Film and Media Arts
in Montepulciano, Italy

Locations: Montepulciano, Italy

02/08/19 Application Deadline
06/16/18 Start Date
07/21/19 End Date

NOTE: Dates are subject to change. Students must arrive in the host city and check into the program housing on the program start date. The program officially ends on the end date, and students must check out of the housing facilities at that time. Participants are responsible for arranging travel to and from the program and should WAIT to purchase airfare until they have been officially instructed by the Faculty Director.

Language(s) of Instruction: English

Eligibility Requirements: Good Academic & Judicial Standing, Minimum Age: 18, Open to ALL Majors, Minimum GPA: 2.5, Advanced English Language Fluency

Program Requirements: Learning Abroad 101, Pre-Departure Orientation, Participation Requirements for Learning Abroad, Post-Decision Health Assessment, Pre & Post Commitments

DESCRIPTION

Study the fundamentals of cinematography and sound, including the use of camera composition, location recording, and editing. The coursework allows students to capture and organize what they observe and challenges them to present their findings in multimedia. Montepulciano in Tuscany, Italy provides students with a unique opportunity to experience a foreign culture, describe it, and understand the intercultural dialogue of the modern world. Visit this link to view a promotional video for the program.

ACADEMICS

Available credit(s): 4-8 undergraduate credits or 5-9 graduate credits.
Applicants are required to enroll in at least one of the program courses. Courses are subject to change. Course Offerings: Film 3500 Film Production I (4 undergraduate credits), Film 3905 Special Topics in Film and Media Arts. Documenting Italy (4 undergraduate credits), Film 6500 Graduate Film Production I (5 graduate credits), Film 6905 Special Topics in Film and Media Arts (4 graduate credits).

EXCURSIONS

Possible excursions may include Siena, Tuscany and cultural activities.

PROGRAM CONTACTS

Alysia Klein, Faculty Director, alysiafaeklein@gmail.com; Rick Batchelor, Learning Abroad, rick.batchelor@utah.edu

ACCOMMODATIONS

Apartment, Participants are required to use the program housing facilities, Housing is included in the program cost.

BUDGET SHEET

Participants should read the full Withdrawal Penalty Policy BEFORE applying.

UAC LEARNING ABROAD HANDBOOK

The UAC Learning Abroad Handbook outlines the University of Utah’s eligibility requirements, financial policies, conduct standards, administrative procedures, academic expectations, as well as visa and passport guidelines for Learning Abroad Programs. ALL participants are subject to the rules and regulations in the UAC Learning Abroad Handbook. It is every participant’s responsibility to read the UAC Learning Abroad Handbook and contact Learning Abroad with any questions.
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SUMMER 2019 PRE-DECISION APPLICATION DEADLINE: FEBRUARY 8, 2019

Detailed application instructions are found in the UAC Learning Abroad Pre-decision Application Packet. Additional details are available in the UAC Learning Abroad Handbook. All applicants are required to attend a Learning Abroad 101 session before submitting an application. Applications are not considered for admission until the pre-decision application packet, personal statement, and initial payment are completed and submitted. Late applications are subject to a $100 penalty and are considered on a case-by-case basis. Once you have submitted the application materials and the deadline has passed, applications are reviewed by Faculty Directors and Learning Abroad. Students will be notified by Learning Abroad through Umail of their application status.

TAKE THE FOLLOWING STEPS TO START YOUR APPLICATION:

1. Select a Program.
2. Attend Learning Abroad 101 online this fall.
3. Write a personal statement.
4. Complete and email the Pre-decision Application Packet (including your personal statement) to whitney.graves@utah.edu and bianca.silva@utah.edu by FEBRUARY 8TH.
5. Make the initial payment BY FEBRUARY 8TH.