Monolith: Circuit-Friendly Hash Functions with New Nonlinear Layers for Fast and Constant-Time Implementations</i> - Lorenzo Grassi, Dmitry Khovratovich, Reinhard Lüftenegger, Christian Rechberger, Markus Schofnegger, Roman Walch<i>Opening the Blackbox: Collision Attacks on Round-Reduced Tip5, Tip4, Tip4' and Monolith</i> - Fukang Liu, Katharina Koschatko, Lorenzo Grassi, Hailun Yan, Shiyao Chen, Subhadeep Banik, Willi Meier
15:30 - 16:00	Coffee Break
16:00 - 16:40	Session 4 - Cryptanalysis Chair: Thomas Peyrin <ul style="list-style-type: none"><i>Cryptanalysis of Full-Round BipBip</i> - Jinliang Wang, Christina Boura, Patrick Derbez, Kai Hu, Muzhou Li, Meiqin Wang<i>Key Recovery, Universal Forgery, and Committing Attacks against Revised Rocca: How Finalization Affects Security</i> - Ryunouchi Takeuchi, Yosuke Todo, Tetsu Iwata

Tuesday, March 18, 2025

Aula Magna di Architettura, Largo Giovanni Battista Marzi, 10, 00153 Roma (RM)

Time	Event
09:00 - 10:00	Session 5 - Invited Talk Chair: Kazuhiko Minematsu <i>Two Decades of CMAC</i> Tetsu Iwata
10:00 - 10:30	Coffee Break
10:30 - 11:30	Session 6 - Cryptanalysis of Stream Ciphers 1 Chair: Patrick Felke <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Observations on TETRA Encryption Algorithm TEA-3</i> - Jens Alich, Amund Askeland, Subhadeep Banik, Tim Beyne, Anne Canteaut, Patrick Felke, Gregor Leander, Willi Meier, Lukas Stennes• <i>Dynamic Cube Attacks against Grain-128AEAD</i> - Chen Liu, Tian Tian• <i>Theoretical Linear Cryptanalysis of the 5G Standard Candidate SNOW 5G</i> - Yinuo Liu, Jing Yang, Tian Tian
11:30 - 11:50	Break
11:50 - 12:30	Session 7 - Cryptanalysis of Stream Ciphers 2 Chair: Ryoma Ito <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Significantly Improved Cryptanalysis of Salsa20 with Two-Round Criteria</i> - Sabyasachi Dey, Subhamoy Maitra, Santanu Sarkar, Nitin Kumar Sharma• <i>Differential-Linear Cryptanalysis of Reduced Round ChaCha</i> - Zhichao Xu, Hong Xu, Lin Tan, Wenfeng Qi
12:30 - 14:30	Lunch
14:30 - 15:30	Session 8 - ARX Chair: Yosuke Todo <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Perfect Monomial Prediction for Modular Addition</i> - Kai Hu, Trevor Yap• <i>Finding Complete Impossible Differential Attacks on AndRX Ciphers and Efficient Distinguishers for ARX Designs</i> - Debasmita Chakraborty, Hosein Hadipour, Phuong Hoa Nguyen, Maria Eichlseder• <i>Exact Formula for RX-Differential Probability through Modular Addition for All Rotations</i> - Alex Biryukov, Baptiste Lambin, Aleksei Udovenko
15:30 - 16:00	Coffee Break
16:00 - 20:00	Rump-Session Chairs: Gregor Leander and Bart Mennink

Wednesday, March 19, 2025

Aula Magna di Architettura, Largo Giovanni Battista Marzi, 10, 00153 Roma (RM)

