Art History in Rome

The Art History in Rome course is an intensive five-week summer program led by local scholars and faculty from the Rutgers Art History Department. It studies art and architecture in Rome from antiquity to the late Baroque period. All our classes will be held on-site, in front of the objects and monuments, which include some of the most famous in the history of western civilization such as the Coliseum, Pantheon, the basilica of Santa Maria Maggiore and St. Peter’s, the Sistine Chapel, the Piazza Navona, and the Trevi Fountain. There will be a strong emphasis on individual artists including Michelangelo, Raphael, Caravaggio, Bernini, and Borromini as well as on the changing role of art in the Roman Empire, Middle Ages, and the Rome of the Popes. Class discussion thus will focus on visual analysis and the contextualization of art in the larger history of the city. There will be multiple day-long field trips to Assisi, Tivoli, and Niki de Saint Phalle’s Tarot Garden.

Estimated Dates:
5/27/2013 - 6/30/2013

Credits: 6
Housing: Apartments
Application Deadline: 3/1/2013
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