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INTERNATIONAL
HIGHER EDUCATION

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THE ITALIAN INTERNATIONAL INSTITUTE

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Istituto Lorenzo de' Medici

OUR MISSION

*Istituto Lorenzo de' Medici is committed to delivering
a high-quality international learning experience
through which students advance along their educational paths,
develop their creativity, realize their own potential,
and empower themselves to impact the world around them.
Experiential learning is LdM's main tool to foster
students' future professional development.*

THE ITALIAN INTERNATIONAL INSTITUTE

Founded in 1973 in Florence, Istituto Lorenzo de' Medici (LdM) is among Italy's most comprehensive and well-established international institutions in higher education. In addition to its main campus in Florence, LdM has premises in Rome and Tuscania. Today, LdM hosts over 3000 students annually from all over the world.

The educational opportunities at each of LdM's three sites are deeply rooted in their surrounding environments, allowing students to experience first-hand the inspiring culture of both historical and contemporary Italy. LdM integrates formal, university-level learning with an emphasis on personal growth, individual engagement, and community responsibility.

OVER 45 YEARS OF EXPERIENCE IN INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION

Istituto Lorenzo de' Medici is affiliated with institutions world-wide and is registered and authorized in Italy by the Ministry of Education (December 2, 1989).

Istituto Lorenzo de' Medici is approved by the US Middle States Commission on Higher Education as a branch campus of Marist College, with particular note on the quality of LdM facilities and academic environment.

The LdM campuses in Florence, Rome and Tuscania are approved by the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs.

LdM is also accredited by the CSN of the Swedish government, by the Icelandic Student Loan Fund (LIN), and it has been awarded the European quality certification ISO 9001:2015 by EQA (European Quality Assurance).



ACADEMIC SCHOOLS



// 7 SCHOOLS // 39 DEPARTMENTS // 600 COURSES

LIBERAL ARTS AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

With 16 departments spanning across the humanities, social sciences, business and communications, the School of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences is the largest of LdM's seven schools. From anthropology and marketing to gender studies and philosophy, LdM encourages interdisciplinary inquiry through its diverse array of programs. Courses examine themes such as the changing dynamics of Italian urban life, the remarkable diversity of Italy's regions, and even the multiculturalism of modern Italy. Students gain interpersonal skills and new perspectives on values that are vital in today's global society.

ITALIAN LANGUAGE AND CULTURE

With over forty-five years of experience and research in teaching Italian language and culture, Istituto Lorenzo de' Medici provides an interactive and participatory approach to learning the language and culture, encouraging students through tandem conversation exchanges with their Italian peers. Courses feature a full range of levels (from three- to six-credit). Special cultural courses, taught entirely in Italian, develop linguistic skills, and further connect students to the community, history, art, and politics of Italy. LdM is a proud member of the International Association of Language Centers (IALC).

CREATIVE ARTS

Art students, from beginning to advanced, learn historical and contemporary approaches in a range of media, while stimulating creativity, developing personal style, and preparing for the professional world. Courses aim to elicit students' insatiable drive to create, fostering natural expression and sparking critical reflection. Finally, internships and involvement in city art projects and festivals provide students with the practical experience necessary to pursue a career in art and culture fields.

DESIGN

Successfully educating art and design students for decades, LdM employs professors at the top of their fields to instruct students in a broad range of courses. Advanced design students at LdM develop the ability to make strategic decisions in professional contexts, read market trends, and formulate dynamic, effective and successful designs. Art and design students attending LdM participate in juried projects sponsored by professional companies, and students in the spring may take part in an end-of-semester art competition that involves a wide public audience.





NUTRITION, ITALIAN GASTRONOMY AND CULTURE

The School's objective is to conduct a parallel rigorous scientific discourse on the principles of nutrition, and on the cultural aspects of Italian culinary heritage by examining the intersection of historical and sociological influences on local gastronomic traditions. All this is complemented by a study of the practices of preserving agricultural heritage within the sustainable food movement in today's global food system. The School's interdisciplinary curriculum is carefully planned to address the way in which the socio-cultural, historical and anthropological characteristics of the different regions of Italy are reflected in their culinary heritage.

