

AMORIS LAETITIA
COURSES

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FAMILY ACCOMPANIMENT
AND THE LANGUAGE
OF THE ARTS



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In the Academic Year 2021-2022, on the occasion of the *Amoris Laetitia* Family Year, the John Paul II Institute offers a selection of educational programs for laity, religious and priests that deal with family realities in various capacities. The *Amoris Laetitia* courses can be attended both online and in-person and can be flexibly combined according to the needs and interests of the individual student.

Each course or workshop, taught in Italian, is worth three formative credits (ECTS), which can be transferred in case of subsequent enrollment in the Licentiate or Doctorate Programs.

ACCOMPANYING THEOLOGICAL-PASTORAL PROGRAM

The pastoral outlines of *Amoris Laetitia* and the tasks of the theology of marriage
 Marriage in the light of the New Testament
 The transmission of the faith and the new marriage catechumenate
 WORKSHOP - Models and practices of family accompaniment

A. BOZZOLO
L. PEDROLI
A. DIRIART
P.D. GUENZI

DISCERNING THEOLOGICAL-MORAL PROGRAM

The Experience of Adoption. Anthropological and theological issues
 To promise: a verb that decides a bond
 Towards a theological knowledge of sexuality
 Canon law and comparative family law

M. CHIODI
P.D. GUENZI
G. MARENGO
O. GRAZIOLI

INTEGRATING ANTHROPOLOGICAL-SOCIAL PROGRAM

Historical perspectives on the family
 The function of the family within the transgenerational transition
 Economic science of marriage and family
 WORKSHOP - Forms and forces: the arts as a place of expressing family dynamics

A. GIOVAGNOLI
F. STOPPA
M. RIZZOLLI
G.C. PAGAZZI

WORKSHOPS

FAMILY ACCOMPANIMENT AND THE LANGUAGE OF THE ARTS

Workshops are open to anyone who wishes to receive a training in the field of family accompaniment and the language of the Arts.

Models and practices of family accompaniment: *counseling, coaching, mentoring*

Alongside professional counseling, other forms of help are important for accompanying and supporting the married couple and the family in achieving specific growth objectives, in dealing with critical moments and for developing appropriate operational and relational skills (coaching and mentoring). The workshop introduces participants to these differentiated forms of “family care” and their practices, especially in the pastoral setting. It is conceived in close connection with the times of evolution of the family project, with attention to the characteristics of the couple’s bond, the relationship with the families of origin, the parent-child relationship and the fraternal relationships.

Coordinator: Prof. Pier Davide Guenzi

Frequency: Two-hour long meetings, once a week, from October 4, 2021 to January 14, 2022.

Forms and Forces: the Arts as a Place of Expressing Family Dynamics

Reflecting upon family reality cannot be limited to thinking only about “forms” (concepts, definitions, norms, arguments...), but must also accept the challenge of the luminous and obscure “forces” that vibrate in every relationship (needs, impulses, affections, desires, feelings and resentments...). Art represents a special place where forms and forces combine and decline mutually, showing the real possibility of something beautiful, capable of expressing and hosting even the formless. Exactly like the mystery of Christ who is “the most beautiful among the sons of man” and “has neither appearance nor beauty”. The workshop attempts to listen to and react to the provocation of the arts (painting, sculpture, music, literature, photography, cinema...) which, as an interweaving of forms and forces, have much to say about the reality of the family.

Coordinator: Prof. Giovanni Cesare Pagazzi

Frequency: Two-hour long meetings, once a week, from February 14, 2022 to May 20, 2022.

ENROLLMENT

1. Enrolment starts on June 1, 2021.
2. Documents to be submitted:
 - a. On-line pre-registration
 - b. Application form
 - c. Identity card or passport
 - d. Photocopy of a degree
 - e. Letter of introduction from their Ecclesiastical Superior, for priests and religious
 - f. Two passport-sized photographs
 - g. Certificate of knowledge of the Italian language (for non-Italian students)¹
 - h. Receipt of payment of academic fees
 - *Amoris Laetitia* Courses: 400 euro
 - Workshops: 300 euro
 - Single workshop / course: 180 euro

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1. Every course or workshop will be taught in Italian.



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