

# MULTIPLI FORTI

## VOICES FROM CONTEMPORARY ITALIAN LITERATURE

An initiative aimed at the public of readers and the international publishing world (publishing houses, literary agencies, editors and translators) promoted by the [Italian Cultural Institute of New York](#) directed by [Fabio Finotti](#) with the collaboration of the FUIS (Italian Unitary Federation of Writers), with the artistic direction of [Maria Ida Gaeta](#) supported by a leading group of scholars and experts (Alessandro Giammei, Chiara Benetollo, Monica Calabritto, Luca Briasco, Eugenio Refini). The first edition was held in June 2022 and was born with the hope that it could become an annual appointment to build a literary bridge between Italy and the United States, beyond any cultural stereotype. The second edition strengthens this event and will take place both in New York City and in Boston thanks to the collaboration with the Italian General Consulate.

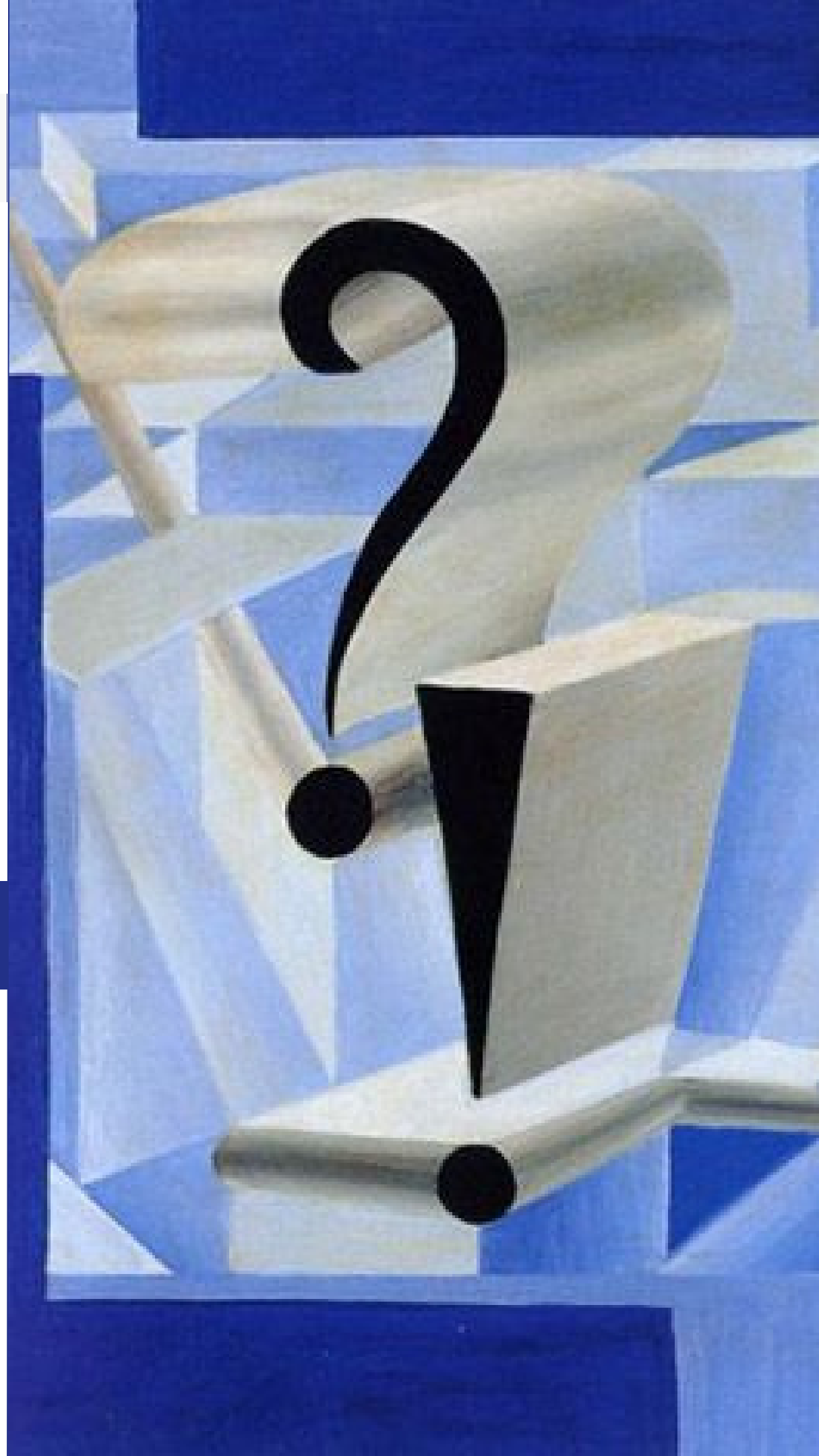
**NEW YORK CITY**  
**April 25-26-27, 2023**