Time	Event
09:00 - 10:00	Session 9 - Boomerangs Chair: André Schrottenloher <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Improved Search of Boomerang Distinguishers for Generalized Feistel and Application to WARP</i> - Xinhao Zeng, Lin Tan, Hong Xu• <i>Impossible Boomerang Attacks Revisited: Applications to Deoxys-BC, Joltik-BC and SKINNY</i> - Jianing Zhang, Haoyang Wang, Deng Tang• <i>On Impossible Boomerang Attacks: Application to Simon and SKINNY</i> - Xavier Bonnetain, Margarita Cordero, Virginie Lallemand, Marine Minier, María Naya-Plasencia
10:00 - 10:30	Coffee-break
10:30 - 11:50	Session 10 - Practical Implications of Cryptanalysis Chair: Maria Naya-Plasencia <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>A More Practical Attack against Yoro</i> - Runhao Wei, Jinliang Wang, Haoyang Wang, Muzhou Li, Yunling Zhang, Meiqin Wang• <i>GPU Assisted Brute Force Cryptanalysis of GPRS, GSM, RFID, and TETRA</i> - Cihangir Tezcan, Gregor Leander• <i>Differential Cryptanalysis of the Reduced Pointer Authentication Code Function used in Arm's FEAT_PACQARMA3 Feature</i> - Shibam Ghosh, Roberto Avanzi, Orr Dunkelman• <i>Practical Preimage Attacks on 3-Round Keccak-256 and 4-Round Keccak[r=640, c=160]</i> - Xiaoen Lin, Le He, Hongbo Yu
11:50 - 12:30	Session 11 - Hash Functions and PRFs Chair: Fukang Liu <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Chosen-Prefix Collisions on AES-like Hashing</i> - Shiyao Chen, Xiaoyang Dong, Jian Guo, Tianyu Zhang• <i>Keying Merkle-Damgård at the Suffix</i> - Bart Mennink
12:30 - 14:30	Lunch

Thursday, March 20, 2025

Aula Magna di Architettura, Largo Giovanni Battista Marzi, 10, 00153 Roma (RM)

Time	Event
09:00 - 10:00	Session 12 - Invited Talk Chair: Christoph Dobraunig <i>Stream Ciphers Strike Back</i> Anne Canteaut
10:00 - 10:30	Coffee Break
10:30 - 11:30	Session 13 - MACs and AEs Chair: Bart Mennink <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Revisiting Leakage-Resilient MACs and Succinctly-Committing AEAD: More Applications of Pseudo-Random Injections</i> - Mustafa Khairallah• <i>Fast AES-Based Universal Hash Functions and MACs: Featuring LeMac and PetitMac</i> - Augustin Bariant, Jules Baudrin, Gaëtan Leurent, Clara Pernot, Léo Perrin, Thomas Peyrin• <i>A New Stand-Alone MAC Construct Called SMAC</i> - Dachao Wang, Alexander Maximov, Patrik Ekdahl, Thomas Johansson
11:30 - 11:50	Break
11:50 - 12:30	Session 14 - Differential Cryptanalysis Chair: Virginie Lallemand <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Extending the Quasidifferential Framework: From Fixed-Key to Expected Differential Probability</i> - Christina Boura, Patrick Derbez, Baptiste Germon• <i>AutoDiVer: Automatically Verifying Differential Characteristics and Learning Key Conditions</i> - Marcel Nageler, Shibam Ghosh, Marlene Jüttler, Maria Eichlseder
12:30 - 14:30	Lunch
14:30 - 15:30	Session 15 - Authenticated Encryption Chair: Mustafa Khairallah <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Multiplex: TBC-Based Authenticated Encryption with Sponge-Like Rate</i> - Yaobin Shen, Thomas Peters, François-Xavier Standaert• <i>Committing Wide Encryption Mode with Minimum Ciphertext Expansion</i> - Yusuke Naito, Yu Sasaki, Takeshi Sugawara• <i>Context Committing Security of Leveled Leakage-Resilient AEAD</i> - Chandranan Dhar, Jordan Ethan, Ravindra Jejurikar, Mustafa Khairallah, Eik List, Sougata Mandal
15:30 - 16:00	Coffee Break
16:00 - 16:40	Session 16 - Cube Attacks Chair: Maria Eichlseder <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>A New Practical Cube Attack via Recovering Numerous Superpolys</i> - Min Zhang, Yao Sun• <i>Improved Conditional Cube Attacks on Ascon AEADs in Nonce-Respecting Settings: with a Break-Fix Strategy</i> - Kai Hu
19:00 - 23:00	Banquet (Terrazza Caffarelli)

