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Fifty Years and Counting:
The Global Memory and Legacy of
Martin Luther King

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April, 12-13, 2018

Campus Luigi Einaudi
Lungo Dora Siena 100 - Torino

Thursday, April 12 – 4:00 pm

Campus Luigi Einaudi - Aula A2

Welcoming Remarks

Franca Roncarolo
Director of Dipartimento di Cuture, Politica e Società

Federica Morelli
Centro Bairati

Simone Cinotto
Centro Bairati

Kim Natoli
Consul for Press and Culture at the U.S. Consulate in Milan

Keynote Speakers

Erin Golightly
National Museum of African American History and Culture, Washington, DC

The Changing Notions of Remembering Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. for African Americans

Peter Ling
University of Nottingham

Martin Luther King and the Problem of Commemorating the African American Past

Friday, April 13 – 9:00 am

Campus Luigi Einaudi - Aula H2

Paolo Naso
Università di Roma "La Sapienza"

Martin Luther King's Non-Violence: Origins, Practices, Evolution

Kehinde Andrews
Birmingham City University

Martin and Malcolm: The Ongoing Debate between Civil Rights and Black Power

Discussion

Coffee Break

Friday, April 13 – 11:00 am

Massimo Rubboli
Università di Genova

Martin Luther King Jr. 50th Anniversary: the Commodification of Memory

Cristina Iuli
Centro Bairati

"The Mountain and the Man Who Was not God": June Jordan's Reappraisal of Martin Luther King

Discussion

Participants

Daniel Bender *(University of Toronto)*, **Giovanni Borgognone** *(Centro Bairati)*, **Andrea Carosso** *(Centro Bairati)*, **Sonia Di Loreto** *(Centro Bairati)*, **Simonetta Romagnolo** *(U.S. Consulate, Milan).*

Friday, April 13 – 8:00 pm

Cinema Massimo - Via Verdi 18, Torino

Opening Remarks

Giaime Alonge
Università di Torino

Marco Mariano
Centro Bairati

Screening of *Selma* (Ava DuVernay, 2014)

Al Centro Interuniversitario di Studi Americani e Transatlantici "Piero Bairati" partecipano:

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