



JMU Foreign Languages Department presents  
**ITALIAN Film Festival 2012**

***"INCONTRI / ENCOUNTERS"***

*All movies are in Italian with English subtitles*

**MILLER 1101 @ 6:30PM**

**THURS, FEB 16 & MON, FEB 20**

**BENVENUTI AL SUD (2010)**  
**(Welcome to the South)**



**NORTHERN AND SOUTHERN ITALY MEET IN NAPLES**

A POSTMAN FROM MILAN MOVES TO NAPLES. HERE HE ENCOUNTERS A VARIETY OF PEOPLE, WHO WILL HELP HIM TO GET RID OF HIS PREJUDICES.

**PRANZO DI FERRAGOSTO (2010)**  
**(Mid-August lunch)**



**AN ENCOUNTER OF GENERATIONS TO OVERCOME LONELINESS**

MIDDLE-AGED GIANNI RESIDES WITH HIS 93-YEAR-OLD MOTHER. DURING "FERRAGOSTO" (ITALY'S BIGGEST SUMMER HOLIDAY AND THE FEAST OF THE ASSUMPTION) HE WILL HOST AND LOOK AFTER A GROUP OF LIVELY MAMAS ABANDONED BY THEIR OWN FAMILIES.

**MON, MAR 26 & THURS, MAR 29**

**MINE VAGANTI (2010)**  
**(Loose cannons)**



**THE CANTONE FAMILY DEALS WITH MODERN TIMES**

TOMMASO IS THE YOUNGEST SON OF A TRADITIONAL SOUTHERN ITALIAN FAMILY WHO LIVES IN ROME WITH HIS BOYFRIEND. WHEN HE DECIDES TO TELL HIS PARENTS THE TRUTH ABOUT HIMSELF, HIS OLDER BROTHER RUINS HIS PLANS.

**LA GIUSTA DISTANZA (2007)**  
**(The right distance)**



**A LOVE STORY BETWEEN AN ITALIAN WOMAN AND A TUNISIAN MAN**

THE ARRIVAL IN TOWN OF FETCHING TEACHER MARA TURNS MORE THAN A FEW HEADS, INCLUDING THAT OF HASSAN, A LOCAL IMMIGRANT MECHANIC FROM TUNISIA.

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