

## Abruzzo Academy Foundation

### Italy

During the 2013-14 period, Abruzzo Academy Foundation has continued to demonstrate a strong commitment to the principles at the core of UNAI's mission. The following projects serve as particularly noteworthy examples of the Foundation's efforts:

In March of 2013, the Foundation organized a piano recital celebrating world peace. The event, which was titled the Concert for Peace Among the People of the World, featured master pianist Andrea Bacchetti and took place in the auditorium of the public Conservatory of Music, in Pescara, Italy.



The Foundation also played host, in November 2013, to an ethics forum on the role of microfinance for development. Speakers at the event included Gianfranco Giulioni (Professor at the University of Chieti-Pescara) and Dr. Tony E. Persico (from the Italian Ministry of Economy and Finance).

Finally, the Foundation hosted a number of cultural events (known as "Cultural studies") designed to promote freedom of inquiry, opinion, and speech in the arts and sciences. One such study focused on artistic synaesthesia and featured Italian artists Nicola Falcone, Carmine Ciccarini and Alfredo Di Bacco.

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