

The objective of the colloquium *The Language of Art from the Middle Ages to the Present Day: the Evolution of Specific Terminology for Texts and Manuscripts* is to analyse the evolution of the technical terminology used in the scholarly description of texts and manuscripts, with special focus on decorative elements, from the Middle Ages to nowadays. Each manuscript is a *unicum* where the material and structural elements bond together, inevitably, with the text and images. Therefore a multidisciplinary approach needs to be taken based on the collaboration of experts from different fields of research; each of one using its own unique terminology, whose origins, development and future challenges is the main goal of this conference. There is indeed a vast field for research regarding the specific and technical vocabulary used in the description of texts and manuscripts that deserves more attention and needs careful evaluation. With such a perspective, this colloquium shall create a useful and necessary starting point for all the attending experts in order to enhance their knowledge and establish an appropriate and common vocabulary for all their future projects related to the description of manuscripts.

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## Organisers

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**9.15h** Reception of the participants

**9.30h** Welcome address by the organisers

## 1<sup>st</sup> Session

**Chair: Jacqueline HAMESSE (FIDEM and  
Université catholique de Louvain)**

**10h** Mercè PUIG RODRÍGUEZ-ESCALONA  
(IRCVM, Universitat de Barcelona)  
*El laberinto de los libros y sus nombres*

**10.50h-11.10h** Coffee-break

**11.10h** Pere J. QUETGLAS NICOLAU  
(IRCVM, Universitat de Barcelona)  
*Para problemas, los colores*

**12h** Elena E. RODRÍGUEZ DÍAZ  
(Universidad de Huelva)  
*Reflexiones sobre terminología codicológica en  
España*

**13.30h** Lunch

## 2<sup>nd</sup> Session

**Chair: Marilena MANIACI (Università degli  
studi di Cassino e del Lazio meridionale)**

**15.30h** Joanna Ewa FRONSKA  
(Institut de recherche et d'histoire des textes, CNRS,  
Paris)  
*Between Medieval and Modern use of Terms.  
Illuminated Manuscripts and their Terminology in  
France*

**16.20h** Christine JAKOBI-MIRWALD  
(Independent Scholar)  
*Flourish and Blotts, or How we Name Salient  
Ornament Features in Manuscripts*

**17.10h** Marina BERNASCONI REUSSER  
(e-codices, Université de Fribourg)  
*Le biblioteche digitali cambieranno il modo di  
descrivere i manoscritti miniati? L'esperienza di  
e-codices*

**18h** Discussion and conclusions