

J-TERM 2026

# HISTORY OF GENDER, ECONOMIC, AND ENVIRONMENTAL DEVELOPMENT IN ITALY

## ITALY



### COURSE OPTION

HIST 289 and ENVT Environment & Society credit

### PREREQUISITES

2.0 minimum GPA

### CREDIT

4

### APPLICATION

- Apply online at [studyaway.plu.edu](https://studyaway.plu.edu)
- Application Requirements:
  - \$50 non-refundable application fee
  - Application questions
  - 3 short-answer essays (250 words each)
  - 1 faculty recommendation
  - Following the online application process, you may be contacted by the faculty leader(s) for an interview
- April 15th: Application Deadline
- May 2nd: Decision Date

### PROGRAM FEE

- Final program fee will be determined April 1, 2025. Check [studyaway.plu.edu](https://studyaway.plu.edu) for pricing and details about inclusions and exclusions.
- \* Global Scholar Award eligible (25% reduction of program fee)

### COURSE OVERVIEW

This course will explore the history of Italy with particular focus on the role of women, the Catholic Church within Italy and abroad (historically), and economic and cultural development in relation to the environment and the Mediterranean region, which includes parts of the Middle East.

#### Why should we study History in Italy?

Italy is considered the birthplace of Western culture. But it is much more! We will learn about its history through a focus on gender, regional and global relationships, economic development, and the environment.

### FACULTY LEADER

**Gina Hames**

*Associate Professor of History*

[hamesgl@plu.edu](mailto:hamesgl@plu.edu)



[plu.edu/studyaway](https://plu.edu/studyaway)

