Study Trip to Italy

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CS 3050G – Study Trip to Italy

• Winter term course
• Approx. 6 meetings in the winter term (time and location TBD)
  • Preparation for the tour
  • History of Rome
  • Major areas, sites and museums of the city
  • Themes and movements in the development of Rome
  • Fundaments of Roman art and architecture
  • Travel arrangements and coordination
• 2 essays (1,250 words each)
  • Topics to be chosen in January
Architecture
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Sites
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Museums - Sculpture
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Museums - Painting
Churches – Art and Architecture
Renaissance Churches
Renaissance Art
Other things
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Partial List of Sites and Museums

- Santa Prassede
- Santa Pudeziana
- Piazza Navona / Stadium of Domitian
- Pantheon
- Temple of Hadrian
- Horologium of Augustus
- Column of Marcus Aurelius
- Mausoleum of Augustus
- Ara Pacis
- Mausoleum of Hadrian / Castel Sant’Angelo
- Ostia

- Monte Martini Museum
- Baths of Caracalla
- Alba Fucens
- Praenestre
- Pyramid of Cestius
- The Vatican Museums
- Monte Testaccio
- Porticus Aemilia
- Hadrian’s Villa
- Villa D’Este
While in Italy

• Journals
• Site and museum presentations
  • 10-15 minutes
• Museum and site exercises (scavenger hunts, checklists, sketches, questionnaires, photo essays, etc.)
• Strict Schedule
• Code of conduct
• Free Time
Logistics

• Application **(Due Nov. 15)**
  • On Classics Department Website
  • 3 short essay questions
  • Unofficial transcript
  • C.V.
  • $500 deposit (check made payable the UWO Department of Classical Studies)

• Interviews
  • 10-15 minutes
  • Nov. 15-Nov. 29

• Admissions: December 1

• Enrol in CS 3050G – Study Trip to Rome
Logistics

• Dates: Tentative
  • Tuesday, May 12-Thursday, May 26
  • In Bay of Naples May 12-16
  • In Rome May 16-26

• Costs
  • $3,000 - $4,000 depending on duration of trip and exchange rates
What’s Not Included

• Airfare to and from Rome/Europe
  • Come early, stay late
  • Travel in Europe

• Food on Weekends
  • 4-6 days
  • You should eat at some real Italian restaurants and pizzerias
  • You can spend as much or as little as you like
    • Grocery stores and fancy restaurants

• Tchotchkes

• Telephone service (very cheap in Europe-get an unlocked phone)
What’s included

• 10 nights at the Intercollegiate Center for Classical Studies
• Wifi
• 3 meals a day, five days a week
• Gym
• Computers
• Garden
• Laundry available
• Table Tennis
What’s included

• All museum and site admissions
• Bus Pass
• Local transportation
  • Tivoli, Naples, Pompeii, Herculaneum, etc.
What’s included

• 4 nights at Hotel Villa of the Mysteries in Pompeii
  • Pool
  • Wifi
• Travel Insurance
• Scenery
• Surprises
• Memories
• Tuition
Scholarships Available

- Western internal Global Opportunities awards (GO)
  - $1000-$2000 scholarships available
  - Eligibility: open to all students on campus
    - 100-200 available scholarships
  - Donor backed scholarships of $2000 available specifically for Classics program participants
- Boarding Pass (Western’s initiative for students to go abroad)
  - $1000 scholarship available to cover students’ travel abroad
  - Competition requirements: open to all students on campus with an 70% average or above
  - All students are guaranteed this scholarship if they have the correct average
  - Can only receive one ‘Boarding Pass’ during career at Western
Scholarships

• **O’Donnell Scholarship**
  • $2000 scholarship for a study abroad program.
  • Competition requirements: For program students in Classics, French, and Comparative Literature departments.
  • 2-3 scholarships available each summer.
Scholarships

• Western Department of Classical Studies
  • Archaeological Excavation Fund
    • This fund changes from year to year depending on the generosity of personal donors to the department
    • Allocations change from year to year and are based on availability, need, and number of applicants.

• PLEASE LOOK YOURSELF FOR OBSCURE SOURCES OF FUNDING!!

• LET US KNOW IF YOU FIND SOMETHING USEFUL FOR FELLOW STUDENTS AND FUTURE YEARS!!
Rome 2022