

CIMBA Italy Program

Spring 2011



The Spring 2011 program dates are January 17 through April 16, 2011. You will live in a residence hall on a full-service campus in Paderno del Grappa, Italy (about an hour from Venice). Two, one-week travel breaks, two extended weekends, and most weekends are reserved for independent travel. Students may select up to 18 units of coursework. The courses, which are taught in English, are international in flavor and designed to satisfy core or elective requirements so that students stay on track toward graduation. **All courses are subject to change, but the italicized courses are the most tentative.**

Accounting & Finance

- Managerial Accounting
- Income Measurement & Asset Valuation
- Accounting for Management & Analysis Control
- Valuation of Financial Claims
- Introductory Financial Management
- International Finance
- Corporate Finance

Marketing & Management

- Introduction to Marketing
- International Marketing
- Consumer Behavior
- Introduction to Law
- Introduction to Management
- Entrepreneurial Strategy

Enrollment

The University of Iowa (UI) administers this program. Participants enroll at UI as special students and will receive course credit and an official transcript at the conclusion of the program.



The CIMBA Advantage

- Over 30 days of independent travel
- Core and elective classes
- Courses taught in English
- Full-service campus
- A focus on leadership & professional development

Other Business Courses

- Operations Management
- Business, Culture, & Society
- Microeconomic Theory
- Economics of Money, Banking & Financial Markets

Communication Studies

- Business & Professional Communication
- Intercultural Communication
- *Communication Studies Elective TBA*

Journalism & Mass Communication

- Travel Writing
- Journalism Ethics
- *Freelance Reporting and Writing*

Italian:

- Elementary Italian
- Italian for Travelers



Leadership & Professional Development

Like any quality study abroad experience, CIMBA provides top-notch academics plus cultural awareness. CIMBA goes further by giving you tools to become a successful leader and decision maker. The leadership programs that are built in to the CIMBA program are rarely available to undergraduates and unique among study abroad programs. Visit www.cimbaitaly.com for descriptions of the CIMBA Advantage Program (CAP), Learn Enrich Achieve Perform (LEAP) Program and the Leadership Initiative for Excellence (LIFE) Program.

Cost

The projected program cost for spring 2011 is \$14,895 which covers many expenses not included by most study abroad programs. Included are: tuition for up to 18 credits, a double occupancy room in on-campus residence halls, meal package (3 meals daily when class is in session), rental fee for books and materials, buses to and from train stations for travel breaks, housekeeping, linen and towel fee, 9 loads of laundry, and 3 gourmet dinner excursions for authentic multi-course Italian meals. Costs are based on projected Euro exchange rates and are subject to change. Airfare, travel within Europe, and personal expenses are not included in the program cost. Some universities also charge a study abroad fee so check with your home university regarding this.

Financial Awards & Financial Aid

The Consortium offers financial awards ranging from \$100 to \$1,500. Apply online at www.cimbaitaly.com. Check with your home institutions to find other scholarships and financial aid. CIMBA will provide a breakdown of all program expenses and estimated personal expenses for use by your financial aid office upon request.

The Consortium

The Consortium of Universities for International Studies consists of over 30 universities from across the United States. It is committed to providing a superior international learning environment to develop students as leaders and prepare them for the global marketplace. Visit www.cimbaitaly.com for a complete list of members.

Application and Admissions Process

Apply at www.cimbaitaly.com by **October 15th**. Some universities have special application procedures, so check with your home university before submitting your application.

General Requirements

- At least 18 years old.
- Good academic standing at home institution.
- GPA of 2.5 or higher.
- Sophomore status and/or required prerequisites.
- Must enroll in at least 12 credits during program.
- Valid passport/documentation from country of citizenship.

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