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Adult Study Abroad @ Temple University Rome

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Introductions

Using the chat box, write your name, city, and a brief explanation of your interest in Adult Study Abroad!
Meet the Staff!
Gianni Marangio

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What is Adult Study Abroad?

And who is eligible to participate?
Adult Study Abroad is a unique opportunity for learners of all ages to study in Italy’s capital city. Come relive your own study abroad experience, or visit Rome for the first time!

rome.temple.edu/adult-study-abroad
An Important Clarification Regarding 2021

What’s the situation like on the ground in Italy?
The Basics

What should you know right away about Adult Study Abroad @ Temple Rome?

- 6 weeks in May-June
- Rome is your Classroom
- Classes held M - Th
- Same Temple Rome Faculty
- Housing & Airfare **Not** Included
Why Study Abroad?
And why Rome, Italy?
The Program
What will you do and study throughout your 6 weeks in Rome?
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- Highlights of Rome Course
- Italian Language & Culture Course
- Weekly Group Activities
- (Optional) Audit an Undergraduate Course
- (Optional) Mid-Program Excursion
What’s New, and Why?

- Previous iterations of the Adult Study Abroad Program exclusively used an auditing model, much like MC’s Senior Scholars Program.

- The new program format includes custom programming designed exclusively for Adult Study Abroad participants.

- Option to audit an undergraduate course.

- A mid-program excursion option, circumstances permitting.

- A new tiered pricing scheme.

- Undergraduate courses during Summer I are extremely intense – twice the weekly workload as a full semester course.

- Custom programming means fewer restrictions in terms of course availability, waitlists, etc.

- Add-on options allow participants to select an appropriate time commitment to match their needs.
Highlights of Rome Course

- **Study** with Temple Rome faculty working in the fields of Archaeology, Architecture, Art History, Classics, History, and more!

- **Learn** about ancient Rome, art & architecture throughout the centuries, and more!

- **Visit** cultural and historical sites throughout the city of Rome.
Rome Sketchbook at the Modern Art Museum (2018)

Art History at the Capitoline Museum (Jan. 2020)
Italian Language & Culture Course

- **Study** with Temple Rome faculty working in the Department of Italian Studies.

- **Learn** the basics of Italian vocabulary & grammar.

- **Learn** about contemporary Italian culture.

- **Practice** your language skills and gain a greater appreciation for contemporary Italian culture through a series of hands-on Italian Cultural Labs.
Weekly Group Activities

- **Connect** with your fellow *Adult Study Abroad* participants!

- **Learn** fun new skills – like cooking, dancing, wine-tasting and more!

- **Meet Temple Rome students** - additional activities available through the undergraduate student activities calendar.
Day trip to Todi/Titignano

Above: Cooking Class
Below: Wine Tasting (2019)
(Optional) Audit an Undergraduate Course

- **Study** with Temple Rome faculty from a variety of academic disciplines.
- **Learn** alongside regularly enrolled undergraduate students.
- Take a **deep dive** into a subject matter of your choosing.
- Exams, HW assignments, etc. are **optional** for auditors.
(Optional) Mid-Program Excursion

- **Visit** another Italian city with a **Temple Rome faculty member** as your guide.

- Same great educational excursions experienced by our undergraduate students.

- Possible destinations include **Florence, Venice, Naples, Palermo, Pompeii, and more!**

- This optional ~3-day excursion will take place over a weekend near the midway point of the program.
How much does it cost?
The #1 question on everyone’s mind!
Summary of Program Fees

- **Base Program Fee:** $3,000 USD
- **(Optional) Audit Fee:** ~$500 USD (approx.)
- **(Optional) Mid-Program Excursion Fee:** ~$500 USD (approx.)
- **Housing & Airfare costs NOT included.**
Special Rates

- **TU & TUR Alumni**: 15% off Base Program Fee

- **Buddy Discount**: 10% off Base Program Fee for Group Registrations of 2 or more

- Discounts are NOT cumulable.
A Testimonial

Let’s hear from an Adult Study Abroad 2019 Alum!
Susan Cohen

- Temple University & Temple University Rome Alum
- Adult Study Abroad 2019
- Temple University Rome Alumna
- Adult Study Abroad Peer Mentor
What’s Next?

Sound interesting? Here’s what you should do to start making your Adult Study Abroad Experience a reality.
What’s Next?

- Join our e-mail list, if you haven’t already! Sign up at rome.temple.edu/subscribe.

- Pre-registration begins in late January / early February. An announcement will be posted to our website and also sent out by e-mail.

- Pre-registrations accepted on a rolling basis.

- Confirm your participation by March 2021.
What’s Next? (continued)

- **Deposit fees** due by late March / early April 2021.

- **Full program fees** due by late April 2021.

- **Pre-Departure (Virtual) Orientation** sessions held February – April 2021.

- **Program tentatively scheduled** for Thursday, May 13th – Friday, June 25th, 2021.
Questions? Comments?
We’re happy to stay on the line to address any lingering questions you might have!
Get in Touch!

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