SCIENCES

LdM offers access to Italian excellence in the areas of science, technology, engineering, and mathematics. LdM STEM courses are taught in state-of-the-art laboratories of Italian university partners, and satisfy the curricular needs of STEM students. Serving a variety of majors including the health sciences and related fields, STEM also provides academic options for students who demand a comprehensive education to enter today's workplace.

AGRICULTURE

At LdM Tuscania, the constantly growing School of Agriculture gives students the opportunity to discover innovative ways of interpreting and utilizing traditional agricultural activities. Students learn from highly qualified and experienced faculty and through engagement with the local community. Courses focus on the organic agriculture philosophy, and include experiential learning with seasonal activities. The agro-industry is also examined in its multifunctional aspects, as it contributes to the social, educational, and recreational needs of rural communities.

My daughter returned to her home university with a renewed sense of confidence, maturity and focus, as well as a real global awareness that will give her an edge when searching for that first job.

- SUSAN P. - LDM ROME AND TUSCANIA PARENT.





ACADEMICS

DEDICATED
INTERNATIONAL
PROFESSORS /
SMALL CLASS SIZES /
AND INSPIRING
ACADEMIC
FIELD TRIPS





LEARNING AT LdM IS A DISTINCTIVE AND ENRICHING EXPERIENCE FOR THE INDIVIDUAL WITHIN THE CONTEXT OF AN INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY. EACH CITY IS USED AS A CLASSROOM, WITH ITS MONUMENTS, ARTWORK, INDUSTRY, AND PEOPLE SERVING AS INVALUABLE RESOURCES.

Academic learning is enhanced by the opportunity for personal expression and practical application through interdisciplinary projects and engagement with the professional sector. LdM students have integral roles in conferences, festivals, LdM Gallery exhibitions, LdM WebTV and film productions, archaeological digs, restoration projects, fashion shows and other events, complementing the student's academic experience.

LANGUAGE OF INSTRUCTION

LdM classes are conducted in English, except for Italian language courses, which are taught in Italian. In addition, some courses from other subject areas are featured in Italian for students proficient in the language.

COURSE OFFERINGS AND CREDIT TRANSFER

LdM offers students almost 600 different courses in 39 subject areas which are designed to complement a variety of academic majors as well as to enrich the student's experience, education and skills. Students may earn US credits for courses taken at LdM. Students enrolling directly through LdM have the option of receiving either the LdM transcript or a US transcript from Marist College (US accredited institution and LdM partner). Students enrolling through affiliate institutions or providers should contact their program or home institution to learn more about their transfer of credit.

FACULTY

LdM's faculty is comprised of over 200 experienced and dedicated professors. LdM instructors share an international outlook that supports the LdM mission of delivering a high-quality international learning experience. Faculty selection is based on academic qualifications and commitment to community engagement and empowerment, among other LdM core values. Whether co-directing the Center for Ancient Mediterranean and Near Eastern Studies, organizing the exhibition of student sustainable design projects at the Salone del Mobile trade fair in Milan, or developing collaborative research work for their students, LdM faculty are actively engaged in the education process, as well as in their professional fields outside the classroom.

PROGRAMS AND DEGREES



ACADEMIC SEMESTER AND YEAR ABROAD

The academic semester and year abroad programs foster awareness and understanding of not only the course topics, but also of Italian culture. Students may customize their courses of study according to their academic needs and personal interests.

ONE SEMESTER-THREE CITIES

Students may concentrate their entire semester at any one of LdM campuses in Florence, Rome, and Tuscania, or choose to experience local and regional differences within Italy through the “One Semester - Three Cities” Program. This study abroad experience connects students to all the three LdM sites, Tuscania, Rome and Florence. This dynamic program offers students a diverse and informed approach to the multifaceted aspects of contemporary Italy, placing a new emphasis on Italian excellence and global presence in relation to real-world issues of today and tomorrow.

