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*Friedrich Overbeck: Italia und Germania*

*Luca Renzi*Italianity / Italianness / Italianism / Italism  
(Special guest Luca Renzi is Associate Professor of German, University of Urbino)

*Paolo Bartoloni*The Italian Renaissance as a global phenomenon: A German Construct?

*Michael Shields*Harps, Prostitution and Opera Buffa. Heinrich Heine’s wilfully German view of Italy (*Die Reise von München nach Genua*, 1830)

*Hans-Walter Schmidt-Hannisa*Nazarener and Deutschrömer. German painters in Italy in the first half of the   
19th century

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| Date: Thursday, 5 October 2017, 5-7 p.m.  Venue: THB-G010 Moore Institute Seminar Room  All are welcome! |

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