

Webinar

IAI-University of Turin Essay Prize 2021 Award Ceremony

7 DECEMBER 2021
11.30 – 12.30



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The IAI-University of Turin Essay Prize is a new initiative launched by IAI's Italian Foreign Policy Programme – in the context of the Institute's Strategic Partnership with the Compagnia di San Paolo Foundation – and the Department of Historical Studies of the University of Turin. The initiative, organised with the collaboration of the Scuola di Studi Superiori "Ferdinando Rossi" (SSST) and the Luigi Einaudi Foundation, aims to foster debate and discussion on Italian foreign policy, calling on students enrolled at the University of Turin to submit short essays on historical, social, cultural, technological and economic-related aspects connected to current and past trends in Italian foreign policy. Five winning essays were selected by an examination board composed of representatives of the partner institutions and selected candidates have been invited to present their work during this online award ceremony. Winning essays will be published in the IAI Commentaries series.

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11.30-11.40 **WELCOME REMARKS**

GIANLUCA CUNIBERTI, University of Turin

NICOLÒ RUSSO PEREZ, Fondazione Compagnia di San Paolo

ANDREA DESSI, Istituto Affari Internazionali

11.40- 12.20 **PRESENTATION OF WINNING ESSAYS**

Chair **GIULIA GOZZINI**, Istituto Affari Internazionali

Speakers **CHIARA GRAZIA VALENZANO**, Department of Cultures, Politics, Society
Mediterranean Equilibria: Italo-Turkish Balancing and Competition over Libya

AMAL SADKI, Department of Law
Of Blood and Bullets: Are Italian Defence Exports Fuelling War?

TIZIANO GIRARDI, Department of Historical Studies
Italian Tokenism on Israel/Palestine

ALESSANDRO BERTI, Department of Historical Studies
Un-Mediterranean: A Peninsula Without a Maritime Vocation?

XIXI HONG, Department of Humanities
Italy Changes Track: From the Belt and Road to (Re)Alignment with Washington

12.20-12.30 **CONCLUDING REMARKS**

PAOLO SODDU, Fondazione Luigi Einaudi

FRANCESCO TUCCARI, Scuola di Studi Superiori "Ferdinando Rossi"

LORENZO KAMEL, University of Turin and Istituto Affari Internazionali