



XV International Numismatic Congress  
Taormina, 21-25 September 2015

## Round Tables Final Programme

***Numismatics in the 21st century:  
Jobs, careers, professions for the young generation of coin enthusiasts***  
Round Table organized by the INC and the IAPN dedicated to the memory of Herbert A. Cahn on the centenary of his birth.

Wednesday, 23rd Sept., 11.00 am - 1.00 pm  
Palazzo dei Congressi, Piazza Vittorio Emanuele II, 7: Theatre

*Conveners:*

**Arnold-Biucchi, Carmen** (Harvard University, President of the INC) –  
**Kirsch, Arne** (President of the IAPN)

*Abstract:* The XVth International Numismatic Congress gathers numismatists – scholars, students, museum curators, collectors, and dealers, anybody interested in coins – and presents a unique opportunity to emphasize the importance of the study of coins as primary historical sources, as art works and as collectibles. The purpose of this Round Table is to reflect of the state and role of our discipline in the 21st century and to discuss the many possibilities it opens and the kind of real jobs it can offer to the young generation. We have invited young enthusiastic colleagues from the main branches of our field who have been successful in finding a position through their pursuit of numismatics to talk about their experience.

<b>Participants</b>	<b>Interventions</b>
<b>Arnold-Biucchi, Carmen</b> (President of the INC)	<i>Welcome and Introduction</i>
<b>Arne Kirsch</b> (President of the IAPN)	<i>Welcome and Introduction</i>
<b>Duyrat, Frédérique</b> (Directeur du département des Monnaies, médailles et antiques Bibliothèque nationale de France)	<i>Numismatists in a museum: the case of the Bibliothèque nationale de France (Museums)</i>
<b>D'Ottone, Arianna</b> (Associate Professor of Arabic Language and Literature at the Institute of Oriental Studies, Sapienza-University of Rome)	<i>How I came to teach (Islamic) Numismatics (University/Teaching)</i>
<b>Guest, David</b> (Classical Numismatic Group, London Office)	<i>My Life as a Coin Dealer so far (Trade)</i>
<b>Puglisi, Mariangela</b> (Aggregate Professor of Numismatics, University of Messina)	<i>From the D.R.A.C.M.A. Project to the D.I.A.N.A. Atlas: a personal scientific growth through teamwork (Data Base and Lexika)</i>
<b>Kampmann, Ursula</b> (Coins Weekly)	<i>Doing whatever you like and finding somebody to pay you: The daily routine of a freelance numismatic journalist (Press)</i>
<b>Hahn, Silke</b> (University of Vienna)	<i>Studying Numismatics in Vienna at the independent Institute of Numismatics and Money History (Students)</i>
<b>Arnold-Biucchi, Carmen</b> (President of the INC)	<i>Moderator</i>
<b>Caccamo Caltabiano, Maria</b> (President of the XV International Numismatic Congress)	<i>Moderator</i>