Friday, March 21, 2025

Aula Magna di Architettura, Largo Giovanni Battista Marzi, 10, 00153 Roma (RM)

Time	Event
9:00 - 9:40	Session 17 - S-Boxes Chair: Aleksei Udovenko <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>How Small Can S-Boxes Be?</i> - Chenhao Jia, Tingting Cui, Qing Ling, Yan He, Kai Hu, Yu Sun, Meiqin Wang• <i>Reconstructing S-Boxes from Cryptographic Tables with Milp</i> - Raghvendra Rohit, Sumanta Sarkar
9:40 - 10:20	Session 18 - Linear Layers Chair: Subhadeep Banik <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Symmetric Twin Column Parity Mixers and Their Applications</i> - Hao Lei, Raghvendra Rohit, Guoxiao Liu, Jiahui He, Mohamed Rachidi, Keting Jia, Kai Hu, Meiqin Wang• <i>A Framework to Improve the Implementations of Linear Layers</i> - Yufei Yuan, Wenling Wu, Tairong Shi, Lei Zhang, Yu Zhang
10:20 - 10:50	Coffee Break
10:50 - 11:50	Session 19 - Quantum Cryptanalysis Chair: Tetsu Iwata <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Single-Query Quantum Hidden Shift Attacks</i> - Xavier Bonnetain, André Schrottenloher• <i>Improved Quantum Rebound Attacks on Double Block Length Hashing with Round-Reduced AES-256 and ARIA-256</i> - Dongjae Lee, Seokhie Hong• <i>Links between Quantum Distinguishers Based on Simon's Algorithm and Truncated Differentials</i> - Zejun Xiang, Xiaoyu Wang, Bo Yu, Bing Sun, Shasha Zhang, Xiangyong Zeng, Xuan Shen, Nian Li
11:50 - 12:10	Closing remarks

5 Social Events

5.1 Welcome reception

The conference reception of FSE 2025 will be held on Sunday 16 March at 18:00 (until 20:00) at **Università degli Studi Roma Tre - Architettura** (same location of the co-located events):

Via della Madonna dei Monti, 40
00184 Rome, Italy



You can reach this venue from Roma Termini station in two ways:

- by walking approximately 20 minutes. From the station you can turn on Via Cavour and then go on up to Via Leonina.
- by public transport (12 min. approx.). From Termini station you can take the Metro Line B to Laurentina and get to the “Cavour” stop (one stop from Termini). Then, you can reach the venue by walking for approximately 4 minutes.

5.2 Lunches

Lunches from Monday 17 to Thursday 20 March will take place from 12:30 to 14:30 at **Collettivo Gastronomico Testaccio** (150 meters from the conference location):

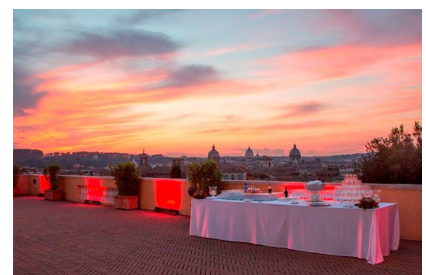
Largo Dino Frisullo, 1
00153 Rome, Italy



5.3 Banquet

The FSE 2025 conference dinner will take place on Thursday 20 March at 19:00 at **Terrazza Caffarelli**:

Piazzale Caffarelli, 4
00186 Rome, Italy



By bus (lines 170 or 781) from the bus-stop Ponte Testaccio to the stop Piazza Venezia (≈ 20 min). In Section 6 you find a suggestion if you prefer walking to the Banquet.

6 Walking Route from Piazza Orazio Giustiniani to Piazzale Caffarelli: A Journey Through History and Art

This **2.9 km itinerary** (approximately **40-50 minutes on foot**, excluding stops) takes you through some of Rome's most fascinating locations, blending history, art, and breathtaking views. Below is a detailed description, including key historical and artistic highlights along the way.

