

Editorial standards for E-Books and “Reti Medievali Rivista”

General Guidelines

- The author must submit a definitive version of the manuscript (in Word, saved as a .DOC file), prepared with particular care (drafts are made for E-books; for the Journal, the editorial team dialogues with the author), together with an abstract of 500-700 keystrokes and 5-10 main keywords for e-prints and search engines. The suggested sequence of keywords is as follows: chronological references, spatial references, personal names, specific topics (eg. Middle Ages, 11th-12th centuries, Liguria, Genoa, Caffaro, Guglielmo Embriaco, Commune, political conflicts). For keywords excessive specification is discouraged, since it is unsuitable for search engines.
- authors are requested to 1) avoid formatting elements in the text: style sheets, syllabification, tabulations, automatic numbering of sections, blank lines between paragraphs, etc., in both body of text and footnotes 2) avoid underlining, boldface, small caps or all caps.
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- For E-Books authors should provide an accurate and complete index of chapters (each chapter should be submitted in a separate file) and sections, cited works, list of any maps or images, list of abbreviations, indication of any index of names, etc.

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Below are some of the most frequent and significant examples:

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Bloch, Marc. *Apologia della storia o mestiere di storico*. Tradotto da Carlo Pischedda. Torino: Einaudi, 1950.

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Logna-Prat, Dominique. *La Maison Dieu. Une histoire monumentale de l'Église au Moyen Âge (v. 800-v. 1200)*. Paris: Éditions du Seuil, 2006.

Logna-Prat, *Maison Dieu*, 58.

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Kurland, Philip B., and Ralph Lerner, eds. *The Founders' Constitution*. Chicago: University of Chicago Press, 1987.

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Entire Work

Barbero, Alessandro, dir. *Storia d'Europa e del Mediterraneo*. 15 voll. Roma: Salerno, 2006-17.

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Lenoble, Clément. “La vie humaine comme seuil du marché. Le prix des choses et la valeur ‘inappréciable’ de la vie à la fin du Moyen Âge.” In *Valore delle cose e valore delle persone. Dall'Antichità all'Età moderna*, ed. by Massimo Vallerani, 189-208. Roma: Viella, 2018.
Lenoble, “Vie humaine,” 195-6.

Gasparri, Stefano. “Tardoantico e alto medioevo: metodologie di ricerca e modelli interpretativi.” In *Popoli, poteri, dinamiche*, ed. by Sandro Carocci. Vol. 8 di *Storia d'Europa e del Mediterraneo*, dir. by Alessandro Barbero, 27-61. Roma: Salerno, 2006.

Gasparri, “Tardoantico e alto medioevo,” 61.
Gasparri, 27.

Bordone, Renato, Paola Guglielmotti, Sandro Lombardini, e Angelo Torre. “Lo spazio politico locale in età medievale, moderna e contemporanea. Ricerche italiane e riferimenti europei.” In *Lo spazio politico locale in età medievale, moderna e contemporanea: Atti del Convegno internazionale di studi (Alessandria, 26-27 novembre 2004)*, ed. by Renato Bordone, Paola Guglielmotti, Sandro Lombardini, e Angelo Torre, 10-47. Alessandria: Edizioni dell’Orso, 2007.

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Foucray, Bruno and François Gentili. “Le village du haut moyen âge de Serris (Seine-et-Marne), lieudit ‘Les Ruelles (VII^e-X^e siècles).’” in *Habitat rural du haut Moyen âge : France, Pays-Bas, Danemark et Grande-Bretagne : actes des XIV^{es} Journées internationales d’archéologie mérovingienne, Guiry-en-Vexin et Paris, 4-8 février 1993, organisées par l’Association française d’archéologie mérovingienne*, Ed. by Claude Lorren, et Patrick Périn, 139-43. Rouen: Association française d’archéologie mérovingienne, 1995.
Foucray, and Gentili, “Serris (Seine-et-Marne),” 139.

Iogna-Prat, Dominique. “Postface. Architecturer la société.” In *La Maison Dieu. Une histoire monumentale de l’Église au Moyen Âge (v. 800-v. 1200)*, 613-28. Paris: Éditions du Seuil, 2012².
Iogna-Prat, “Postface,” 614.

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Freedman, “Resistencia campesina,” 23-33.

Wood, Ian. “The Making of the ‘Burgundian Kingdom’.” *Reti Medievali Rivista* 22, no. 2 (2021): 111-140.
<https://doi.org/10.6093/1593-2214/7721>.

Wood, “Making”, 112.

CONTRIBUTION IN A COLLECTION (AND ITS ABBREVIATED CITATION IN FOOTNOTE)

Appelt, Friedrich, ed. by *Die Urkunden Friedrichs I. 1152-1158*. MGH Diplomata, Die Urkunden der Deutschen Könige und Kaiser, vol. 10.1. Hannover: Hahnsche Buchhandlung, 1975.
Appelt, *Urkunden Friedrichs I.*, doc. 13, 87-92.

Bartoli Langeli, Attilio, Eleonora Rava, and Filippo Sedda, eds. *Vita et miracula Rosae de Viterbio*. Corpus Christianorum, Continuatio mediaevalis, vol. 306. Turnhout: Brepols, 2021.
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https://books.google.it/books?id=Cu4QAAAAYAAJ&hl=it&source=gbs_navlinks_s.
Guigo, “Consuetudines,” chap. LXV, De disciplina fratrum, 743-44.

Examples of note with list of works cited and punctuation marks:

Varanini, “Veneto;” Delle Donne, “Campania;” Guglielmotti, “Piemonte”.

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Text

- the footnote should be placed after punctuation of relevant portion of the text and never on article, chapter or paragraph titles
- for short quotations use inverted commas ‘ ’; for a ‘cautionary’ use of words or concepts simple quotation marks ‘ ’ are used
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- initial letters of saints: the preaching of st Francis; the church of St Francis; Borgo San Dalmazzo
- authors should limit the use of capital letters as much as possible (Church, as a universal institution; Empire).

Figures, tables and graphs

- respect the size of the format chosen for publication: the maximum size for tables, graphs, etc. is 12 x 18 cm
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- provide graphs in .EPS or spreadsheet format (Excel or other)
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Abbreviations

in full	abbreviation
academic year	a.y. with no space
after Christ	CE with no space
anastatic	anast.
appendix	app.

before Christ	BCE with no space
chapter/s	chap.
carta/e of ms	folio, folia
circa	ca. (for dates)
column/s	col.
document	doc.
editor	ed.
etcetera	etc.
edition	ed.
figure/s	fig.
footnote	f.n.
forthcom.	forthcom.
manuscript	ms without a dot
new series	n.s. with no space
number/s	No.
paragraph/s	par. o § §§
<i>quondam</i>	<i>q.</i>
<i>recto</i>	r without a dot and attached to the number
register/s	reg.
following	et seq.
no dat [of publication]	n.d. with no space
no place [of publication]	n.p. with no space
tome	t.
translation	transl.
verse/s of poetry	v.
<i>verso</i>	v without a dot and attached to the number
volum/s	Vol.