| Location and Institution | ITALY - FLORENCE  
FAIRFIELD UNIVERSITY - FLORENCE UNIVERSITY OF THE ARTS (FUA) |
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| Program and Language Requirements | • Minimum overall GPA of 3.0 (School of Management students must also maintain a 2.75 GPA for their major)  
• Good academic and disciplinary standing  
• Students must enroll in a minimum of 12 units but not exceed 18 units (U.S. credit hours) per semester  
* Consult academic dean for below minimum GPA approvals and major-specific requirements. Check with study abroad advisor or program website for country and program specific requirements. |
| Language of Instruction | Courses are taught in English and Italian |
| Application Deadline | Applying to study abroad for a semester is a two-step process. You should plan to apply at the beginning of the Fall semester of your Sophomore year.  
1. Students must meet with a Study Abroad Advisor and complete a USF Study Abroad Pre-application for their program of choice and an alternate through the Center for Global Education's website. Pre-Applications completed by the Dec 1st deadline will be reviewed and students will be notified of their program nomination by the 3rd week of January.  
2. Accepted students can then apply for their nominated program. Students are responsible for submitting the host program's application and required documentation by the program's deadline. Please note that nomination by USF does not guarantee acceptance by the host program. |
| Fall & Spring: Dec. 1st | |
| Program Dates | Fall: August-December  
Spring: January-May |
*Required to take one Italian language course or Culture and Language course if language requirements are fulfilled  
*Courses subject to change |
| Special Courses, Internships, and/or Scholarships | • Internships are available. See CGE for more information.  
• Ottimo Program: Students with fair command of Italian can enroll in intensive Italian and content cultural courses through the Universita di Frenze  
• 110 Lode Program: Students with proficiency or fluency in Italian have the option of directly enrolling into humanities and political science courses at the Universita di Frenze in addition to Florence University of the Arts courses |
| Accommodation | Students live in shared apartments.  
*USF Program Fee: Includes room rates. |
| Other Expenses Not Included in USF Tuition | Airfare, passport, visa, books, local transportation, independent travel, incidentals, meals, and housing deposit. (Students are required to pay a housing deposit for possible damage to the apartment. The deposit will be returned after checking for damage at the end of the program.)  
*Print the Budget Planning Worksheet to determine cost estimates |
| Suplemental Health and Travel Assist Services | Enrollment in USF sponsored programs include automatic coverage through ACE/AXA Assistance USA, Inc. while abroad. |
| Visa Requirements | You will need a student visa to enter and study in Italy. You must apply as soon as possible once accepted. Documents must be submitted in person or by a duly authorized third party. Contact consulate for specific documents, requirements, and instructions.  
*CGE is not responsible for applying for and/or obtaining your student visa. |
| Website | http://www.fairfield.edu/sa/index.html |