

Dear Prospective Accademia dell'Arte Student,

Thank you for your interest in Accademia dell'Arte. If you are serious about applying to one of our programs, please submit application **Packet A** by the following application deadlines:

- Fall semester applications due March 15 \*
- Spring semester applications due October 1 \*
- Summer program applications due March 15

\* If you are applying for the music or dance program, application supplement materials are required by July 1. Please write to [info@dell-arte.org](mailto:info@dell-arte.org) for more information.

**PLEASE NOTE:** Because Accademia dell'Arte has a rolling admissions policy, applications will be reviewed after the deadline has passed if space is available in the program. The earlier we receive your application, the more possibility there is to secure financial aid, scholarship funding, or potential program assistant positions on site in Italy.

**A decision regarding acceptance will be made within two weeks of the receipt of a complete application.**

In order to be considered for the program, please submit the following materials in one mailing:

**PACKET A – APPLICATION MATERIALS**

- Application Form**
- Picture**
- Letter of Recommendation #1**
- Letter of Recommendation #2**  
Two letters of recommendation attesting to the academic work and personal maturity of the applicant are required. At least one letter should be from a faculty member at your home institution who is familiar with the work that most closely pertains to the work you will be doing at the Accademia.
- Resumé**  
Provide a resumé that includes information pertaining to any performances, positions held, etc., that are relevant to the course of study to which you are applying.
- Personal Essay**  
Include a brief essay discussing personal and academic motivation for study in Italy and, specifically, at the Accademia. In doing so, please indicate your understanding of the distinctive nature of the Accademia program you are applying to.
- Official University Transcript**
- \$100 non-refundable application fee (personal or cashier's check) payable to Accademia dell'Arte**

Send Packet A to the Accademia dell'Arte US office, accompanied by the supplement to the specified person in the description, if applicable:

Accademia dell'Arte  
PO Box 251505  
Little Rock, AR 72225-1505  
USA

**PLEASE NOTE:** You must send Packet A and the supplement materials (if applicable) at the same time. If you have any questions, contact the Accademia US office at 501-227-5063.

## PACKET A SUPPLEMENTS FOR SEMESTER DANCE OR MUSIC PROGRAMS ONLY

Remember:

- A decision regarding acceptance will not be made without all Packet A materials, including supplements if applicable. You will receive notification of acceptance within two weeks of review of your entire application.
- Make sure to mail your supplement materials at the same time as your Packet A application materials in order to ensure a timely review of your complete application.

### 1. Dance (Spring Semesters Only)

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#### Tape/DVD Guidelines

- Tape/DVD should demonstrate one's technical ability as well as versatility with a variety of dance forms
- Should be no longer than 10 minutes
- Should be shot in a studio and candidate should be wearing practice clothes.
- Demonstrate basic technique exercises that include pliés, développé, balances, turns, jumps, an extended modern dance combination and a short self-choreographed solo in any genre

**PLEASE NOTE:** Be sure to include a brief summary of the video contents.

#### Applicants must include a dance résumé that specifies:

1. College courses taken in dance, as well as instructors of courses
2. A list of dance genres studied, number of years studied and with whom
3. A list of master classes and guest artist experiences
4. Choreographic experiences, if any
5. Teaching experiences, if any
6. Performance experiences

**PLEASE NOTE:** You will need to include an additional copy of your undergraduate college transcript.

#### This supplement packet is to be sent to:

Karen Dearborn, Chair of the Dance Department  
Muhlenberg College  
ATTN: Accademia dell'Arte –  
Spring Dance Program Application Supplement  
2400 Chew Street  
Allentown, PA 18104

### 2. Music (Fall Semesters Only)

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Furman University Music Program  
In collaboration with Accademia dell'Arte

#### Application requirements for the music program:

The music courses offered as part of the Furman Music in Tuscany program are junior year, music major courses that require a significant musical background as a pre-requisite for enrollment.

Any student wishing to take part in this program should have completed at least one full year of music theory and should be at a moderate to advanced collegiate level in their applied music study.

