

MEDITERRANEAN BASIN TRAVELING SEMINAR



GREECE ITALY • FRANCE



IAU's Mediterranean Basin January Term Traveling Seminar is designed for students interested in an academic and cultural experience in Greece, Italy and France. Students build visual literacy in the history of art and archaeology as well as examine philosophical literature of the Mediterranean Basin from Antiquity to the Middle Ages. The seminar cultivates students' abilities to synthesize cultural, historical, political, and social information as it relates to the visual arts. The experiential learning component consists of a series of site visits made by academic experts from IAU in addition to local guides and faculty in the fields of history, art history, and archaeology.



Students choose one of the following courses:

- Archaeology 385: Greek and Roman Archaeology
- Art History 385: Ancient and Medieval Classical Art and Architecture
- Cross Cultural Studies 385: Cultural Identities in Mediterranean Europe
- History 385: Ancient and Medieval Mediterranean Cultural History
- Religious Studies 385: From Polytheism to Monotheism, The Early Christian Period in Italy, Greece & France

Greece: Athens, Mycenae, Ancient Corinth, Epidaurus, Delphi, Cape Sounion

Italy: Rome, Pompeii, Paestum, Naples France: Aix-en-Provence, Glanum, Arles



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DECEMBER 29, 2020 - JANUARY 15, 2021

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	Dec. 28	Dec. 29	Dec. 30	Dec. 31	Jan. 1	Jan. 2
	Depart for Athens	Arrival in Athens Orientation Welcome Dinner	Athens Visit National Archaeology Museum Site Visit to Daphni Monastery	Athens • Day Trip to Ancient Corinth, Mycenae & Epidaurus • NYE Dinner	Athens • Free Day	Athens Day Trip to Delphi & Hosios Loukas Monastery Group Lunch
Jan. 3	Jan. 4	Jan. 5	Jan. 6	Jan. 7	Jan. 8	Jan. 9
Athens / Amalfi Coast Site Visit to Acropolis Visit to Cape Sounion Flight to Naples	Amalfi Coast • Visit Archaeology Museum of Naples • Walking Tour of Naples	Amalfi Coast Site Visit to Paestum Group Lunch	Amalfi Coast / Rome • Site Visit to Pompeii • Road to Rome	Rome • Free Day	Rome Site Visits to Colosseum & Roman Forum Walking Tour of Rome	Rome Site Visits to Baths of Caracalla, Catacombs of St. Sebastian, Via Appia & Santa Costanza Church Group Lunch
Jan. 10	Jan. 11	Jan. 12	Jan. 13	Jan. 14	Jan. 15	
Rome Optional Tours in Rome	Rome • Site Visits to Vatican Museums & St. Peter's Basilica	Rome / Aix-en-Provence • Flight to Marseille	Aix-en-Provence Site Visit to Glanum Van Gogh Hospital Walking Tour of Arles	Aix-en-Provence Optional Tour of Aix Farewell Dinner	Depart based on individual schedules	