

a GLOBAL experience

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Today's globalized world needs flexible minds, able to move across disciplines, capable of tackling challenges with innovative humanistic approaches while recognizing the importance of environmental and economic sustainability and natural and cultural heritage and understanding, while communicating and working with people from other cultures.

Multicultural, International & Interdisciplinary

The Globalization Program is VIU's education program for Bachelor and Master's-level students in VIU's member institutions. The program brings together talented, motivated students in a truly multicultural, international, and interdisciplinary environment. Students enjoy a powerful learning experience in which they develop their capacity for critical thinking, working across disciplines, creatively embracing new ideas.

In 2022 VIU is introducing a Summer Session of the Globalization Program with the aim of extending the opportunities to study and teach at VIU. Through this opportunity, VIU will also serve the needs of those students who otherwise face barriers to participation during the semester-long programs.

Eligibility

Students registered in any Bachelor's or Master's degree programs at one of VIU's Member Universities are eligible to apply.

Tuition & Fees

Summer Session courses are open to students regularly enrolled in any Bachelor or Master's degree programs at one of VIU's Member Universities. Students pay no fees to VIU, but must sustain the cost of travel and accommodation associated with participating in the program.

Credits

The Summer Sessions is a credit-only program. Auditors are not admitted to the courses. Students can register for up to two courses. VIU Summer Sessions courses are equivalent to 6 credits in the European Credit Transfer System (ECTS). Students who successfully complete courses in the Summer Session will receive a certificate of participation and a grade transcript.

Courses

- **Modernism across the Arts**
Corina Stan, Duke University
This course places international modernism in an intermedial perspective, presenting it as a broad conversation among international artists across various art forms.

- **Interactive Data Visualization**
Ate Poorthuis, KU Leuven
This course teaches students the concepts, skills and techniques of online, interactive data visualization and map-making.

- **Infrastructure**
Alessandro Rippa, Ludwig Maximilians Universität
This course approaches infrastructures as material and symbolic processual entities, rather than fixed or static things on the ground, that both take shape within and simultaneously shape broader political, social, cultural, and environmental dynamics.

- **Africa: an Introduction to its History, Culture(s) and Place in the World**
Schalk van der Merwe, Stellenbosch University
This course is a multi-disciplinary exploration of African history, from its most ancient times to the present, intended to enhance students' knowledge of the continent and to help them reflect on their own histories in new ways.

- **Globalization and Health**
Roberto De Vogli, Università degli Studi di Padova
Using an evidence-based approach, globalization policies will be scrutinized in terms of their ability to promote or deteriorate health, wellbeing and the environment

- **Social Marketing**
Tanja Kamin, University of Ljubljana
This course will explain principles, techniques and potential of social marketing approaches to addressing social problems and promoting positive social change.

Course organization

Courses will be delivered through interactive forms of tuition (seminars, discussions, presentations, etc.), to foster group work and to mix nationalities and students from different disciplines. The number of students per class may vary from 5 to 10.

Each course consists of 40-hours of tuition including a virtual component that will be held before the beginning of the program (July 1-31, 2022).

The aim of the virtual component is to facilitate interaction before and after the program and strengthen the network among the participants. The virtual component may include online classes/presentations/discussions and asynchronous activities, facilitating collaborative online learning exchange and teamwork.

The in-class teaching during the 4-week program at the VIU campus will be 9 hours per week per course for a total of 36 hours. The remaining 4 hours will be scheduled at the professors' discretion (the virtual component, field trips, seminars, lectures, workshops, etc.).

Classes will be held Monday to Friday. The weekly schedule of classes is published on the on the VIU website.

Co-curricular activities

The co-curricular activities are an integral part of the learning experience at VIU as they offer students the opportunity to discover and relate to the city of Venice, its lagoon and hinterland. Some examples of activities that may be organized:

- Visit to Palazzo Ducale
- Visit to the 59th International Art Exhibition "The Milk of Dreams" by La Biennale di Venezia
- Visit to the Lagoon by boat
- Rowing classes
- Bike tour on the Lido island

Co-curricular activities may be scheduled also on Saturdays.

Accommodation

Students who will attend the Summer Sessions can apply for accommodation on VIU campus, San Servolo Island, for the entire duration of the activity.

Places in single, double, 3-bed and 4-bed rooms are available in the residential halls on the island of San Servolo. All options in shared rooms (divided by gender), will mix nationalities and universities of origin.

Accommodation on campus is managed by a services company called San Servolo Servizi Metropolitan.

Students in the accommodation on campus will have the use of a common room equipped with a refrigerator and microwave. There are no kitchen facilities.

Cost per person, July 31 – August 27:

In a 4-bed room:	€300
In a 3-bed room:	€300
In a double room:	€360
In a single room:	€500.

Applications and Registration

Applications will be via the VIU website.
April 15-May 15, 2022

www.univiu.org/study/globalization-program/summer-sessions/admissions-and-course-organization

Students will be notified by the end of May if they have been admitted.



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