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## Abstracts

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*The Disciplinati movement, founded in Perugia in the Lenten period of 1260, spread very rapidly, in November of that same year, in Cividale del Friuli. On the contrary, the first attestations of the Santa Maria dei Battuti confraternity date back to 1290, when its statute, one of the most ancient in Italy, was drafted. In Cividale the Battuti became immediately the main confraternity, competing for the city space and the 'inhabitants' favour with the other emerging associations. To study the growth of the institution and the San Martino hospital, on which it extended its control, we have used an often neglected source typology, such as the goods inventories. We have published and commented, from a historical and linguistic point of view, twelve inventories drawn in vulgar language between 1349 and 1496. Stretching over quite a long time, they show the growth of the productive body and the evolving of its estate, giving information about the hospital and confraternity history, about history of art and material culture, about the origin of the documentary corpus and about the language used by the officers. As regards the language, the inventories are important because they allow to follow the evolution from Latin to Friulian, in particular in lexicon and onomastics, offering interesting elements about interference processes between Friulian and the dialects of the neighbouring regions.*

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