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Licia Buttà

for her monograph

*Immaginare il potere. Il soffitto dipinto della Sala Magna di
Palazzo Chiaromonte Steri e la cultura letteraria e artistica
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*The book has been deemed outstanding for its capacity to provide a rigorous, detailed
analysis of a single, hitherto insufficiently investigated, artwork from fourteenth-
-century Sicily, as well as to go beyond the limits of object-based research, thus
opening new interpretive perspectives relevant for our general understanding of Late
Medieval artistic dynamics in the Mediterranean context.*

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