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GUIDE TO FRANCESCO FERRARA TRANSLATION OF ADAM SMITH

TEACHER-ASSISTED EXERCISES

- 1. Using the sources mentioned in section 2.1 above, try to write a biography of Adam Smith in which you explain how he came to writing his main economic work, the *Wealth of Nations*.
- 2. Using the sources mentioned in sections 2.1 and 2.2. above, try to make a table or a map of the main topics explored by scholars in the last decade, concerning the interpretation of Smith.
- 3. Explore the database of the EE-T portal and the tools mentioned in section 4, to see how many translations were made in the world. Make a graph with the number of translations made in each decade from the 1770s until todays. What does this graph indicate?
- 4. Searching the database of the EE-T portal and the tools mentioned in section 4, and using a world map or Google Maps "places I've visited" or similar tools, make a map of translations of the *Wealth of Nations* all over the world. What does this map indicate?
- 5. Is the database complete? Using Tribe's Guide and Library Catalogues, make or suggest entries.