**CARLETON IN VENICE FACT SHEET (March 2014)**

**Information on the program:** The semester in Venice program is run directly through the University of Warwick. For information on the program, please see: <http://www2.warwick.ac.uk/fac/arts/arthistory/applying/venice/>. Admission to the University of Warwick in Venice program as a Carleton University student at the tuition below is competitive; there are 5 places available for Fall 2014. Acceptance to the program will be the sole decision of Warwick University, based on a combination of academic achievement and the student’s personal statement (see application).

**Prerequisites:** The prerequisites are two courses in art history or permission of the History of Art department at Warwick.

**Application deadline:** June 1, 2014.

**Courses;** Students will enrol in either “Art in Venice in Northern Italy 1100-1600” **or** “Exhibiting the Contemporary” **and** the mandatory intensive Italian language course.

**Getting transfer credit through Carleton University:** It is the responsibility of the student to apply for a letter of permission for transfer credit through the Carleton University registrar: <http://carleton.ca/registrar/exchanges/letter-of-permission/>. Address communication with the registrar about this program should be addressed to Amy Fraser, Amy.Fraser@Carleton.ca.

All students entering their final year of studies at Carleton University are very strongly advised to consult with a departmental advisor and the registrar’s office to ensure that they will have the appropriate credits for graduation before applying to the Warwick in Venice Art History program

The successful completion of the University of Warwick in Venice Art History program will be equivalent to 2.5 Carleton credits, that is, a full semester load. The art history courses will be made available for the students either at the third year level or at the fourth year level appropriate assignment expectations. Students will receive 1.5 credits in Art History. The Italian language course will be equivalent to 1.0 Carleton credit. The credit level of the Italian language course will depend on the student’s level of competency in the language, and will be finalized through the Letter of Permission process through the Carleton registrar.

**Programme Fee:** £1000

**Fees include**: tuition, field studies trips (transportation, entrance fees), access to Warwick in Venice facilities and services (including computing rooms, library), access to the University of Venice Ca' Foscari libraries and cafeteria.

**Fees do not include**: return airfare to and from Venice, housing (shared accommodation in rented apartments can be arranged), local transport, meals, supplemental health insurance, textbooks and course supplies, personal expenses and laundry.

**Dates: Monday September 29-Saturday December 6, 2014**. Plan to arrive a day or two early as classes begin on the Monday. Students can make arrival arrangements directly with their Venice landlord (see below).

**Housing:** Shared apartments are available through the University of Warwick Venice program. It is the responsibility of the student to arrange for accommodation directly through the Venice administrator. Applications need to be made by June 2014. See: <http://www2.warwick.ac.uk/fac/arts/arthistory/applying/venice/practicalities/accommodation>

**Medical Insurance:** All students are required to have medical insurance that will cover any medical eventualities while abroad. This means acquiring appropriate insurance that extends beyond provincial healthcare. Numerous insurers provide such coverage. It is the responsibility of the student to acquire a suitable policy.

**Waiver and travel registry:** Students accepted to the University of Warwick in Venice Art History program are asked to fill out a travel waiver, found at <http://carleton.ca/directories/search/?q=risk+waiver&cx=000425654443457873923%3Au1z9vad_fsq&cof=FORID%3A11&ie=UTF-8>

Students are also advised to register as residents abroad at: <https://www.voyage2.gc.ca/Registrations_inscriptions/Register_Inscrire/Login_ouvrir-une-session-eng.aspx?fwd=true&hash=4RxhpA3v5hTwjD8vzim47TQ6161>

For further information on student travel abroad, consult the International Students Services Office <http://carleton.ca/isso/international-opportunities/>

**Estimated expenses:**

HOUSING & UTILITIES: euros 800 (shared apartment can be arranged through Warwick agency). This is an approximation only; prices will depend on the specific accommodation, to be arranged through the Venice administrator.

BOARD: euros 500 (this will vary depending on student habits).

AIRFARE: CAD$ 900-1400 (depending on airline and booking period)

LOCAL TRANSPORTATION (if required): euros 110

TEXTBOOK (Italian): euros 20

TRAVEL & HEALTH INSURANCE: required, student’s responsibility

PERSONAL euros 800 (Estimate varies according to individual spending habits) IMMUNIZATIONS AND MEDICATIONS: Not applicable