SUMMER SESSIONS

The summer sessions consist of month-long courses during June and July. These programs are well-suited for undergraduate students seeking summer academic credits as well as independent students seeking a meaningful educational experience.

Additional summer programs include a four-week STEM Program at LdM Rome, the Florence & Southern Italy Restoration Workshops, Archaeological Field Schools, and the Marist-LdM Venice Biennale Program, which takes place during the Biennale exhibition, and focuses on studio art and the prominent role played by the city in the contemporary art world.

JANUARY INTERSESSION

The three-week January Intersession provides the opportunity for undergraduate students as well as independent or adult students to study abroad in Florence.

MARIST-LdM DEGREE PROGRAMS

International students are able to earn a US undergraduate Bachelor's Degree through LdM's partnership with Marist College. These fully-accredited US degree programs offer the unique experience of extended undergraduate study at an international institution. The following four-year degrees are available: Art History, Italian Language, Digital Media, Fashion Design, Studio Art, Interior Design, Conservation Studies, and Global Marketing Communication.

In continued partnership, Marist College and Istituto Lorenzo de' Medici offer the Marist-LdM Graduate Degree Program at LdM Florence. This interdisciplinary advanced degree program, now offering the one-year M.A. in Museum Studies, grants students an in-depth exploration of how museums operate within their social and cultural contexts.





TRADITIONAL AND INNOVATIVE EDUCATION WITHIN AN INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY

ONE-SEMESTER CERTIFICATE PROGRAMS

Semester Certificates give students the opportunity to gather the professional skills and the theoretical underpinnings of exciting fields in design and other subjects in a single semester. Semester Certificates include: Visual Communication for Fashion, Interior Design in Contemporary Living, Product Design towards Sustainability, Architecture in Urban Context, Italian Gastronomy, and Balance in Nutrition.

ONE-SEMESTER CERTIFICATE IN INTERNATIONAL CONFLICT TRANSFORMATION (ICTC)

A one-semester certificate at LdM Rome offers an intensive study program in which students of different career paths learn how to analyze and evaluate conflict from an international perspective. Through five courses, students become better informed about global politics and can measure the difference between principles and practice.

ONE- AND TWO-YEAR CERTIFICATE PROGRAMS

The LdM year-long Certificate Programs are designed to develop a student's creativity, artistic talent, and technical skills within structured plans of study. Combining a strong theoretical base with practical work for the pursuit of professional goals, LdM

offers one- and two-year Certificates in the following disciplines: Fashion Design, Fashion Marketing & Merchandising, Graphic Design & Visual Communication, Jewelry Design, Interior Design, Restoration & Conservation, and Fine Arts. These programs begin in the fall semester each year and are available for US credit.

INTERNSHIPS

LdM internships offer students the possibility to learn different aspects of working in Italy, a country known for its artisan and small business structure. LdM strives to place students in companies which enable them to explore and understand the strengths and structure of the Italian business environment in a variety of fields. Internships are available for US credit and in combination with academic courses only.

LdM arranges internships in Art History, Communications, Public Relations and Event Planning, Public Administration (in Italian), Web and Social Media Marketing, Advertising, Education, Graphic Design, Fashion Design and Merchandising and Health Sciences. In addition, students have the opportunity to carry out service learning (in Italian only). Placement opportunities are limited and vary by campus.

PROFESSIONAL OPPORTUNITIES

The LdM Professional Opportunities Program provides students with a non-credit experiential learning opportunity based upon the completion of one single project. Students are able to collaborate with both the LdM institute and local businesses, organizations and associations. Upon successful completion of the project, students receive a certificate of participation. Each professional opportunity has specific application requirements.

THE LdM ACADEMIC
CALENDAR FOLLOWS
A SEMESTER STRUCTURE
(FALL AND SPRING)
AND INCLUDES A
JANUARY INTERSESSION
AND TWO, MONTH-LONG
SUMMER SESSIONS.
US CREDIT
IS AVAILABLE FOR ALL
LdM PROGRAMS.

