St. John’s innovative Western Europe Semester program (WES) offers a three-country program thematically engaged with contemporary issues of migration. Designed as a core-focused, modular opportunity with 5-week academic experiences in Rome, Paris, and Limerick, the Western Europe Semester program asks students to consider the countries that comprise the program through the common lens of migration. Imagine living in three major European cities over the course of a single semester!

**THE PROGRAM**

Our Rome campus is your base while exploring Italy. Located in the Prati district, just minutes from Vatican City, campus amenities include three kitchens, Wi-Fi, air-conditioning, a computer lab, and a beautiful courtyard.

Located in the 6th arrondissement, just steps from many of the city’s cultural and historic attractions, the amenities in this home away from home include a cafeteria, Wi-Fi, air-conditioning, and communal study and lounge areas.

Limerick students will reside a short 20-minute walk from campus in the Pery’s Hotel, located in the historic Georgian neighborhood of Limerick City. Students will have access to our partner institution Mary Immaculate College’s entire campus, complete with sculpture trails, state-of-the-art auditoriums, and an active international student population.

Photographs were taken by program participants.
MEALS

**Rome**
Students receive meal vouchers each week—that they can use in restaurants and grocery stores all over the city—which cover breakfast and lunch or dinner four days a week.

**Paris**
Students receive breakfast and dinner in the St. John’s Paris dining hall Monday through Thursday.

**Limerick**
Students receive breakfast four days per week at the Pery’s Hotel and lunch four days per week in the Mary Immaculate College campus restaurant.

ACADEMIC SERVICE-LEARNING
Helping to change lives is an inspiring experience—one that sets studying abroad with St. John’s apart. In the past year, our students committed thousands of hours to service sites worldwide. You can make a real difference through activities like teaching English to local students, serving in soup kitchens, and sorting clothing donations. Best of all, volunteering lets you actively engage with the communities in your new host cities.

EXCURSIONS

**Rome**
Students have the option of participating in weekly activities within Rome, such as a Papal Audience and a visit to the Villa d’Este gardens. If you are interested in mastering Italian, be sure to participate in a language exchange with local students.

**Paris**
Students can participate in weekly excursions within Paris, such as a tour of Le Marais or the Père Lachaise Cemetery. Want to meet Parisian students? Be sure to attend the mixers arranged with area schools. Practice your French while making new friends!

**Limerick**
Students will get to know Limerick and Ireland with a visit to the Cliffs of Moher and an Irish dance class. In addition, Limerick is also known as the rugby capital of Ireland and your five weeks would not be complete without a trip to see one of the most famous rugby clubs and stadiums in the world, Munster, and their home field, Thomond Park.

COURSES

**Rome**
- ART 1795A/ITA 3923: The City of Rome
- IB 3341: International Business
- ITA 1010C: Italian Level I
- PHI 3000C: Metaphysics
- THE 3305: Moral Theology of the Marketplace

**Paris**
- ART 1775A: Art and Architecture in France
- FRE 1010C: French Level I
- PHI 3000C: Metaphysics
- THE 2810: Religions of the World

**Limerick**
- ART 1095C: Monuments of World Architecture
- ECO 1350: Impact of Migration in Europe’s Economy
- PHI 2200C: Ethics
- THE 2400: Christian Spirituality and Mysticism

Also included in the program
- comprehensive health insurance
- 24/7 emergency on-call support
- bilingual on-site staff assistance
- 24-hour security

CONTACT US
As you consider studying abroad with St. John’s, we welcome your questions and comments.

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