

The College Of Arts and Sciences at the University of Massachusetts Dartmouth each year chooses an individual to serve as the **John and Mary Esposito Visiting Faculty Fellow in Italian-American Culture and History**. This year's selection committee has nominated John T. La Barbera as the 2016 fellow. This fellowship has the purpose to

“...support visiting faculty members who will make presentations and lead discussions in undergraduate courses that include either the study of the Italian-American experience or Italian history and culture. In addition the visiting faculty fellow will present a public lecture on the social, cultural, psychological, historical, or esthetic dimensions of the Italian-American experience or on Italian-American achievements in the arts, literature, science and industry”.