

Christian History and Spirituality through Art and Architecture

3 credit Study Tourgrimage

Bringing together Art History, Church History and Spirituality Studies, this course studies significant moments, movements and figures pertaining to Christian history and spirituality.

SH4001 & 5001 is a Fall B course starting Oct 31 and ending with the Trip to Italy. The first part of the course is a hybrid course made up of two Synchronous lectures (Tuesday Evening 31 Oct & 28 Nov. in presence or via zoom) as well as three Asynchronous lectures.

The second part of the course will take place in Baroque **Rome**, Renaissance **Florence**, Medieval **Assisi** and Early Christian **Rome**. Participants will have the opportunity to learn on site about the role of art and architecture in promoting the Christian faith. We will also celebrate **Christmas Eve** Mass with the Pope at St. Peter's Basilica and bring in the **New Year** in the Piazza del Comune (Assisi) where Francis and his friends used to bring in the New Year in the early 1200s.

The travel portion of SH5001 begins in Rome on Dec 21 at 4 p.m. and goes till the evening of Jan 4, 2024.

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Guest lecturers

Dr. Luigi Miranda Dr. Fernando Harris
Arqueologists, Art Restorers, Church Historians



Hybrid-C: Fall Semester B
Onsite: Dec 21, 2023 - Jan 4, 2024



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