Understanding the science behind creating visual effects in paintings

Captivated by fine art? If so, this program is sure to further mesmerize as you delve into understanding how chemistry is a part of the complex process of creating works of art.

By studying European art in London and Paris through visits to science museums, art museums, and other attractions, you will analyze light, color, pigments, fibers, metals, and stones from both a scientific and an artistic point of view to learn how artists have used different materials and techniques to achieve various visual effects.

Program Highlights:

• Understand how chemistry underlies the creation of fine art by learning the basic concepts of chemistry and scientific methods, as well as the artistic discipline, focusing on the styles, subject matters, techniques, and materials used by European artists

• Visit museums of fine art and of science found throughout the famous cities of London and Paris

For more information and to apply, please visit: www.marist.edu/international/shortprog.html
Academics

This course includes pre-departure and in-country academic work. Students can expect to:

• Attend classroom lectures
• Participate in classroom activities
• Undergo assessment in a mid-term and final examination

Students are required to participate in all orientation and academic activities, both at Marist and while overseas.

A background in science, mathematics, art, or art history is not required.

Course Requirements

Students must enroll in one of the following 3 credit courses:

• ART 1XX Chemistry of Fine Art
• CHEM 1XX Chemistry of Fine Art

Please Note: Faculty-led programs may fulfill elective, core, major, and minor requirements based on your major. Consult your Academic Advisor.

Program Enrollment Requirements

• Minimum 2.0 GPA
• Interested students must meet with a Program Director to discuss program details and receive permission to enroll
• Applicants must have a sincere desire to learn about other cultures, be able to tolerate ambiguity and adjust to different environments, be respectful of local norms and customs, and maintain an open mind

Housing

Students will stay in budget hotels or Marist apartments while in Paris (double or triple occupancy).

Meals

All meals are the student’s responsibility with the following exceptions: welcome and farewell dinners are included in the program fee; breakfast is included while in London only. For further clarification, please speak with the Program Director.

Program Fee: $4,100

Program Inclusions

• 3-credit tuition
• Roundtrip air
• On-site airport transfer
• On-site program transportation
• Accommodation (double/triple occupancy)
• Welcome and farewell dinners
• Breakfast only while in London
• Entrance fees for program excursions
• Health insurance
• Travel insurance (limitations apply)

Program Exclusions

• All meals other than the welcome and farewell dinners and breakfast while in London only (see Meals)
• Personal expenses
• Passport
• Visa (if required)
• Arrival/Departure Tax (if required)
• US airport transfer
• Gratuities

Financials

The program fee will be included in the Spring Semester invoice and payment is due by early January. If the course is added during the spring add/drop period, the course/program fees must be paid in full at time of enrollment.

A Spring Attachment course can be taken as part of your spring semester course load (12-16 credits). Additional charges apply over 16 credits.

TuitionPay offers a spring-only monthly payment plan option. Payments may be spread over four months, and can be set up in November with the first payment due in December.

Call 1.800.635.0120 or visit www.tuitionpay.com for information.

Alternative loans information: www.marist.edu/financialaid

For Additional Information:

Academics
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Program Notes

» Program fees may change due to currency exchange fluctuations, and/or other unanticipated cost changes.
» Program fees are based on a minimum number of program participants.
» The MIP Short Term Program Coordinator will provide prospective participants with the program Refund Policy. Do not submit your application until you have reviewed the Refund Policy. Application submission indicates acceptance of the Refund Policy.
» All fees will be refunded if the program is cancelled.
» Graduating Seniors: Please note that students participating in a Spring Attachment course will be able to participate in the May Commencement Ceremony. The actual graduation date upon which your degree is conferred will be August 31, as your Spring Attachment coursework will not be completed until after the May 31 conferral date. Your diploma will be mailed to you in early September.
» MIP reserves the right to modify or cancel the program, including changes to the itinerary, scheduled visits, program dates, costs, etc.

Application Deadline: November 13, 2015