Italy: Sarah Lawrence College in Florence

Participants in this program take a core seminar that focuses on the history of the city of Florence in addition to regular university courses in disciplines including music, Renaissance literature, and art history. All students enroll in Italian language courses at the appropriate level that begin with an intensive introduction before the university semester begins.

Qualifications:

**Term duration:** Year

**Typical course load:** 15 credits/ term for 2 semesters, 30 total credits

**Courses recorded in:** Semester credits

**Translates to Reed units:** 4 semester credits=1 Reed unit

**Grading system:** A+, A, A-, B+, B, B-, C+, C, C-, D+, D, D-
Failed courses are not transcripted.

**Translates to Reed grades**: D+, D, D- = D at Reed, others the same

*Grades from study abroad programs are displayed on the transcript, but are not calculated in the Reed GPA

**Special considerations:**

Coursework is reported on a Sarah Lawrence College transcript.

This program recently switched from a trimester system to a semester system (2005/06).

*Typical schedule per semester:*
Italian Language (5+5=10)
Art History (5+5=10)
Studio Art (5+5=10)

Other coursework is available.