

# Summer Program in

# ANTIBES, FRANCE



## Program Description

Located between Nice and Cannes, with 25 km of sandy beaches and 300 sunny days a year, Antibes is one of the Côte d'Azur's star attractions!

Situated in southern France and surrounded by fortified walls, Antibes embodies the Côte d'Azur's historic and Mediterranean heritage. Antibes is the Côte d'Azur's second largest city, and was the only town between Marseille and Italy for many years. The Chateau, bastion and towers have today been transformed into a Modern Art Museum, History and Archeology Museum and museum of traditional crafts and local culture.

## The Basics

### When & Where

June 8th - July 12th (2012)

Antibes, France

### Housing

Host Families

Additional Housing for Excursions

### Courses

Reporting the Region

Translation Drawing

### Excursions

A week in Paris

... and much more!

### Application Dates

Due March 1st.

Late applications may be accepted if space is available.

### Contact

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## Courses

### Reporting the Region

JOU 3020.91 / 4 credits

Students explore the Antibes region to produce journalistic reports that include writing and photography. Assignments include stories on challenges facing a French family, implications of a French political issue, a social issue, and a travel piece. The goal is for students to write as a foreign correspondent, conveying the community's views, struggles, sights, and sensations to an audience back home.

### Translation Drawing

VDR 3060.91 / 4 credits

This course approaches drawing as a language, a tool by which students learn to see the visual world with greater clarity and insight. It is intended to complement the experiences of studying abroad by coupling the learning of a new visual language with the students' study of French. The course, open to all students, will rely on the dedication and rigor of each student rather than their learned or innate drawing skills. Classes will take place en plein aire, weather permitting, and will use the surroundings as subject matter. The primary focus lies in the thinking, seeing and hand skills needed in the translation of subject matter, rather than their realistic representation. This course will also introduce students to the possibilities of changing or enhancing the meaning of images through their graphic re-presentation. Through this class, students' experiences abroad will be enriched by gaining a visual arts perspective on the everyday, such as local architecture and landscape.

## Costs & Financial Aid

Program, tuition, and housing costs TBD, and are subject to change.

<http://purchase.abroadoffice.net/> for updates and additional info.

An additional \$800 for incidental expenses (lunch, cafes, etc.) and \$50 for materials. \$2808 added for out-of-state students. SUNY International health insurance is required; SUNY offers coverage for approximately \$147.

Students who are currently receiving financial aid can use their aid for overseas summer study, and in some cases may have their awards increased. Students not currently receiving financial aid may also be eligible. Students should contact the financial aid office on their home campus for further information.

## Apply

A \$200 non-refundable deposit is due within ten days of notification of acceptance.

Required Supporting Documents:

- Official college transcript
- Letter of recommendation from an instructor familiar with you and your work
- Letter of intent

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