October 17, at the University of Bologna-Forli Campus: introduction by Prof. P. Pederzoli and Prof. G. Gambetta, with City authorities (Assessore D. Drei and Assessore P. Leech), with the dedication of the Course to the memory of Assessore Katia Zattoni, a great friend and a righteous person, and the reading of the letters sent by the Israeli Ambassador in Italy, N. Gilon, and by the President of the Union of Italian Jewish Communities, R. Gattegna, with an audience of some 90 school teachers plus some 20 University students.
After M. de Bernart’s general introduction, Chiappini lectures about the sense of sites in the experience of Yad Vashem....

....and then two of R. Chiappini’s young students explain how they have volunteered in Fossoli, for that memory to survive....
The young A. Bozzetti and E. Scarcella, ECOSMEG team, then explain their research on minor sites, such as former Hotel Commercio, transit camp for Jews in Forlì, most of them being killed at the local Airport in September 1944 (in the slide below, S. Ladany in front of what remains of Hotel Commercio, during the March of Memory we did on January 28, 2013).
Then, after Argiropoulos’s lecture on the memory and sites of Roma and Sinti, a participated and fruitful debate....
On October 18, 2013, all the participants moved to the Fossoli Camp (Carpi, Modena), where they visited the camp and had a conclusive meeting with M. Luppi, Fossoli Foundation responsible person.