ABOUT THE B.A. IN ITALIAN
The Bachelor of Arts program in Italian at St. John’s University offers a broad selection of courses, small class sizes, and engaged faculty who are experts in their fields. We also have a wide range of study abroad and global internship opportunities to help you connect fully with the language and culture of Italy. Our campus in Rome, Italy, offers the unique opportunity to gain international experience and immersion while still having a home base at St. John’s.

In order to help you prepare for a global career, we offer interdisciplinary double majors including International Business, Business Administration, International Communication, and Hospitality Management, as well as a combined B.A./M.B.A. in Italian and Business Administration that would allow you to complete both degrees in five years, saving one year of tuition.

WHAT CAN I DO WITH A B.A. IN ITALIAN?
Students who major in Italian often combine their study with other fields to prepare themselves for global careers. Popular career paths for students who major in Italian include:

- International banking
- Foreign affairs
- Teaching
- Journalism
- Hospitality management
- Airlines
- International law
- Import/export
- International insurance
- Foreign service
- Public relations
- Fashion
- Government
- Sports management
- Healthcare
- Interpretation and translation
MESSAGE FROM THE DIRECTOR

Benvenuti al programma d’italiano! We enthusiastically welcome students who wish to join our program! The Italian B.A. engages students in building their communication skills in the language and their creative and critical thinking in the literature and culture of one of the world’s greatest civilizations. Successful students continue their global focus, while deepening their knowledge of the language and culture of the fourth-largest ethnic group in the US as they study abroad at our Rome campus and engage in international internships and service learning opportunities. Many of our students have been inspired to embark on higher education degrees in Italian studies. Recent graduates have gone into careers such as teaching, translating, and business. We encourage you to join us!

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RESEARCH AND PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Students at St. John’s benefit from a dazzling array of study abroad opportunities. As an Italian major, you will have the unique advantage of access to St. John’s beautiful campus right in the heart of Rome, Italy, where you can attend class during a regular semester or summer session. From there, you can travel to Florence and the Tuscan countryside, Assisi, Pompeii, Naples, and Paestum. For more information about study abroad, please visit stjohns.edu/global.

Internships are also available in Rome in such diverse settings as art galleries, businesses, government offices, and hospitals, allowing you to strengthen your knowledge of Italian while gaining practical knowledge in your chosen career.

St. John’s offers students in the B.A. Italian program the opportunity to apply for the combined B.A./M.B.A. in Italian and Business Administration during the second semester of the sophomore year. The program allows you to complete both degrees in five years, saving one year of tuition.

SCHOLARSHIPS AND FINANCIAL AID

St. John’s University strives to place an outstanding higher education within the financial reach of all qualified applicants. Each academic year, the Office of Student Financial Services awards more than $500 million in aid to students who demonstrate financial need. The Office of Undergraduate Admission also awards highly competitive academic scholarships.

For more information about scholarships and financial aid, please visit stjohns.edu/services/financial.

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