



INSTITUTE FOR
AMERICAN
UNIVERSITIES
AIX-EN-PROVENCE AND AVIGNON, FRANCE

Academic Year and Semester Programs

		The Aix Center	Le Centre d'Avignon	The Marchutz School of Art
Location	City	<i>Aix-en-Provence</i>	<i>Avignon</i>	<i>Aix-en-Provence</i>
	Center Description	Renovated 16 th -century church, <i>La Chapelle des Pénitents Bleus</i> .	Updated 13 th -century <i>Chapelle St. Antoine</i> in the heart of Avignon, near the Papal Palace.	Situated on the famed "Route de Cézanne", the Marchutz School of Art, designed by architect Ferdinand Pouillon, offers 24hr access to a light filled studio in a Provençal setting.
Program Dates (Note: Arrival/Departure dates are different)	Fall 2008	September 8 - December 19	September 8 - December 19	September 8 - December 19
	Spring 2009	January 26 - May 15	January 12 - April 29	January 26 - May 15
	Summer 2009	June 15 - July 24	Summer Intensive I: May 19 - June 12 Summer Session II: June 22 - July 30	June 15 - July 24
Curriculum	Curriculum Overview	European Studies curriculum -Introductory to Advanced French language and literature courses conducted in French with Humanities and Social Sciences courses conducted in English . For course descriptions, see www.iaufrance.org/Aix/programs.aspx	Advanced University coursework in a variety of disciplines (Philosophy, Economics, Political Science, History, Literature, Cinema, Linguistics, Translation and Stylistics, Literatures) conducted in French in an all French center. For course descriptions, see www.iaufrance.org/Avignon/programs.aspx	Beginning to Advanced Painting and Drawing coursework combined with intensive art criticism seminar & museum study. Interdisciplinary, holistic curricular design complemented by French language and Art History courses. Courses are conducted in English . For course descriptions, see: www.iaufrance.org/Marchutz/programs.aspx
	Local French University Study Option	✓	✓	✓
	Independent Study Option	✓	✓	✓
	Internships		✓	
Faculty	Faculty/Staff Qualifications	Faculty at the Aix Center hold advanced French and/or American degrees. Paul Schwartz, Director of the Aix Center and Academic Dean holds a PhD in French from Yale University.	Faculty at <i>Le Centre d'Avignon</i> hold advanced French and/or American degrees. Sylvie Rockmore, <i>Directrice du Centre d'Avignon</i> holds a PhD in Comparative Literature from Vanderbilt University.	Faculty of the Marchutz School of Art hold advanced American degrees. Alan Roberts, Director of the Marchutz School of Art, holds an MFA from Vermont College.
	Class Size	Average class size is 15 students	Average class size is 15 students	Average class size is 15 students
Activities	Language Partner & Volunteer Programs	✓	✓	✓
	Excursions, Field Trips & Cultural Activities	✓	✓	✓
Housing	Homestays	✓	✓	✓
	Independent Living	✓	✓	✓
Facilities	Wireless Internet	✓	✓	✓
	Library/Computer Lab	✓	✓	Available at the Aix Center
	Student Lounge	✓	✓	Available at the Aix Center
Costs	2007-2008	www.iaufrance.org/Aix/glance.iaux	www.iaufrance.org/Avignon/glance.iaux	www.iaufrance.org/Marchutz/glance.iaux
Fin Aid	Academic Year Scholarships	✓	✓	✓
Admissions	Admissions Requirements	Applicants must be 18 or older, and should have completed a minimum of one year of college and have a 2.50/4.0 GPA. Prior French study is not required.	Applicants must be 18 or older, and should have completed a minimum of one year of college, 4 semesters of college French or equivalent, and have a 3.0/4.0 GPA in French courses.	Applicants must be 18 or older, and should have completed a minimum of one year of college and have a 2.5/4.0 GPA. Prior French study is not required.
	Application Deadlines	Summer Term = April 15 Fall Semester = May 1 Spring Semester = Nov 1	Summer Term = April 15 Fall Semester = May 1 Spring Semester = Nov 1	Summer Term = April 15 Fall Semester = May 1 Spring Semester = Nov 1
	How to Apply	www.iaufrance.org/applicationForm/apply.iaux	www.iaufrance.org/applicationForm/apply.iaux	www.iaufrance.org/applicationForm/apply.iaux