6.1 Starting Point: Piazza Orazio Giustiniani

Ex Mattatoio of Testaccio

The journey begins in **Piazza Orazio Giustiniani**, in the heart of **Testaccio**, one of Rome's most historic neighborhoods. We start from the **Ex Mattatoio** (the FSE Venue), a fine example of industrial archaeology, now transformed into a cultural hub that houses the **Faculty of Architecture of Roma Tre University** and the **MACRO – Museum of Contemporary Art**.

6.2 Via Galvani and Via Marmorata

Monte dei Cocci

Walking along **Via Galvani**, you will pass by the famous **Monte dei Cocci**, an artificial hill composed of millions of broken Roman amphorae, remnants of the ancient trade of olive oil that took place at the nearby **Emporium Fluviale**.

Via Marmorata

This street's name derives from the marble that was transported here from the **Fluvial Port** along the Tiber during Roman times.

6.3 Piazza dei Cavalieri di Malta - The Keyhole

The Famous "Keyhole" View

After passing through **Via di Porta Lavernale**, you'll arrive at **Piazza dei Cavalieri di Malta**, home to the renowned **Keyhole of the Order of Malta**. Looking through this keyhole, you can admire a perfectly framed view of **St. Peter's Basilica**, lined up symmetrically with the gardens of the Priory of the Knights of Malta. This effect was created by **Giovanni Battista Piranesi** in the 18th century.

6.4 Giardino degli Aranci (Orange Garden)

Parco Savello - A Stunning Viewpoint

Continuing along **Via di Santa Sabina**, you will reach the **Giardino degli Aranci**, one of the most beautiful panoramic terraces in Rome. The park is located on the site of an ancient **fortress belonging to the Savelli family** and is famous for its orange trees, a symbol of Saint Dominic.

Note: To reach **Clivo di Rocca Savella**, **exit the Orange Garden** through the main entrance and **enter the gate immediately afterward**, as the direct passage from the garden may be closed.

6.5 Piazza della Bocca della Verità

Bocca della Verità (Mouth of Truth)

Descending **Clivo di Rocca Savella**, you arrive at **Piazza della Bocca della Verità**, home to the legendary **Mouth of Truth**. This ancient marble mask, possibly part of a Roman fountain, is said to bite the hand of liars who place it inside!

Temple of Hercules Victor and Temple of Portunus

Also in this square, you'll find two of Rome's best-preserved ancient temples: the **Temple of Hercules Victor**, the oldest marble temple in Rome (2nd century BC), and the **Temple of Portunus**, dedicated to the god of river ports.



Figure 1: Directions to Terrazza Caffarelli

6.6 Climbing to the Capitoline Hill

Note: At this point, you may choose to **detour to the Portico of Octavia**, located in the heart of the **Jewish Ghetto**, but this option extends the route.

Recommended Route to the Capitoline Hill

Instead of taking a detour, it is advisable to **continue along Via di San Giovanni Decollato**, then **Via di Monte Tarpeo**, which leads directly to **Piazza del Campidoglio**.

Piazza del Campidoglio

After passing through **Via Monte Tarpeo**, you'll arrive at **Piazza del Campidoglio**, the political center of ancient Rome. Here, you will find the **Capitoline Museums**, which house masterpieces such as the **Equestrian Statue of Marcus Aurelius** and the **Capitoline Wolf**.

Panoramic View from Piazzale Caffarelli

Finally, you will reach **Piazzale Caffarelli**, where you can enjoy a stunning last panoramic view of the city, concluding this fascinating journey through Roman history, art, and curiosities.

6.7 Conclusion

This itinerary combines **art, archaeology, and breathtaking panoramas**, passing through some of Rome's most beautiful and historically rich areas. It is a journey into the heart of the Eternal City, perfect for discovering Rome with fresh eyes!

You can find the full walking route on Google Maps [here](#).

7 Internet Connection

- **Wifi: eduroam**
Log in using your university credentials.
- SSID: Rm3Wi-FiWPA (password: Uniroma3WiFi)
(or SSID: Rm3Wi-Fi – without password)

USER: **guest-FSE**

PASSWORD: **C98De4r**

8 Conference Kit



9 Emergency exits and assembly points



INDICAZIONE DELLA
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