With its unparalleled history, Rome, the Eternal City and Italy's capital, functions as both an ancient and modern global center. The city fuses the feel of a large metropolis with small lively neighborhoods and picturesque districts dotted with hills, piazzas, fountains, cobblestone streets and churches. The unique history and resources of Italy's capital make it a meaningful city in which to study both ancient cultures and contemporary political and international issues. Rome has captivated pilgrims and tourists for centuries, and students will immediately find inspiration in the city's parks, evocative ruins and Renaissance and Baroque palaces.

**Academic Features**

LdM Rome offers students a wide variety of courses to choose from for their studies in Rome. Smaller than the Florence program, a smaller number of students on the LdM Rome means there is a tighter sense of community between the students and staff at LdM Rome, and students can get individualized attention if needed. Students typically take between 3-6 credits per summer session. Some of the available academic areas available during the summer include, but are not limited to:

**Engineering (Including Engineering Economics for the Summer EGR 255 R/ BUS 255 R). This can be substituted for ISE 211.**

The fundamentals of engineering economy are introduced in this course. Topics covered include time value of money, equivalence, cash flows all at varying interest rates and points of time. The factors commonly used in industry for economic evaluation of alternatives are introduced and applied in this course. The analysis includes both a before tax and after tax evaluation of competing investment alternatives.

**Calendar**

There are two summer sessions offered at LdM Rome. Students can choose to participate in just one or both sessions. The dates for Summer 2017 are the following:

- Summer Session I: May 31 - June 29
- Summer Session II: July 6 - August 4
- Engineering Course: June 5 - July 13

**Application process**

Students who wish to take the engineering course during the summer must have a minimum 3.0 GPA. This application is intended for Binghamton University students only.

The application for a summer at LdM Florence will require the following:
- Study Statement
- Official Transcript
- One Academic Recommendation

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