

Spend four weeks studying in Rome, with all its history, art, beauty and intrigue. Students can take up to 2 courses for credit at the University of Houston that are potentially transferable to other schools. Class time and assignments will be interspersed with organized visits in Rome, excursions to Pompeii, Naples and Assisi. Explore Rome and other parts of Italy on your free time outside the classroom. Rome awaits!

Courses:

Liberal Studies Senior Seminar (ILAS 4350)

The Liberal Studies required capstone course. A "great books" seminar with a reading list tailored to make the most of our Rome experience. Electronic texts included in program fee.

Additional courses to be offered:

- **Roman Civilization (ARTH, HIST, CLAS)**
- **First semester Italian language course (ITAL 1501)**



Trevi Fountain

Program Costs

(based on a group size of at least 12 participants and is tentatively set)

Program fee\$ 3,695*

Fee includes: itinerary; accommodation in residence hall; use of classroom, library, computer lab; community kitchen in dorm; museum and excursion expenses as listed, welcome dinner, and farewell dinner, public transportation pass in Rome.

Not included in the fee: tuition, airfare, meals not listed, insurances, passport/visa expenses, and personal and misc. expenses

Note: Discount on UH fees of \$250 for 3 SCH's and \$500 for 6 SCH's. Scholarships for UH students available at <http://www.uh.edu/studyabroad/>

Non-UH students will NOT have to pay tuition for course credit to the University of Houston. They pay only the program fee and other non-program costs like airfare and food. UH has only nominal registration and transcript fees for non-UH students to get study abroad credit applicable to their home institutions.

*Program costs are subject to change due to fluctuations in the value of the Euro in relation to the U.S. dollar.

Liberal Studies Summer Seminar in Italy

June 1 - June 29, 2013



Naples

Application Deadline: Feb. 15, 2013

For more information about the program, contact:

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Study Abroad Program in Italy!

- Art
- Architecture
- Excursions
- Liberal Studies



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Itinerary

Sat. June 1

- Depart for Rome, Italy (airfare not included)

Sun. June 2 - National Holiday in Italy - Republic Day

- Arrive in Rome - *Benvenuti in Italia!*
- Travel independently to St. John's University and check into rooms

Mon. June 3 - Class day

- Campus and classroom tour by St. John's University staff
- Walking neighborhood orientation tour with your on-site coordinator
- Class time with UH faculty at St. John's University Rome
- Special welcome dinner at a local restaurant

Tues. June 4

- Guided walking tour of the city by faculty

Wed. June 5 - Class day

- Visit the Museo della Civiltà Romana as part of your class*

Thurs. June 6

- Take a private guided tour of the Vatican museums and the St. Peter's Basilica*

Fri. June 7 - Class day

Sat. June 8 - Sun. June 9 Free Weekend:

Suggestion - Take the train to Florence and discover Italian art and architectural treasures

Mon. June 10 - Class day

Tues. June 11

- Audio-guided tour of the Galleria Borghese*
- Free afternoon *Suggestion*- visit the Municipal Rose Garden

Wed. June 12 - Class day

Thurs. June 13 - Free day

- Enjoy a free day in Rome to do some coursework on your own
Suggestion - visit the *Capitoline Museums*

Fri. June 14 - Class day

Sat. June 15

- Travel by private bus to Pompeii and explore the ancient ruins.* Afterwards, continue on to Naples and visit the National Archaeological Museum of Naples*

Sun. June 16 - Free day

Mon. June 17 - Class day

Tues. June 18 - Free day

- *Suggestion*- visit the *Catacombs of Saint Callixtus*

Wed. June 19 - Class day

Thurs. June 20

- Explore the Coliseum, Roman Forum and Palatine*

Fri. June 21 - Class day

Sat. June 22

- Travel by private bus to Assisi and take a private guided walking tour of the city including the Basilica of San Francesco d'Assisi (St. Francis)*

Spanish steps, Rome

Pantheon, Rome



Sun. June 23 - Free day

Suggestions - Consider a ride to Tivoli, and visit one of the town's most famous sights, the Villa d'Este

Mon. June 24 - Class day

Tues. June 25

- Visit to the Italian Parliament

Wed. June 26 - Class day

- Take in the Pope's weekly audience
- Class time with UH faculty at St. John's University Rome

Thurs. June 27 - Free day

Fri. June 28 - Class day

- Final exams at St. John's University Rome
- Special farewell dinner at a restaurant in Rome

Sat. June 29 - Departure day

- Travel independently to the airport in Rome to begin your journey home (airfare not included)

** Applicable entrance fees included. Itinerary is subject to change depending on availability.*

Optional Extension - 4-week study abroad program in Heidelberg, Germany!

- For more information on the optional extension, please contact Dr. Thomas Behr

Pompeii



Assisi



Vatican City

