



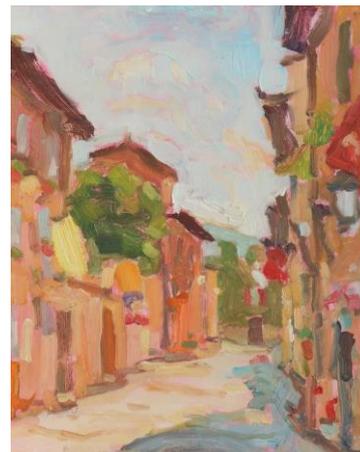
One week Plein Air Painting in Tuscany with Joseph Lombardo, June 2nd – 9th 2018

Detailed Programme

Day 1	Saturday: Arrival
	Pick up from Florence airport at 1 pm or Florence train station at 2 pm. Settle in rooms at Fattoria Bacio www.fattoriabacio.com
5:30 pm	Aperitif. Meet with instructor and staff. Introduction to the programme, and the activities planned for the week.
8:00 pm	Three-course welcome dinner at Villa.
Day 2	Sunday at the Farm
8:00 am – 9:00 am	Breakfast
9:00 am – 11:00 pm	Grocery shopping for lunch foods and personal needs for the week
11:30am – 1:00 pm	Painting at Villa – First demonstration The workshop will begin with a demonstration of a complete painting. This first demonstration will cover how to build a plein air painting start to finish. This will address toning the canvas, palette arrangement, reductive painting, mixing colour, application of paint, shape, and detail. This lesson will focus on strategies to create depth and atmospheric perspective.
1:00 pm	Lunch on own at Villa
2:00 pm – 5pm	Painting at the Villa
7:30 pm	Dinner at Villa

Day 3 Monday: Painting in Certaldo alto

8:00 am – 9:00 am Breakfast
9:00 am – 9:30 am Instruction in studio at Villa
The second demonstration will cover techniques for painting architecture within the landscape. This includes one and two-point perspective
9:30 am Leave for Certaldo alto.
9:30 am – 4:00 pm Painting in Certaldo alto. This traffic free town atop a hill still retains its authenticity as a true medieval settlement and offers beautiful vistas. Cafés for cappuccinos, a wine shop, artisans and the museum of Giovanni Boccaccio will offer plenty to do.
12.30 pm Lunch on own in one of the nice little coffee shops or restaurants in Certaldo alto.
4.00 pm Return to Villa with free time to relax or paint.
6:30 – 7:30 pm Visit to the Villa wine cellars
7:30 pm Dinner at Villa



Day 4 Tuesday: Trip to Siena

8:00 am – 8:45 am Breakfast.
9:00 am Day trip to Siena. Siena’s medieval centre bristles with majestic buildings. Its profusion of churches and small museums harbor a wealth of artwork, though equally your day can be effectively filled by simply wandering the bustling lanes of the historic centre, a Unesco World Heritage Site.
10:00 am – 4:30 pm Sight seeing or independent painting in Siena
12:30 am Lunch-on -own
4:30 pm Return to Villa.
5:30 pm – 7:30 pm Evening painting at the Villa
For our third class day we will study terrain. We will discuss cross contour lines and practice confident brushwork. We will develop the ability to make brushstrokes that capture the rolling Tuscan terrain.
8:00 pm Dinner at Villa

Day 5 Wednesday: Painting at Villa and La Meridiana

8:00 am – 8:45 am Breakfast
9:00 am – 10:00 am Instruction/demo at Villa
On day four we will study value. We will learn to see values in the landscape. And develop an awareness of composition and design as it relates to values. I will start with a value demonstration. Students will paint a value study before depicting the scene in color.
10:00 am – 12:30 pm Painting at Villa
12:30 pm Or Lunch on own
2:30 pm Leave for La Meridiana an internationally recognised center for modern ceramics.
www.lameridiana.fi.it Painting on site.
Meet ceramic artists while enjoying an aperitif on the sunset terrace
7:30 pm Dinner, Pizza in Sciano



Day 6

Thursday: San Gimignano with street market

8:00 am – 9:00 am

Breakfast

9:00 – 5 pm am

Leave for S. Gimignano, an essential feature of any visit to central Tuscany, not only on account of its remarkable towers but also the fabulous frescoes and other art works to be seen here. On Thursdays, there is also a lively street market taking place.



7:30 pm

Dinner at Villa

Day 7

Friday: Painting at the Villa, wrap-up and final dinner

8:00 am – 8:45 am

Breakfast

9:00 am – 12.00 am

Painting at the Villa.

12:30 am

Lunch on own

2:30 – 5:00 pm

Painting time and final critique. Review and wrap up. Packing for shipping. Our last class will review and apply all lessons. Finishing with a group critique of all the paintings produced.



7:30 pm

Final dinner at the Villa

Day 8

Saturday:

Departure

7:30 am – 8:30 am

Breakfast.

Departure by 11 am. Shuttle to airport or train station at agreed time or taxi service on demand.



Cost and conditions

Cost for student in

- Single room with private bathroom: € 2140 \$2333
- Single room with shared bathroom: € 1940 \$2115
- (Max 3 people to one bathroom)
- Double room with private bathroom: € 1740 \$1897
- Double room with shared bathroom: € 1640 \$1788
- (Max 3 people to one bathroom)
- Cost for non-painting participants: € 1560 \$1700
(price in dollars is an estimate due to conversion rate)

Due to the fact that lodging is in a historical villa, some rooms, though not all, have an en-suite bathroom.

Services included: Accommodation in double room, single room on request with supplement
Breakfast
Freshly prepared Tuscan gourmet dinners
Wine and Olive oil tasting
Field trips to San Gimignano, Certaldo alto, Chianti area, Siena
Airport pick up and drop off in Florence at agreed time
Ground transportation while at Villa

Not included: Lunches
Any personal expenses
Painting materials
Insurance
Airfare

Booking and cancellation Policy

Deposit: To sign up a 600 € deposit will be requested.

Cancellations will have the following refunds of the deposit:

100 % provided that they are made prior to December 31st 2017

70% provided that they are made prior to May 1st 2018

Balance: Balance will be due one month prior the start of the workshop.

No refunds of deposits or balance after May 21st 2018.

For booking please contact the Italian partner at italy@artravelitaly.it

