

Portland Community College
Florence 2012 Study Abroad Program
September 20th – December 8th , 2012

PCC's Florence Study Abroad Program offers an opportunity for students to earn transferable college credit during their studies in Florence during fall term. PCC collaborates with the seven other community colleges of the Oregon International Education Consortium (OIEC) and in association with the American Institute for Foreign Studies (AIFS) to administer the program. Up to 30 students and two OIEC faculty members participate in this program every fall term. If you have additional questions about the program, please contact (971) 722-7152 or visit www.pcc.edu/studyabroad for information.

Estimated Costs of Program

1. Application Fee/ Enrollment deposit	\$ 450
2. Program Balance of Fees (see below for a list of what is included)	\$7445
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Student housing in apartments Includes agency fees, cleaning, utilities, maintenance etc. • AIFS apartment damage deposit (mandatory/refundable) • Provision of Student Centre (physical facilities) Includes message, mail, fax and telephone services, offices for staff. • Provision of e-mail/ internet facilities • Provision of student services Salaries, running cost, counseling services, information, advisory and travel services. • Faculty/academic support services Faculty information, assistance, planning, ILC course and related visits and Italian language. • Cultural calendar • Insurances Medical, fee refund and liability. • Student Orientation Programme Orientation meeting & literature, welcome reception and half-day guided sightseeing tour. • Pre-departure information/orientation services Includes brochures, 800 number facility in US. • Direct AIFS Program Administration Services Florence office, SVP support, campus visits by local program staff. • Contribution to AIFS overhead costs 	
Total	\$7895

Please see reverse side for additional expenses

Additional Mandatory Fees

PCC tuition (minimum of 12 credits @ \$79 per credit); course fees extra	\$1212
Books & Supplies	\$ 300
Personal expenses (transportation, meals & personal spending @ \$200 per week) Total of 11 weeks-*approximation and dependent upon individual*	\$ 2200
Total	\$ 3712

Optional Purchases

Airfare	\$ 895
*Airfare fuel surcharge (subject to change)	\$ 647
25 meal vouchers	\$ 495
Personal effects coverage	\$ 90
Medical insurance upgrade	\$ 65
Total	\$2202
TOTAL Program Expenses to Budget for:	\$13,799

Payment Deadlines

May 25th, 2012 – PCC Deadline to submit application and enrollment fee of \$450 (\$50 non-refundable) to Office of International Education.

***Financial Aid Students:**

August 1st, 2012- \$850 program reservation deposit, optional trip fees (airfare, fuel charges, insurance upgrades) PLUS any remaining balance not covered by financial aid is due. PCC tuition and any program fee balance covered by financial aid is due upon dispersal of financial aid in September.

***IMPORTANT!** All program deposits and fee payments due prior to the fall term financial aid disbursement period are the responsibility of the student. **PLAN ACCORDINGLY!**

August 1st, 2012- \$495 optional meal voucher due

***Non-Financial Aid Students:**

August 1st, 2012- \$7445 balance of fees, \$250 damage deposit for apartment, and any optional purchases due.

Please write checks/money orders out to AIFS

After August 1st – No refunds, and student is responsible for all or remaining program fee.