

We are pleased to announce the one day meeting on “Modality (and around) in Sicilian”, which will be held online on **July 6th, 2021** (MS Teams).

The meeting is organised by the Department of Romance Languages and Literatures of the Masaryk University of Brno and the Departments of Humanities and Culture and Society of the University of Palermo.

The aim of the meeting is to promote discussion and exchange among researchers who, from any theoretical perspective, are interested in the different forms and functions within modality and/or in contiguous domains such as directivity or evidentiality.

Invited speakers

Silvio Cruschina (University of Helsinki)

Pierluigi Cuzzolin (Università di Bergamo)

Rosanna Sornicola (Università di Napoli Federico II)

Proposals may address any formal and/or functional aspect of modality or related domains in Sicilian, as well as the mechanisms through which new modal forms and functions develop.

Abstracts should be anonymous and not exceed 500 words (excluding references).

Proposals should be sent to siciliangrammar@phil.muni.cz by **March 1st, 2021**. The scientific committee will evaluate the abstracts and send a notification of acceptance or non-acceptance by March 31st, 2021.

A selection of papers will be published following double-blind peer review.

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