

The background of the entire page is a faded, sepia-toned reproduction of a historical painting. It depicts a large, dense crowd of people in 17th or 18th-century attire, including wigs, long coats, and hats. The scene appears to be an indoor gathering or a public event. The painting is rendered in a soft, painterly style with visible brushstrokes.

# VINC

## Venice International News Conference

*Sixth edition*

**25 November 2011**  
**Palazzo Labia – Rai premises**  
Venice

## **Presentation**

The all-news channels meeting was launched in 2005 as an occasion for the main information players to gather and exchange views. Organized by COPEAM (network of the Euro-Mediterranean audiovisual operators), RaiNews and Rai Venezia, in collaboration with Eutelsat, in 2007 this rendezvous chose the City of Venice as its premises and becomes *VINC – Venice International News Conference*.

Each year, starting from a topical issue challenging the TV information and journalism, the representatives of *Al Arabiya, Al Jazeera, Bbc World, Euronews, CNN, NTV Turkey, France24, Russia Today, Nile News, Canal 24 Horas, RaiNews* and *EBU* (European Broadcasting Union) compare experiences and professional practices, organisation and news production modalities, languages, deontological questions.

This meeting offers an insight of today's journalistic profession, its problems and cultural implications, moreover considering the important ongoing technological and social changes.

The issues dealing with information from the conflict zones (operators safety, embedded journalism, access to and validity of the sources, etc.); the editorial and deontological choices that lay under the binomial breaking news/investigation journalism; the competition and cooperation mechanisms of the complex global media market; the evolution of satellite information considering the deep social changes that are shaping the target audience, more and more international and intercultural; the responsibility of news operators in dealing with "green" issues and global-impact events : these are the macro-topics that have been explored in the 2005-2010 editions of the all-news channels meeting.

## **Previous editions**

2005: "War News, News War. Iraqi conflict and information"

2006: "Two-speed information. All-news channels between non-stop news and journalism of investigation"

2007: "All-news channels in the global information era. Identity, cooperation, competition"

2008: "Migration and new intercultural audience: the role of the information via satellite"

2010: "Global fears. Global hopes"

*The report of each meeting is published in Italian, English and French.*

## **All-news channels and networks involved**

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Al Arabiya - Al Jazeera - Bbc World  
 Euronews - CNN - NTV Turkey  
 France24 - Russia Today - Nile News  
 Canal 24 Horas - RaiNews  
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 COPEAM  
 EBU (European Broadcasting Union)

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