

Appendix

The Two Scenarios Used in the Present Research Project

Scenario 1 – Drunk Driver

Rome. Drunk driver kills pedestrian. He runs over and kills a pedestrian with his car.

Drunk at the wheel, he ran over and killed Francesca Terzi, an Italian [Defta Tita, a Romanian] woman walking along the sidewalk. It happened late last night and the driver, Marco Bassi, an Italian [Ionel Sutik, a Romanian], was arrested by police on charges of manslaughter and drunk driving: the alcohol level in his body was equal to 2.41 g/l, well above the legal limit. The accident occurred at around 11pm on a stretch of route 411. The person run over was helped by other passing motorists and then taken by ambulance to the hospital, where she later died.

Scenario 2 – Violent argument

In Parma, an argument leads to tragedy.

An argument over a ticket at the bus station of Parma ended yesterday afternoon in the death of Francesca Terzi, a twenty-seven year old Italian [Defta Tita, a Romanian] student. The reasons for the row are still unclear, but in the scuffle that followed, and probably following a shove, thirty-three year old Ionel Sutik, a Romanian [Marco Bassi, an Italian], killed Francesca Terzi [Defta Tita]. It seems that the woman fell to the ground and lost consciousness after banging her head on the ground. She died shortly afterwards in the hospital. Ionel Sutik [Marco Bassi] was arrested following the incident.