PROGRAMS

STUDY ABROAD PROGRAMS

Academic Semester and Year Abroad
January Interession
Summer Session
Summer Workshops / Field Schools
Three Cities
STEM

INTERNSHIPS

MARIST-LdM DEGREE PROGRAMS

B.A. in Fine Arts: Art History
B.A. in Fine Arts: Studio Art
B.A. in Italian Language
B.F.A. in Fashion Design
B.F.A. in Interior Design
B.S. in Conservation Studies
B.S. in Digital Media
B.S. in Global Marketing Communication
B.S. in Studio Art

MARIST-LdM MASTER OF ARTS

M.A. in Museum Studies

LdM CERTIFICATE PROGRAMS

Architecture in Urban Context
Balance in Nutrition
Italian Gastronomy
Fashion Design
Fashion Marketing and Merchandising
Fine Arts
Graphic Design and Visual Communication
International Conflict Transformation (ICTC)
Interior Design
Interior Design in Contemporary Living
Jewelry Design
Product Design towards Sustainability
Restoration and Conservation
Visual Communication for Fashion



FLORENCE

The LdM Florence campus is one of the largest international schools in Italy, located in fourteen buildings in the historic city center near the famous Duomo and next to the bustling San Lorenzo market and church.

The LdM buildings are Wi-Fi equipped and contain a full range of facilities including large classrooms and specialized art studios, modern culinary labs, a cafeteria, courtyard garden, library, student point, and computer center. The vibrant surrounding neighborhoods are filled with shops and restaurants, including the central market which hosts the cooking school Cucina LdM.

At LdM's main campus in Florence, students can choose from a wide range of courses, including advanced coursework in art, design, and restoration. Study abroad programs range from academic year and semester to summer courses and January Intersession. Florence is also home to the LdM Certificate Programs and the Marist-LdM Bachelor's and Master's Degree Programs.





COURSES

Subjects offered in Florence include art history, communications, international business, nutrition and Italian gastronomy, fashion design and merchandising, fine arts, architecture, ancient studies, performing arts, restoration and conservation, interior design, graphic and jewelry design, sociology, psychology, photography, sciences and many more.

CULINARY ARTS IN FLORENCE

Only steps away from LdM's main building on via Faenza arises one of Florence's most lively buildings: the Mercato Centrale, one of the oldest covered markets in town where Florentines have been doing their grocery shopping since its opening in 1874. On the newly restored first floor of the Mercato, LdM has created the Cucina LdM, a modern kitchen with sixteen individual workstations equipped with innovative appliances and utensils. Here, students are able to learn about Italian and Florentine cuisine in the midst of an inspiring and unique ambience.

LdM FLORENCE - FONDAZIONE FRANCO ZEFFIRELLI: A GROWING PARTNERSHIP

Recently Istituto Lorenzo de' Medici started a new partnership with Fondazione Franco Zeffirelli - International Center for the Arts and Entertainment, located right in the heart of the historical city center of Florence. The Fondazione Zeffirelli's archives include his works of drama, opera, ballet and film productions and offer an exclusive opportunity to LdM students to embark on an artistic journey. A great Italian cinema master, Zeffirelli is world-wide known for masterpieces like the academy award-nominated *Romeo and Juliet* starring Olivia Hussey and Leonard Whiting, *The Taming of the Shrew* with Elizabeth Taylor and Richard Burton, and many other masterpieces, as well as for having worked with extraordinary international artists, including Maggie

Smith, Cher, Judi Dench, Fanny Ardant and Jeremy Irons. In the Academic Year 2019-2020 the LdM-Fondazione Franco Zeffirelli partnership has expanded, resulting in new interdisciplinary courses offered at LdM Florence in the fields of the Performing Arts, Literature, Art History, Media Arts and Studies and more. Inspired by Zeffirelli's interdisciplinary and multifaceted career, students will delve into the magic of visual and performing arts, exploring from a privileged point of view the diverse professional paths originating from them.

