Abstract

The aim of this thesis is to point out the influences of Portuguese literature and culture on the Italian writer Antonio Tabucchi. The introductory part is principally focused on the key events of his professional life which was influenced by the works of the Portuguese poet Fernando Pessoa. We further develope this topic in the next part. Based on the mentioned characteristics, we analyzed four of Tabbucchi's books which are different in their topic and genre as well. Analyzing the primary literature, we focused on the features of the characters, on the background, the historical and political context of the works. In conclusion, we sum up the elements of Tabucchi's works which contributed to the propagation of Portuguese literature in Italy.