GLOBAL PASSPORT PROGRAM
2014–2015
Application Included
ST. JOHN’S UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAM

In our increasingly globalized world, the ability to connect across cultures is an invaluable asset. With this goal in mind, St. John’s developed the Global Passport Program, which gives students the opportunity to combine one of their core requirements with a global experience. During their first year with the University, students spend seven days in Rome or Paris, where they learn, live, and potentially serve abroad.

The program is open to all freshmen and transfer students taking core classes. To reserve your spot in the program, please review the included application or visit stjohns.edu/passport for student testimonials and additional information.

WHY JOIN?

- Live and learn in Rome, Italy, or Paris, France
- Fulfill a core requirement
- Whet your global and cultural appetite
- Travel in January or May without interfering with the semester
- Take advantage of an affordable $500 program fee
GLOBAL PASSPORT APPLICATION

Please note that students may participate in only one Global Passport section.

Name: ____________________________________________

Address: _________________________________________ 
(Number and Street)  (Apt. #)

City: ____________________________________________ State: __________ Zip: __________

Tel (Home): _______ – _______ – _______ Tel (Cell): _______ – _______ – _______

E-mail: __________________________________________

Do you have a passport? □ Yes □ No  Expiration date: _______ / _______ / _______

If “yes” please provide your passport number: __________________________________________

Country of Passport Issuance*: ______________________________________________________

Date of Birth:** _______ / _______ / _______

*Non-US citizens may have to meet specific entry requirements in order to study in the European Union. We encourage non-US passport holders to begin exploring entry and visa requirements now to ensure successful participation. All US citizens must have a passport by the time of travel.

**Students must be 18 years of age or older by the departure date for their time abroad.

PROGRAM OPTIONS (Select one):

Please note: Course choice is not guaranteed. Students will be placed in a Passport course based on their academic needs if their first choice is unavailable.

FALL 2014 Options (Application Deadline: August 11, 2014)

☐ ROME (January 5–12, 2015*)
  □ Italian level I (ITA 1010C, Queens Campus)
  □ English Composition (ENG 1000C, Queens Campus) *NEW!*

☐ PARIS (January 5–12, 2015*)
  □ English Composition (ENG 1000C, Queens Campus)
  □ Intensive French I and II (FRE1000C, Queens Campus)

SPRING 2015 Options (Application Deadline: October 1, 2014)

☐ ROME (May 15–22, 2015*)
  □ Discover New York (DNY1000C, Queens Campus)
  □ English Composition (ENG 1000C, Queens Campus)
  □ History: Emergence of a Global Society (HIS 1000C, Staten Island Campus)

*Most class sessions take place in New York during the academic semester. At the end of the term, the class travels to Italy or France for seven days as part of an integrated study abroad experience. These dates indicate arrival and departure dates to/from Italy or France. Students would depart from the US one day in advance.

Reminder: This application must be submitted with a $250 nonrefundable deposit by the appropriate deadline. Please make the check payable to “St. John’s University.”
The Passport Program consists of one three-credit core course (descriptions below) and a one-credit mini session in Rome or Paris, a total of four credits.

Course Descriptions

Discover New York: Students gain a comparative perspective on two of the world’s greatest cities—New York and Rome—and come to a greater understanding of themes such as urban planning, art and culture, and wealth and poverty, which all cities must engage and address.

English Composition: Students explore different forms of journal writing, personal narrative, and research writing while exploring one of the world’s most inspirational cities, either Rome or Paris.

History – Emergence of a Global Society: Students will engage the history of Rome in four topical areas: classical Rome, Catholic Rome, Rome as the Italian capital after 1871, and contemporary Rome since 1948. Through guided tours of some of the city’s renowned landmarks, such as the Coliseum and the Vatican, students come to “see” the vibrant presence of history in the modern city.

Intensive French: Using the “City of Light” as their classroom, students reflect on what makes Paris one of the world’s true “global cities” —a place that has long inspired artists, intellectuals, and business leaders alike—while immersing themselves in France’s storied language and culture.

Italian Level I: By exploring the city’s monuments, its post-New Year’s festivals, and its links to Christendom, students gain a living, breathing experience of Rome as a global city and as the cradle of the Italian language.

Important Information

Though space in the program is limited, please be aware that the program will only run if target enrollment is reached. Program fee is $500 (airfare not included).

Refund Deadlines:*
January 2015 Program – September 3, 2014

*The $250 deposit that accompanies this application is nonrefundable and will be applied toward the $500 program fee.

Certification and Signature

I certify that all the information supplied on this application is original and true. Further, I agree to attend the Passport program if admitted and to meet all deadlines and requirements for the program.

____________________________________  _________________________________________
Student’s Printed Name     Printed Name of Parent/Guardian (if under 18)**

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Student’s Signature     Signature of Parent/Guardian (if under 18)**

**Students must be 18 years of age or older by the departure date.

Please return this application, along with a nonrefundable deposit of $250 made payable to “St. John’s University.”

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