

Study Abroad in Italy

Customize your MBA experience by joining a course in Italy! A single course in Italy can be completed in 4 days, spread throughout a pre-determined two week period. Eat, live, and breathe Italy as you take a course in our satellite campus located at the foothills of the Italian Alps.

Course Structure

All classes are taught in English by a professor affiliated with the University of Iowa. All classes are 4 days long from 9-6 PM each day, with several breaks and lunch. Professors may assign pre-work prior to the start of class. Depending on the course, you can expect to have course readings, individual assignments, group projects, presentations, quizzes, and class discussions. About 10 days after final class date, you are expected to take your final exam online in the U.S.

Program Costs

The total cost is \$2,400 for a single course in Italy. This includes tuition fee, lodging, meals, health insurance, textbook, and other class materials. This does **not** include your flight to Italy, which typically range between \$600-\$1,200 round trip, or transportation to campus. You will be billed through MyUI and receive a cost sheet breakdown prior to your attendance.

Lodging and Meals

Our campus is located at the base of the Italian Alps in a small town called Paderno del Grappa. You will stay in an ensuite single room in our residence hall on campus. Lodging and meals will be covered for the full length of the course. Breakfast, lunch, and dinner will be provided in our dining hall. We are able to accommodate dietary needs with advanced notice.

Exploring Italy

In between class days, you may have some time to explore surrounding areas. Don't make any travel plans until you get to campus and have a better idea of your class assignments. When traveling, we recommend sticking close to campus. Some great cities for one-day or weekend trips include Venice, Verona, Milan, Bassano del Grappa, Possagno, and Vicenza. You can also stay local and hike up Mt. Grappa, sip some Prosecco, and eat true Italian pizza!

Upcoming Courses

Here is a list of upcoming courses for the 2023 academic year. We recommend starting your application at least 1-2 months prior to the start of class. Please note that CIMBA courses are considered toward enrollment caps. Additionally, no other courses may be taken during the session that travel is scheduled. Fall class dates will be finalized in June.

- **MGMT:9120 | Leadership & Personal Development** - January 14, 15, 21, 22
- **MBA:8240 | Operations & Supply Chain** - January 24, 25, 28, 29
- **ENTR:9100 | Entrepreneurship & Innovation** - February 3, 4, 7, 8
- **MBA:8180 | Managerial Finance** - February 11, 12, 18, 19
- **MBA:8110 | Marketing Management** - March 13, 14, 17, 18
- **MKTG:9340 | Customer Analysis** - March 22, 23, 28, 29
- **FIN:9300 | Corporate Investment & Finance Decisions** - March 25, 26, April 1, 2
- **MBA:8160 | Managerial Economics** - April 22, 23, 29, 30
- **MBA:8140 | Corporate Financial Reporting** - October TBD
- **ACCT:9020 | Strategic Cost Analysis** - October TBD
- **BAIS:9120 | Managing the Supply Chain** - November TBD
- **MBA:8120 | Management in Organizations** - December TBD

How to Apply

Contact your academic advisor and the CIMBA Italy office about the course you want to take. You will need to submit a CIMBA application online on the [Tippie Application Portal](#). There is no application fee for current University of Iowa students. You can waive your application essay by chatting with a CIMBA program coordinator. Once your application is submitted and accepted, we will work with you to prepare for your trip to Italy. Flights should **not** be booked prior to acceptance into the program.

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