2016 DE RADA SUMMER PROGRAM LEARN ITALIAN AND LIVE ITALIAN CULTURE

Session I: July 11-27, 2016 - Session II: July 25-August 9, 2016 For High School, College Students and Parents/Adult Learners Application Deadline: May 3, 2016

CULTURAL TOUR OF ITALY

Program: This unique program is designed for students who would like to explore the Italian cities, towns, art history, archeology, landscape and culinary art while studying Italian Civilization, History and Art History.







Matera, Basilicata

Sessions: participants can select either Session I: July 11-27, 2016 OR Session II: July 25-August 9, 2016

Room: Shared rooms in hotels or dormitories

Board: Breakfast and dinner

Cultural events: Tour-course (taught in English), cooking lessons, olive oil and wine making labs, visit of museums, churches, palaces, temples, old towns, etc.

Excursions to 5 regions and over 20 famous locations of Italy: LAZIO: Rome, the Vatican and Frascati; CAMPANIA: Amalfi Coast, Naples, Pompeii, Salerno; CALABRIA: Ancient Greek Magna Grecia area of Sibari, Byzanthine and Albanian towns of San Demetrio Corone, Rossano, Corigliano Calabro; BASILICATA: Matera (chosen as the European City of the year for 2019 and protected by UNESCO-World Heritage Centre for its "Sassi" or stone caves) and Metaponto; PUGLIA: Alberobello, Altamura, Otranto, Lecce, Santa Cesarea Terme, Galatina, Scorrano



Otranto, Puglia



Tropea, Calabria

Program fees: Option A: Euro 2.330 - Option B: Euro 2.630 - single room requires an addition 370 Euro

Include: 16 days in Italy with room in hotels or dormitories with bed linens; board: breakfast & dinner; tour-course taught in English; cultural excursions & activities with guided visits of museums, palaces, archeological ruins, monuments, churches, etc.; Rome Fiumicino Airport free pick-up & return service; visit of the 5 regions and over 20 famous locations in Italy; trips to the beach and/or to the mountains; computer and wireless internet service within the hotels and dormitories; Labs to learn how to cook, paint, make olive oil, wine, pastries, etc.

Minimum number required: A minimum number of 23 participants is required

For more information: please contact Prof. Michelangelo La Luna at info@derada.com or visit www.derada.com

Option A: EURO 2.300

SECTION I: Saturday July 9

SECTION II: Saturday July 23

Arrival at Fiumicino Airport in Rome w/ a faculty member awaiting students at the exit of the baggage claim. Students take bus or navetta express to the hotel. Orientation and Welcome tour of Rome including: Piazza della Repubblica, Piazza Venezia, il Campidoglio, Via del Corso and the Trevi Fountain.

SECTION I: Sunday July 10

SECTION II: Sunday July 24

Tour of the Coliseum and Roman Forum. Visit of San Pietro in Vincoli and the Moses by Michelangelo.

Free time to explore the city/nap/shop. Tour of Piazza di Spagna and Piazza del Popolo, San Luigi dei Francesi Church (home to paintings by Caravaggio).

Section I: Monday July 11

SECTION II: Monday July 25

Visit of the Vatican: Saint Peter's Basilica, the Vatican Museum, and the Sistine Chapel; and a possible walk by the Castle Santangelo. Free time to explore the city/nap/shop. Tour of Piazza Navona

SECTION I: Tuesday, July 12 & Wednesday July 13

SECTION II: Tuesday July 26 & Wednesday July 27

Visit of Naples and its Royal Palace. Visit of the old city of Pompeii and stop in Salerno

SECTION I: Thursday July 14-Sunday July 16

SECTION II: Thursday July 28-Sunday July 31

Visit of Otranto (hotel next to the beach), Lecce, Santa Cesarea Terme, Galatina, Scorrano (Puglia)

SECTION I: Monday July 18

SECTION II: Monday August 1

Visit of Matera (chosen as the European City of the year for 2019 and protected by UNESCO-World Heritage Centre for its "Sassi," or stone caves), Metaponto's Greek temple (Basilicata) and Altamura (where the best bread of Italy is made)

SECTION I: Tuesday July 19- Saturday July 23

SECTION II: Tuesday August 2- Saturday August 6

Visit of Calabria with Museums, historical Greek-Roman & Medieval towns, churches & excursions to the beach

SECTION I: Sunday July 24

SECTION II: Sunday August 7

Departure from Rome- Fiumicino Airport

Option B: Euro 2.650

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SECTION I: Friday July 15-Sunday July 17

SECTION II: Friday July 29-Sunday August 1

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SECTION II: Monday, August 1

Visit of Matera, Basilicata & Alberobello, Puglia (both cities are protected by UNESCO-World Heritage Centre)

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SECTION II: Tuesday August 2-Friday August 5

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Visit of Frascati, next to Rome

SECTION II: Saturday August 6

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