FLORENCE AND SOUTHERN ITALY SUMMER RESTORATION WORKSHOP

The hands-on Restoration Workshop, offered in both June and in July, consists of a month-long exploration of restoration, history, religion and culture. It balances studio and classroom instruction at the LdM campus in Florence with a one-week restoration field work in Rocca Imperiale, a medieval hill town located in the region of Calabria. The region, located in the very south of Italy, is of extraordinary historical, cultural and archaeological value due to its past as a flourishing ancient Greek settlement, its fertile ground and strategic location.

LdM GALLERY

Experimentation and dialogue within interdisciplinary forms of art is the main goal of the LdM Gallery, a new project by Istituto Lorenzo de' Medici, and a space where academic research and artistic practice meet within a professional setting. Encouraging the development of creativity and sophistication within the student body, and generating an open dialogue between students and the public, the LdM Gallery fosters opportunities for students to experience the reality of the art world beyond an institutional setting and gain professional experience through their artwork.





MODERN FLAVOR IN THE ETERNAL CITY

In its unparalleled history, Rome has developed its own flavor both as an ancient and modern world capital. The city's unique metropolitan environment is comprised of small, lively neighborhoods and picturesque districts with hills, piazzas, fountains, churches, and cobbled streets.

LdM Rome is located near the city's center in an elegant nineteenth century palace in the government and business district. The premises offer an intimate academic setting that counterbalances the vibrant life of the Italian capital city. Students benefit from small class sizes and are individually assisted during their entire stay. The newly renovated building provides contemporary, Wi-Fi equipped facilities with light-filled classrooms. Flourishing Roman shops and restaurants surround the campus, and many famous sites, such as the Spanish Steps and the Trevi Fountain, are within walking distance.

COURSES

LdM Rome students can choose courses in subjects such as history, classical civilizations, art and literature, as well as international business and marketing, political science, media studies, environmental studies, and Italian language. A specific STEM Program also provides immersion in the long-standing scientific traditions Italy offers.



ROME



AN INTIMATE ACADEMIC SETTING IN THE CENTRE OF A VIBRANT CAPITAL CITY

CULTURE, ACTIVITIES AND FIELD TRIPS

LdM Rome offers excursions, food and wine tastings and daily trips led by professors and staff. Students can discover some of Italy's most famous and beautiful locations such as Lake Bracciano and Odrescalchi Castle, Abruzzo National Park, Sorrento and Pompeii. Students can learn more about Roman culture through activities organized by The Italian Club to enrich their time abroad. Our Intercultural Program Coordinator at LdM Rome helps students enhance their intercultural competency and adopt a sense of home through extracurricular activities and on-site visits, as well as from the interaction with locals.

LdM ROME SCHOLARSHIPS

LdM offers a scholarship per semester in Rome to qualified applicants. Interested students should contact LdM at info@ldminstitute.com for more information.

STEM PROGRAM

The LdM STEM Program in Rome offers students in sciences and related majors a unique educational opportunity to advance their studies through rigorous science courses. This program is organized in collaboration with highly-recognized Italian institutions in state-of-the-art teaching and research laboratories.

The core of the program is a required course on Italy's contributions to modern sciences. Through the examination of important scientists from the Renaissance to the present, students explore the development of scientific thought and its historical connections. Students combine it with selected science courses and, additionally, with general education courses. Italian language study is encouraged but no language courses are required. Specific attendance and grading policies apply to STEM courses.





The historic hilltop town of Tuscania is located in the Lazio region of central Italy, in the breathtaking countryside of the Maremma. LdM Tuscania promotes full academic and cultural immersion in this pastoral setting.

DISCOVER THE HISTORIC HILLTOP TOWN

LdM Tuscania premises are set in an elegantly modern structure in the old town center incorporated into the medieval stone walls. Reading rooms, classrooms, exhibition space, studios, a library, and a computer lab fill the renovated, Wi-Fi equipped interior. The facilities also include a small courtyard and a culinary classroom for courses in Mediterranean cuisine.

