KEY FACTS

12 months

duration

300 hours

courses taught in English

240 hours

Italian language classes (from A1 to B2)

40 students

maximum number of accepted applicants

45

countries represented

21 y/o

average age

INFORMATION

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International Programme in Humanities

8th edition | Academic Year 2022-2023



International Programme in Humanities

The International Programme in Humanities is the first year, taught in English, of any of the following three-year Bachelors of Arts degrees of the University of Pisa:

- Cultural Heritage Studies;
- Studies in Performing Arts and Communication;
- Philosophy;
- History;
- European Languages and Literatures*.

It is designed for international students wishing to begin to earn the first credits of their degree (60 credits, year 1) in English while learning Italian and experiencing Italian Culture in Pisa.

Therefore, next the courses taught in English, IPH includes classes of Italian language, whereby students gain linguistic skills enabling them to continue years 2 and 3 of their BA programmes in Italian.

IPH aims to provide a sound, multidisciplinary background in the Humanities. Our goal is to address the major challenges of life in the contemporary world by developing academic and professional expertise, critical thinking, as well as organisational skills required by the job market.

*students choose any two of the following: Portuguese, Spanish, French, English, German, Polish, Russian, Rumanian.



OVERVIEW

Features

Classes in English, field trips, Italian language laboratories, assistance by a Students Tutor.

Admission Requirements

High School Diploma (12 years of schooling required), good knowledge of English (minimum B2), strong motivation.

Tuition fees

IPH fees: € 3,000

University tuition fees: vary between € 356 (for family yearly incomes below € 23,500) and € 2,452 depending on the country of origin.

Scholarship

Several scholarships that cover University tuition fees may be available.

Check our website for more information.

Deadlines

Non-EU students: June 15th 2022 EU students: June 30th 2022

Structure

12 months - 2 terms

First Term: September 2022-January 2023 Second Term: February 2023-July 2023

60 ECTS credits/year

- 48 credits from courses taught in English (24 each term);
- 12 credits from Italian language classes.



Courses

- Classical Civilisations
- Classical Archeology
- Medieval Art
- Renaissance in Italy
- Modern and Contemporary
- Introduction to Philosophy
- Aesthetics
- Medieval History
- Modern History

- Italian Literature
- Italian Cinema
- Archaeological Methodologies and Theory
- General Linguistics
- European Languages and Literatures (English, French, German, Polish, Portuguese, Spanish, Rumanian, Russian).

Educational Trips

During the IPH students will join educational trips to some of the most representative cultural and artistic heritage sites in Italy (Rome, Florence, Turin, etc.).

Italian Language

Students will experience a full immersion into Italian language and culture, which will allow them to attend the second and third year of their degrees in Italian.

Passionate about Humanities!

The Programme consists of expressly dedicated lectures held by highly qualified academics. You will benefit from small group teaching and interdisciplinary study based on a critical approach, which will provide you with knowledge and skills as a solid foundation for future studies.