

# FUA

# STUDY ABROAD

# PROGRAMS

FLORENCE

ITALY

CINQUE TERRE RIVIERA



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Academic sessions are offered year-round at both locations as per the following summary:

SEMESTER		FLORENCE	CINQUE TERRE
FALL/SPRING	15 or 11-Week Sessions	✓	✓
	<i>Two-City Program</i> 15-Week Sessions	SI	11-Week Semester
		11-Week Semester	SI
SUMMER	12-Week Sessions	✓	
	<i>Two-City Program</i> 12-Week Sessions	SIII-SIV	SI-SII

*A 1-week travel/city-based academic experience can be taken before or after any session.*

QUARTER		FLORENCE	CINQUE TERRE
FALL	11-Week Sessions	✓	✓
WINTER	10-Week Sessions	✓	
SPRING	11-Week Sessions	✓	✓
SUMMER	8-Week Sessions	✓	

*A 1-week travel/city-based academic experience can be taken before or after any session.*

INTENSIVE		FLORENCE	CINQUE TERRE
AUG/JAN	2-Week Sessions	✓	
YEAR-ROUND	3-Week Sessions	✓	✓
SUMMER	6-Week Sessions	✓	✓

*A 1-week travel/city-based academic experience can be taken before or after any session.*

#### TRAVEL/CITY-BASED INTENSIVE SESSION

FALL/SPRING/ SUMMER	1-Week Sessions	1-week travel/city-based academic experiences can be taken before or after any session.
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# Study abroad with FUA at any time of the year.

FUA is a private higher learning institution located in distinct campus facilities in the historic center of Florence and La Spezia in the Cinque Terre area. All courses are taught in the English language, with the exception of Italian language courses. Faculty members are highly qualified and come from diverse international and professional backgrounds. FUA's copyrighted educational model is based on integration and experiential learning.

FUA is the only institution in Italy whose academic divisions actively engage students in the local community thanks to projects in collaboration with its partner institution, The American University of Florence. Projects include a school restaurant, pastry shop, spa, guest apartments, fashion retail store, botanical retail store, entrepreneurial lab, publishing house, two exhibition galleries, and a community center open to the public. Students can choose courses from many academic disciplines and their related departments and courses.

*FUA offers two locations for study abroad opportunities in Italy.*

## FLORENCE, TUSCANY

A city renowned for innovation in the arts, sciences, fashion, economy, and banking. FUA's Florence location offers a unique study experience in a vibrant urban context in the historic city center.

## LA SPEZIA IN THE CINQUE TERRE AREA, LIGURIA

The coastal location of FUA's Cinque Terre Riviera Program is in La Spezia, on the border between Tuscany and Liguria. The city offers a dynamic backdrop as a major Italian port featuring both urban and seaside lifestyles, and is a stone's throw from the Tuscan Riviera towns and marble quarries.

## TWO-CITY SEMESTER PROGRAM

Students may opt for a program featuring both locations:

- FALL/SPRING (15W): Session I in first location, 11W Semester in second location.
- SUMMER (12W): Session I-II Cinque Terre, Session III-IV Florence (one way only)

## LOCATIONS:

- Florence
- Cinque Terre Riviera Program

## MAIN ACADEMIC DIVISIONS

- Hospitality
- Digital imaging and visual media
- Fashion and accessories studies and technology
- International business
- Journalism, publishing, and communication
- Interior design, environmental architecture, and sustainability
- Arts and sciences (also includes STEM and health studies)
- Italian cultural and language studies
- Internship and experiential learning courses can also be integrated into a study abroad session.

## STUDENT LIFE AND DEVELOPMENT

The Student Life and Development Department provides full assistance with housing, health and counseling services, 24-hour emergency assistance, as well as the following extracurricular opportunities:

- Connecting Cultures: Community Outreach (volunteering), City Walks, Chat Pal conversation exchange, and the Italian Family Club
- Weekly Sports Nights and a mini-gym for weekday use
- Musing Club music and performing arts activities
- Blending journalism involvement in magazine creation
- Mind & Body
- Educational Field Learning offered as 1-day and weekend excursions



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