COURSES AND ACTIVITIES

LdM Tuscania supports its full immersion philosophy through a selection of courses in liberal and creative arts, as well as in the scientific field, with its School of Agriculture. History and archaeology classes focus on the Etruscan, Roman and medieval civilizations that are at the core of Tuscania's history and development, while courses in agricultural sciences and culinary arts highlight Tuscania's connection to the natural cycles and tradition of the region.

Students have the opportunity to volunteer at pre- and primary schools, at the Tourist Information Office, or at the local library. At LdM Tuscania students are also offered a wide variety of well-being initiatives as well as outdoor sport activities, giving them the chance to build a strong relationship with the surrounding natural and cultural environment.

Site visits and field trips help students to broaden their cultural horizons, enhancing the understanding of ancient cultures, customs, and different lifestyles. Students often participate in trips to Rome, Bolsena Lake, Orvieto, and the ancient town of Civita di Bagnoregio.





TUSCANIA

SUSTAINABLE AND ENVIRONMENTALLY RESPONSIBLE AGRICULTURE

Tuscania is a unique location to study agriculture: it sits among fertile hills which are as rich in agricultural produce as they are in Etruscan heritage. The mild climate is influenced by the proximity of the Mediterranean Sea, and the agricultural activity takes place nearly year-round. Locals are engaged with nature on a daily basis, which allow them to find innovative ways of interpreting and utilizing traditional agricultural activities. The School of Agriculture at LdM Tuscania allows students to learn from the highly qualified and experienced faculty and through engagement with the local community.

Organic methods of olive tree farming and olive oil production are the focus of the fall semester, while in the spring semester students learn about horticulture through different production methods that aim to obtain high quality food products while respecting the environment. The didactic offering also embraces the aspects of economic principles and their application to the agricultural sector and to the management of natural resources such as forests. Practice is an important part of all the courses.

SUMMER ARCHAEOLOGICAL FIELD SCHOOL

The Center for Ancient Mediterranean and Near Eastern Studies (CAMNES) at LdM conducts field schools each summer in ancient Mediterranean archaeology. The intensive field schools are held at important Etruscan sites near beautiful Tuscania, Italy and other Mediterranean locations. The field schools combine on-site field work and specialized academic instruction by an expert team of archaeologists. Students may receive credits in anthropology, ancient studies, or history for successful completion of the field schools.

LdM TUSCANIA SCHOLARSHIPS

LdM offers a scholarship per semester in Tuscania to qualified applicants. Interested students should contact LdM at info@ldminstitute.com for more information.

CULTURE AND TRADITION IN A LAND OF GOLDEN FIELDS AND OLIVE TREES





THREE CITIES PROGRAM



With the Three Cities program, students are immersed in the unique characteristics of three Italian cities during a single semester: Tuscany, Rome and Florence. The locations vary in size from small town to metropolis and differ in terms of history, heritage, and the roles they play in today's Italy.

The courses of the Three Cities program foreground a wide choice of topics. They mark a journey through languages, history, culture, and society, highlighting Italy's excellence in the fields of tourism and gastronomy, and allowing a reflection upon the meaning of the Made in Italy brand.

This dynamic program offers students a diverse and informed approach to the multifaceted aspects of contemporary Italy. In other words, the Three Cities academic program this year places a new emphasis on Italian excellence and global presence in relation to real-world issues of today and tomorrow.

Students spend a month at each location, moving from Tuscany to Rome, and finally to Florence, attending five 3-credit courses—two courses in Tuscany, one in Rome, and two in Florence. At each of these locations, they will be closely supported by LdM's expert and experienced team of advisors, support staff and faculty.

THREE CITIES IN ONE SEMESTER // TUSCANY, ROME AND FLORENCE



Student Life

STUDENT LIFE AT LdM

In addition to the rich and varied academic content at its three campuses, LdM guides students to a deeper level of understanding of the Italian lifestyle, language, culture, and customs through student clubs, volunteer opportunities, excursions, and recreational activities.