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A HENDRIX COLLEGE STUDY ABROAD PROGRAM

**Applicants must submit a music résumé that specifies:**

1. Music courses completed
2. Solo repertoire performed or in progress
3. Musical experience and honors
4. Names and contact information for current music instructors

**PLEASE NOTE:** You will need to include an additional copy of your undergraduate transcript.

**In addition, applicants must submit a CD recording 8 – 10 minutes in length that contains contrasting examples of repertoire studied.**

**This supplement packet is to be sent to:**

William Thomas, Chair of the Music Department  
Furman University  
ATTN: Accademia dell'Arte –  
Fall Music Program Application Supplement  
3300 Poinsett Highway  
Greenville, SC 29613

**APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION – PACKET A**

**TERM REQUESTED  
(PLEASE CHECK)**

**Fall Semester  
20\_\_\_\_**

**Interim  
January Semester  
20\_\_\_\_**

**Spring  
Semester  
20\_\_\_\_**

**Summer Arts  
Program  
20\_\_\_\_**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Sex (M/F) \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First Middle

College/University \_\_\_\_\_ Social Security No. \_\_\_\_\_

Major \_\_\_\_\_ Present Class Year \_\_\_\_\_

Current Overall GPA \_\_\_\_\_ Major GPA \_\_\_\_\_

Special Skills \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ Citizenship \_\_\_\_\_

Address at School \_\_\_\_\_  
Street City State Postal Code

Telephone ( \_\_\_\_ ) \_\_\_\_\_ Fax ( \_\_\_\_ ) \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail (School) \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail (Personal) \_\_\_\_\_

Permanent Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Street City State Postal Code

Telephone ( \_\_\_\_ ) \_\_\_\_\_ Fax ( \_\_\_\_ ) \_\_\_\_\_

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I am applying for admission to Accademia dell'Arte in Arezzo, Italy, under the conditions outlined in the Accademia brochure and website. If admitted, I agree to accept the authority of the director and staff throughout my association with the school and to represent my university and country responsibly. I understand that violations of Accademia dell'Arte rules may result in dismissal from the program. I agree to pay all expenses incurred during my semester abroad, including board, lodging and travel, and to respect the conditions of tuition payment as outlined on the Accademia dell'Arte website.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

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**PARENT/GUARDIAN**

\_\_\_\_\_ has my permission to attend Accademia dell'Arte in Arezzo, Italy, for the semester(s) selected above. I guarantee the payment of expenses for the applicant's tuition, room, board and other necessities by the due dates. I have read and understand the payment and withdrawal policies (see [www.dell-arte.org](http://www.dell-arte.org)).

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Name (Print) \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Street

City

State

Postal Code

Telephone ( \_\_\_\_\_ ) \_\_\_\_\_

Fax ( \_\_\_\_\_ ) \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

**PROGRAM INFORMATION:** Each program track has a curriculum specifically designed for the sessions offered at Accademia dell'Arte. All classes within your course track come as a package and cannot be dropped or substituted. You will receive more information about your course schedule once you have been accepted.

Please check the arts track in which you would like to participate:

**FALL SEMESTER**

Theatre       Music      If music, please list instrument \_\_\_\_\_

I am taking courses at Accademia dell'Arte (please check one):

For credit       Not for credit

**Theatre Course List**

**COURSES (15 UNDERGRADUATE CREDIT HOURS)**

|  |           |
|--|-----------|
| TART I15: COMMEDIA DELL'ARTE                   | 3 CREDITS |
| TART I20: VOICE + PERFORMANCE TOPICS           | 3 CREDITS |
| TART I35: EXTENDED PERFORMANCE TOPICS: THEATRE | 3 CREDITS |
| PHIL I20: THE PHILOSOPHY OF ART + PERFORMANCE  | 3 CREDITS |
| ITAL I10 OR ITAL I11: ITALIAN LANGUAGE I OR II | 3 CREDITS |

**Music Course List**

**COURSES (15 UNDERGRADUATE HOURS)**

|  |                     |
|--|---------------------|
| MUSI I31: BASIC CONDUCTING                     | 3 CREDITS           |
| MUSI I41: MUSIC HISTORY                        | 3 CREDITS           |
| APPLIED MUSIC LESSONS                          | 3 CREDITS           |
| MUSIC HISTORY SEMINAR                          | SUBJECT TO APPROVAL |
| ITAL I10 OR ITAL I11: ITALIAN LANGUAGE I OR II | 3 CREDITS           |

**FALL SEMESTER MUSIC APPLICATION REMINDER:** You must send supplement application materials to Dr. William Thomas. You will not be officially accepted into the program until those materials are reviewed.

