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Studio Art, Art Education, & Art History Recommended Programs

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<p><u>Lorenzo de Medici</u></p> <p>https://go.illinois.edu/LdM</p> <p>Contact: faa-abroad@illinois.edu</p>	<p>Florence, Italy (<i>campus building is downtown</i>)</p> <p>Approved for spring semester of Junior year or Summer semester after Sophomore or Junior year.</p>	<p>GRA 262F and GRA 215F can be taken to transfer back as UIUC's ARTD 444 and ARTD 418 respectively, keeping students on track with GD requirements. Other courses as offered.</p> <p><i>Other Courses:</i> ARTD 451, ARTS 264, ARTH 200-level electives, ARTS 210, and other studio, and design courses. Class names such as Art in Florence, Palaces of Florence, Intro to Fashion Industry, GD Project Development, Intro Digital Photography, Interdisciplinary Design, Ceramics I, Images and Words, Art in 14th Florence, Fashion Marketing.</p> <p>ITAL courses are for elective only (1 is required except summer), will not count toward a minor/language requirement.</p> <p>Many Gen Ed options.</p>	<p>LdM is a private institution of higher education that caters to American study abroad students. Florence is the ideal choice for those interested in studying the humanities, creative arts, design and of course Italian language and culture.</p> <p>LdM offers an excellent academic and social experience. Students experience firsthand the inspiring culture of both historic and contemporary Italy, as LdM integrates formal, university-level learning with an emphasis on personal growth and community responsibility.</p> <p>Housing options: Single or Double room apartment; homestay with local Italian family</p>

[IAU-College Aix-en-Provence, France](#)

Contact: las-studyabroad@illinois.edu

Aix-en-Provence, France (*Located in South France, near the coast and Marseille*)
Summer, Semester, or Academic Year
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-One French course required
-[Course options](#) in Intermediate and Advanced Drawing, Intermediate and Advanced Painting
-ARTH 200-level electives
-General Education courses

Study the Mediterranean Core Art Program (courses in Drawing, Painting, a Mediterranean Seminar, Art History, Language/Culture with visits to museums in Spain, day trips, a painting excursion, and French Riviera site trips).

Or
Study the Marchutz Core Art Program (an interdisciplinary & holistic approach to studio arts with liberal arts coursework, aesthetic seminars, critical dialogue, spontaneous painting and drawing, extensive museum studies, and painting field studies with many sites visits to Spain and the French Riviera).

Aix-en-Provence is a university town with a large student population but with a small town feel (population: 145,000). The campus is nestled in the charming, chic city and former medieval village of Aix-en-Provence, or "Aix," as the locals call it.

The Institute for American Universities (IAU) in Aix-en-Provence, France was founded in 1957 and offers one of the longest-running education abroad programs in Europe. The facilities have been completely renovated with modern amenities to suit the needs of the 21st century college student.

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Live in a French homestay.

[National University of Singapore](#)

Contact: ipeng@illinois.edu

Singapore (*NUS is 10 minutes from downtown by taxi or 1 hour by bus*)
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Summer, Semester, or Academic Year

[NUS Course List](#)
ARTD 302, 326, 328, ARTH, Gen Eds.

Discuss with your academic advisor how this program fits in with your plan of study. Limited or no ARTS courses may be available.

NUS is located on a beautifully landscaped hillside campus just outside of Singapore's thriving central business district. NUS is an elite university (top 20 in world) with a strong reputation in a number of academic disciplines. From Chinatown and Arab Street to Little India, students will find a bit of everything. Singapore's diverse population provides students with a wide range of cultural experiences.

[Lucerne University of Applied Science and Arts](#)

Contact: faa-abroad@illinois.edu

Lucerne, Switzerland (45 minutes outside of Zurich.)
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Spring/Academic Year

Design Management curriculum is in English (these would likely be ARTD electives): Sustainability in Design, Circular economy, Product innovation, Design planning, Innovation management, design history
Pre-semester German course

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While the population of [Lucerne](#) is only just over 80,000 residents, this charming, German-speaking city is the largest in central Switzerland and is the center for economics, transportation, culture, and media in this region. Students on this program will benefit from HSLU's small class sizes and unique course offerings in the Design Management International program.



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Lucerne University of Applied Science and Arts Contact: faa-abroad@illinois.edu	Lucerne, Switzerland (45 minutes outside of Zurich.) \$ Spring/Academic Year	Design Management curriculum is in English- Sustainability in Design, Circular economy, Product innovation, Design planning, Innovation management, design history Pre-semester German course	A charming, German-speaking city and is the center for economics, transportation, culture, and media in this region. Students on this program will benefit from HSLU's small class sizes and unique course offerings in the Design Management International program.
Shibaura Institute of Technology Contact: faa-abroad@illinois.edu	Tokyo, Japan \$ Spring/Academic Year/Summer	Environmentally Sustainable Analysis, Exercises in Inventive and Creative Design, Practice on CAD/CAM, Environmentally Sustainable Engineering, Practice on Design Project, Architectural Design Studio, Studio: Environmental Land Use Planning	Hands on-learning with over 100 English-based courses and a wide range of study options including ID, Urban Planning and Design, Arch, and Engineering. Tokyo, Japan is a busy capital city with 9.3 million residents, but SIT has only 9,000 students and the Dep't of Engineering & Design has a building on the Shibaura campus.
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DIS Copenhagen Summer Only for ID Contact: faa-abroad@illinois.edu	Copenhagen, Denmark &/or Stockholm, Sweden \$\$\$ Summer	DIS Course Finder -ARTS, ARTH, & ARTD electives -Furniture Design Studio, Furniture Design Seminar, Interior Architecture Studio, Urban Design Studio, Visual Journal, Innovation through Design Thinking, Graphic Design Studio, The Meaning of Style.	A non-profit study abroad foundation based in Copenhagen which provides study abroad experiences to college students (mostly American). The program includes a tour to another country and excursions around Copenhagen. A large on-site staff is available to support you.
Lorenzo de Medici Summer Only for ID Contact: faa-abroad@illinois.edu	Florence, Italy (campus building is downtown) \$\$ Summer	-ARTD, ARTH, ARTS Electives -Jewelry Making, Fashion Illustration, Visual Merchandising, Dig Sketchbook, Florence Sketchbook, Sustainable Materials, Visual Comm, Archaeology Workshop, Art History, Painting, Ceramics, Photography, Restoration Workshop. -Gen Ed's	LdM is a private institution of higher education & Florence is the ideal choice for those interested in studying the humanities, creative arts, design and of course Italian language and culture.