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RIDER UNIVERSITY ARTS ABROAD PROGRAM

ROME & DUBLIN
January 5 – 15, 2018



<i>January 5 Friday</i>	<i>Depart USA.</i> 11:00pm departure from Newark Liberty International Airport via direct non-stop Norwegian flight # DY7024 to Rome Fiumicino Airport.
<i>January 6 Saturday</i>	<i>Rome.</i> 1:05pm arrival in Rome and, after hotel check-in, 4:00 to 6:00pm walking tour. Evening WELCOME DINNER.
<i>January 7 Sunday</i>	<i>Rome.</i> Late morning <i>ANCIENT MONUMENTS & IMPERIAL ROME</i> Guided Walking Tour that introduces you to the iconic landmarks of the Roman Forum and Colosseum, as well as Palatine Hill, where you can look out at Circus Maximus.  4:30pm “Nutcracker” Ballet at Teatro Costanzi
<i>January 8 Monday</i>	<i>Rome.</i> Morning <i>ROME HIGHLIGHTS</i> Guided Walking Tour designed to enable you to explore Roman history spanning over thousands of years, in a fast-paced 4-hours. Explore lively Piazza Venezia and Piazza Navona; admire views of the mighty Colosseum, the Roman Forum and Capitoline hill. Along the way, throw a coin in the Trevi Fountain, snap photos of the Spanish Steps and marvel at the Pantheon. Afternoon free.

<p>January 9 Tuesday</p>	<p>Rome. Discover the Roman ruins of Ostia Antica during the half day <i>ANCIENT OSTIA</i> Tour. Once the port city of Ancient Rome, Ostia is now an archaeological site that features remnants like the Necropolis, the Thermal Baths of Neptun and the Ostia Synagogue, the oldest synagogue in Europe and the oldest mainstream Jewish synagogue yet uncovered outside Israel.</p> <p><i>7:00pm Opera Serenades by Night at the Throne Hall of Palazzo Doria Pamphil, with a guided tour of the Princess's private apartments prior to the performance</i></p>
<p>January 10 Wednesday</p>	<p>Rome. The entire morning will be spent at the Vatican with a complete tour of St. Peter's Basilica, the Sistine Chapel, the Vatican Museum and the Apostolic Library. During the tour you will see the masterpieces by Michelangelo, Botiticelli, Signorelli and Perugino. Free afternoon.</p> <div data-bbox="399 590 1464 919" data-label="Image"> </div> <p><i>5:30pm Sacred Music in the Heart of Rome Performance at the Capuchins Crypt, with a tour of Museo e Chiesa dei Cappuccini prior to the performance</i></p>
<p>January 11 Thursday</p>	<p>Rome/Dublin. 10:55am departure from Rome Ciampino Airport via Ryanair flight #9431 to Dublin. 1:15pm arrival in Dublin & transfer from airport to hotel using your Dublin Pass. Hotel check-in and Hop On Hop Off Bus Tour passing by the city's landmarks and monuments. Entrances include: Dublin ZOO, Jeanie Johnston Tall Ship, Guinness Brewery & Storehouse. <i>Evening Popular Irish Music Group Performance.</i></p> <div data-bbox="518 1291 1287 1583" data-label="Image"> </div>
<p>January 12 Friday</p>	<p>Dublin. Visit Christ Church Cathedral – a Medieval church founded in the early 11th century by the first Bishop of Dublin, making it Dublin's oldest building and considered one of the city's most important landmarks and the Dublinia Museum – the place to go to learn about Dublin's history, from its origins as a Viking settlement through its medieval years and its evolution as a trading port town to the cosmopolitan capital it is today.</p> <p><i>4:00pm Visit to the Abbey Theater for a special lecture about its history "The Abbey Theater: Myth, Truth & Reality", followed by the backstage tour. Evening Abbey Theater Performance.</i></p>

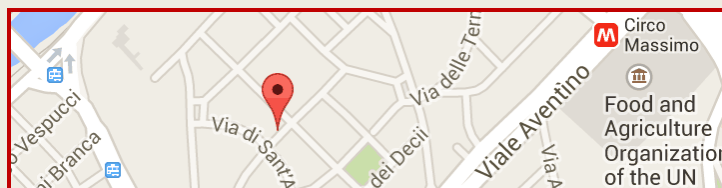
<p>January 13 Saturday</p>	<p>Dublin. Morning tour of the 12th century Malahide Castle, followed by a visit to the Little Museum of Dublin to learn about the social culture and history of the capital. Afternoon visit to one of Dublin's key historic attractions the General Post Office to view the GPO Witness History Exhibition, followed by a tour of the Teeling Whiskey Distillery and learn about the processes from distilling to dram.</p>  <p><i>Evening Olympia Theater Performance.</i></p>
<p>January 14 Sunday</p>	<p>Dublin. Tour of St. Patrick's Cathedral, one of the most important historic landmarks in Dublin dating back to 1191, followed by a trip to Dalkey Castle, one of seven fortified castles and houses in Dalkey town, ten miles south of Dublin city center. Visit Daley Heritage Center to learn about the earliest settlers on Dalkey Island 6,500 years ago, through early Christian, Viking, Medieval and Victorian times to the present day. Upon return to Dublin tour of James Joyce Center, featuring exhibitions and displays from Joyce's private collection and life and works, as well as his death mask and furniture. Visit the Castletown House is Ireland's first and finest Palladian style house built in the 1720s for William Conolly, Speaker of the Irish House of Commons. <i>Evening Traditional Irish Dancing.</i></p>
<p>January 15 Monday</p>	<p>Return USA. 9:00am departure from Dublin via United Airlines direct non-stop flight # UA22 back to Newark Airport, arriving at 11:30am .</p>

IMPORTANT: The route and final itinerary arranged for your organization is tailored and dependent on scheduling appropriate sightseeing and cultural program/visits.



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