DIVERSITY AT LdM

As the Italian International Institute, LdM embraces diversity and welcomes students from all over North America and from over 100 countries worldwide, including Mexico, the Netherlands, China, Spain, Sweden, Belgium, Colombia, India and Russia, among many others. LdM encourages intercultural communication among its students from diverse backgrounds, whether geographic, social, or academic, fostering a community of mutual understanding and respect.

HOUSING ARRANGEMENTS

LdM's experienced on-site housing coordinators facilitate student housing placement. Housing options include student apartments, family stay, and independently-arranged housing. Student apartments are the most popular and affordable option, providing the opportunity to live with other LdM students within the historical city center.

GETTING INVOLVED AND GETTING AROUND

LdM students find many ways to experience Italy's rich culture in and around Florence, Rome and Tuscany – including Italian movie nights, guided tours of important museums and landmarks, theatrical performances, exhibition openings, lectures on Italian culture and life, soccer games, and day trips to nearby towns. LdM premises are located in or near major transportation hubs, allowing students to explore beyond Italy as well.

STUDENT SERVICES, CLUBS AND EXCURSIONS

Dedicated staff and advisors are available to guide and assist students, providing support, local resources, and current information at the on-site orientation and throughout the program. At LdM Florence, a variety of student clubs offer social and cultural opportunities that connect students with the Italian community.

LdM also offers activities and weekend excursions led by full-time professors and staff to some of Italy's most famous and beautiful locales such as the Alps and Garda Lake, Venice, Capri, Sorrento and Pompeii, as well as others outside of Italy, such as the Principality of Monaco and Switzerland.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

LdM has developed relationships with various charities and organizations in order to provide contacts for students interested in volunteer work. In Florence and Tuscany, students have the chance to improve their Italian language skills and meet new people through LdM volunteer activities.

NOT ONLY
DID I LEARN A
NEW LANGUAGE
AND CULTURE,
I DISCOVERED
A NEW SIDE
OF MYSELF

// TIERNEY R - LdM FLORENCE

HOW TO APPLY



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DEPARTMENT LOCATIONS

• FLORENCE • ROME • TUSCANIA

LIBERAL ARTS AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

- • • Ancient Studies
- • • Anthropology
- • Art History
- • • Communications
- Education
- • Gender Studies
- • • Geography and Environmental Studies
- • • History
- • • International Business
- • • Literature
- • • Philosophy
- • Political Science and International Studies
- • • Psychology
- • • Religious Studies
- • • Sociology
- • • Writing

ITALIAN LANGUAGE AND CULTURE

- • • Italian Language
- • • Italian Language and Culture

CREATIVE ARTS

- • • Media Arts and Studies
- • • Painting, Drawing and Mixed Media
- • • Performing Arts
- • • Photography
- • Printmaking
- • Restoration
- • Sculpture and Ceramics

DESIGN

- Architecture
- Fashion Design, Marketing, and Merchandising
- Graphic Design
- Interior Design
- Jewelry Design

SCHOOL OF NUTRITION, ITALIAN GASTRONOMY AND CULTURE

- • • Italian Gastronomy and Culture
- • • Nutrition

SCIENCES

- Biological Sciences
- • Chemistry
- Engineering
- Environmental Sciences
- Health Sciences
- • Mathematics

AGRICULTURE

- Agricultural Studies and Technologies

APPLICATION DEADLINES

FALL SEMESTER // JUNE 15TH

SPRING SEMESTER // NOVEMBER 15TH

JANUARY INTERSESSION // NOVEMBER 15TH

SUMMER SESSION I // APRIL 15TH

SUMMER SESSION II // MAY 15TH

GENERAL ACADEMIC CALENDAR

SPRING // FEBRUARY TO MAY

FALL // SEPTEMBER TO DECEMBER

SUMMER // JUNE, JULY

INTERSESSION // JANUARY (3 WEEKS)

*(Please visit our website for exact dates. **www.ldminstitute.com**)*





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