**INTERIM JANUARY SEMESTER**

Theatre       Music (Vocal Arts)

Please note: These programs do not offer credit through Hendrix College.

**SPRING SEMESTER**

Theatre       Dance

I am taking courses at Accademia dell'Arte (please check one):

For credit       Not for credit

### Theatre Course List

#### COURSES (15 UNDERGRADUATE CREDIT HOURS)

|  |           |
|--|-----------|
| TART I15: COMMEDIA DELL'ARTE                   | 3 CREDITS |
| TART I20: VOICE + PERFORMANCE TOPICS           | 3 CREDITS |
| TART I35: EXTENDED PERFORMANCE TOPICS: THEATRE | 3 CREDITS |
| PHIL I20: THE PHILOSOPHY OF ART + PERFORMANCE  | 3 CREDITS |
| ITAL I10 OR ITAL I11: ITALIAN LANGUAGE I OR II | 3 CREDITS |

### Dance Course List

#### COURSES (15 UNDERGRADUATE CREDIT HOURS)

|   |           |
|---|-----------|
| DANC I25: DANCE TECHNIQUE + PERFORMANCE                   | 3 CREDITS |
| DANC I30: TARANTISMO + POPULAR DANCE OF THE MEDITERRANEAN | 3 CREDITS |
| DANC I35: EXTENDED PERFORMANCE TOPICS: DANCE              | 3 CREDITS |
| PHIL I20: THE PHILOSOPHY OF ART + PERFORMANCE             | 3 CREDITS |
| ITAL I10 OR ITAL I11: ITALIAN LANGUAGE I OR II            | 3 CREDITS |

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### SUMMER ARTS PROGRAM

- Theatre       Dance       Digital Filmmaking       Music Composition

I am taking courses at Accademia dell'Arte (please check one):

- For credit       Not for credit

#### COURSES (STUDENTS CHOOSE 1 COURSE)

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| COMIC PHYSICAL THEATRE: THE SPHERE OF THE CLOWN<br>COMPRISED OF TART I30: APPLIED SKILLS: THEATRE (3 CREDITS), TART I35 EXTENDED PERFORMANCE TOPICS: THEATRE (3 CREDITS) | 6 CREDITS |
| DANCE: ARCHITECTONICS OF SPACE + TIME<br>COMPRISED OF DANC I25: DANC TECHNIQUE + PERFORMANCE (3 CREDITS), DANC I35: EXTENDED PERFORMANCE TOPICS: DANCE (3 CREDITS)       | 6 CREDITS |
| DIGIREALISM: FILMMAKING IN AREZZO<br>COMPRISED OF FILM I20: DIGI-REALISM I (3 CREDITS), FILM I30: DIGI-REALISM II (3 CREDITS)  | 6 CREDITS |
| MUSIC: THE SONIC LANDSCAPE   | 6 CREDITS |

**PLEASE NOTE:** If you have specific academic inquiries regarding credits, etc, please write to [info@dell-arte.org](mailto:info@dell-arte.org), using *transfer credit* as the subject line.

**DEAN OR STUDY ABROAD OFFICER, HOME UNIVERSITY/COLLEGE**

\_\_\_\_\_ I recommend the applicant for admission to the Accademia dell'Arte program in Italy.

\_\_\_\_\_ The applicant's academic work is above average; she/he demonstrates the maturity necessary for overseas study.

\_\_\_\_\_ This student is taking classes for credit, which will be counted toward their degree by our institution.

Comments \_\_\_\_\_  
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Name/Title \_\_\_\_\_

University/College \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Name/Title of Overseas Study Director (If Different) \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Street City State Postal Code

Telephone ( \_\_\_\_\_ ) \_\_\_\_\_ Fax ( \_\_\_\_\_ ) \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_