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Cordial Invitation to the Online Lecture on 11.11.2021, 6:00 pm (CET)

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New Light on the Aqua Alsietina and the Naumachia Augusti
- Recent Studies and Future Perspectives (Lecture in English)

Maria Grazia Cinti completed her Master's degree in classical archaeology (ancient topography and latin epigraphy) with a thesis about the building program of Septimius Severus and about the epigraphic evidences for known and unknown monuments; She received her PhD in Archaeology with a project about the Aqua Alsietina. She is currently working as an independent researcher on the aqueduct. Additionally she collaborates with Italian television in a programme about history for the last 4 years.

Abstract:

We have two main sources for the knowledge of this structure: Frontinus for the ancient era and Nibby for modern studies. Despite there are lots of things that we still don't know about the aqueduct and the other structures connected to it – first of all the Naumachia -, this lecture presents some of the results I achieved during my PhD. Thanks to the surveys and to the research in archives and libraries, in fact, today it is possible to track almost the whole course of the Alsietina. I will be particularly focused on an area near Osteria Nuova in which there are clear evidences of the aqueduct with many archaeological remains.

The access data for the online meeting (ZOOM) are as follows:

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