



# INTERIOR DESIGN

## SEMESTER ABROAD

### OVERVIEW

The Interior Design semester abroad gives students the opportunity to study Italian design in one of the world's centers of creativity. The succinct but comprehensive coverage of the multitude of technical issues confronting today's interior designers is coupled with examples of design from around the world, focusing on typically Italian and European interior design.

The main focus of the semester abroad option is to provide students with a specialized dimension in the field and an increased understanding of Italian design through investigations in history, theory, analysis and methods. The location of the program is essential in illustrating the relevance of Italy in forming the foundations of modern thought and concepts. Interior design courses cover all aspects interiors such as lighting, materials, colors and space planning. All courses are taught in English.

### COURSE OPTIONS

The tuition fee covers registration in up to 19 credits per semester.

INTERIOR DESIGN STUDIO- 6 CREDITS  
HISTORY OF ITALIAN INTERIOR DESIGN- 3 CREDITS  
ITALIAN RENAISSANCE ART HISTORY- 3 CREDITS  
HISTORY OF MODERN ITALIAN DESIGN- 3 CREDITS  
DIGITAL PHOTOGRAPHY- 3 CREDITS  
ADVANCED DIGITAL PHOTOGRAPHY- 3 CREDITS  
ANALYTICAL DRAWING- 3 CREDITS

LIGHTING DESIGN- 3 CREDITS  
FURNITURE DESIGN- 3 CREDITS  
COMPUTER AIDED DESIGN/ AUTOCAD- 3 CREDITS  
3D COMPUTER MODELING/ SKETCHUP & VRAY- 3 CREDITS  
3D COMPUTER MODELING/ RHINOCEROS- 3 CREDITS  
3D COMPUTER RENDERING/ 3D MAX W/ VRAY- 3 CREDITS  
ITALIAN LANGUAGE- 1 CREDIT

### APPLICATION

Students must be at least 18 years of age to apply for the semester abroad program. Applicants must also have completed their 2nd year of a design program. In order to transfer credit from the Florence Institute, study abroad students must obtain approval from their home institution. All courses must be completed with a grade of "C" or better for the credits to transfer.

To apply please send the Florence Institute the following via email:

1. Your FIDI application (see our website for the Semester Application in MS Word/PDF)
2. A scan of your passport (main photo page only)
3. Your academic transcripts
4. The course approval form

SEMESTER: 15 weeks

START: January or September

COST: 4450 €

