

# NEW PROGRAM



## Boston University Study Abroad



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### Padua Italian and European Studies Program

The Padua Italian and European Studies program offers a semester of study in the historic and lively university town of Padua (Padova), Italy, located 20 miles west of Venice. Designed for students with no previous background in Italian, the program combines a beginning Italian language course with elective coursework in English in a variety of fields.

All courses are taught by local faculty either at the BU Padua Academic Center or the Università degli Studi di Padova (UNIPD). Excursions within Padua and to neighboring sites complement the curriculum for a truly immersive experience in this artistically and historically rich Italian region. Upon successful completion of a semester, students earn 16 Boston University credits.

#### COURSES

##### Language

All students enroll in the following 4-credit course:

CAS LI 111 First-Semester Italian

Students select three additional courses from the combined course offerings of the BU Padua Academic Center and UNIPD. Each course carries four credits, and is taught in English.

##### Electives at the BU Padua Academic Center

CAS AH 349: Between the Lily and the Lion: Art in Renaissance Padua

CAS HI 263: Modern Italian History

COM FT 315: History of Italian Cinema

SHA HF 323: The Italian Food Industry: Economics, Culture, and Society

##### Electives at the Università degli Studi di Padova

Course offerings in English at UNIPD are available in a wide variety of fields including economics, international relations, political science, psychology, and sociology.

#### HOUSING

Students live in an Italian household and they are provided a single room, continental breakfast, four dinners a week with the host family, a food allowance for other meals not taken with their host family, and local transportation costs.

#### ADMISSIONS

- Open to students with no previous Italian language background
- Refer to our policy on eligibility/admissions at: [www.bu.edu/abroad/admissions](http://www.bu.edu/abroad/admissions)

#### PROGRAM DATES

Fall Semester: late August - late December

Spring Semester: mid-January - late May

#### APPLICATION DEADLINES

Fall Semester: March 15

Spring Semester: October 1

#### 2015/2016 PROGRAM COST

\$31,145 per semester. Cost includes tuition, housing, board, round-trip group airfare from a designated U.S. city, field trips, emergency travel assistance coverage, and overseas medical insurance. Financial aid is available.