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## April 25 [Italian Cultural Institute](#)

RSVP [HERE](#)

10:30 AM - Readings from Alessandro Manzoni's "I Promessi Sposi" in the translation of Michael Moore

10:45 AM - **Viola Di Grado** (on video), **Marcello Fois**, **Walter Siti**.

RESPONDENTS: Arianna Farinelli, Michael Moore. MODERATOR: Eugenio Refini

2:30 PM - 25 Aprile Liberation Day : readings with Fabio Finotti, Mico Licastro, Anthony Tamburri, Nadia Urbinati. In collaboration with CONI.

3:30 PM - **Antonella Lattanzi**, **Anna Maria Gehnyei** (Karima 2G).

RESPONDENT: Tiziana Rinaldi Castro. MODERATOR: Monica Calabritto

5:30 PM - **Antonio Franchini**, **Antonio Monda**, **Enrico Pellegrini**, **Simona Vinci**.

RESPONDENT: Alessandro Vettori. MODERATOR: Fabio Finotti

## April 26 [Center for Italian Modern Art](#)

RSVP [HERE](#)

10:30 AM - Readings from Alba De Cespedes y Bertini's "Quaderno proibito" in the translation of Ann Goldstein

10:45 AM - **Fumettibrutti** and **Giorgio Vasta** with **Ramak Fazel**.

RESPONDENT: Tiziana Lo Porto. MODERATOR: Chiara Benetollo

## April 26 [Casa Italiana Zerilli Marimò - New York University](#)

RSVP [HERE](#)

3:00 PM - Roundtable: The Publication and Promotion of Italian Literature in Anglophone Markets. **Alessandra Bastagli**, **Aaron Robertson**, **Hamilton Cain**, **Jonathan Galassi**, **Maria Campbell**, **Sandra Waters**, **Antonio Franchini**, **Massimo Turchetta**, **Chiara Valerio**.

MODERATORS: Luca Briasco and Michael Reynolds.

6:00 PM - **Cristina Ubah Ali Farah**, **Djarah Kan**, **Chiara Tagliaferri**.

RESPONDENTS: Peter Cameron and Alessia Valfredini. MODERATOR: Alessandro Giammei

## April 27 [Rizzoli Bookstore](#)

RSVP [HERE](#)

10:30 AM - Readings from the Elsa Morante's "Menzogna e sortilegio" in the translation of Jenny McPhee

10:45 AM - The Bridge Book award. **Walter Siti**, **Brian Robert Moore**, **Chiara Valerio**, **Antony Shugaar**.

MODERATORS: Fabio Finotti and Maria Ida Gaeta

3:00 PM - **Ginevra Lamberti**, **Chiara Marchelli**, **Valeria Parrella**.

RESPONDENT: Iuri Moscardi. MODERATOR: Alessandro Giammei

5:00 PM - Translating Italian Literature: from the classics to today. **Ann Goldstein**, **Jenny McPhee**, **Michael Moore**.

MODERATOR: Eugenio Refini and Monica Calabritto.

6:30 PM - **Claudia Durastanti**, **Nadeesha Uyangoda**.

RESPONDENTS: Vetri Natha and Isabella Livorni. MODERATOR: Eugenio Refini