



DATA SHEET FOR EXCHANGE 2017 -2018

1. INFORMATION ABOUT THE INSTITUTION

1.1 Name of Institution

ISIA - Istituto Superiore Per Le Industrie Artistiche – Firenze

1.2 Address

Via Pisana, 79 – 50143 – Firenze – Italy

1.3 Contact

Erasmus Coordinator

Prof. Andrea Spatari

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1.4 ERASMUS Code

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1.5 PIC-Number

954256319

1.6 Website

Institution website

<http://www.isiadesign.fi.it/index.php>

Academic units

www.isiadesign.fi.it/index.php?form_id_pagine=108 (Bachelor's Degree)

www.isiadesign.fi.it/index.php?form_id_pagine=109 (Master's Degree)

Online course catalogue

http://www.isiadesign.fi.it/index.php?form_id_pagine=826

**ISIA***Firenze*

2. SEMESTER DATES AND DEADLINES

Winter Semester

(1st semester)

Application Deadline

15th September

Start of lessons

2nd half of October

Summer Semester

(2nd semester)

Application Deadline

15th January

Start of lessons

1st half of March

Academic Calendar 2017-2018

www.isiadesign.fi.it/index.php?form_id_pagine=172

Students are expected to arrive at least one week before the start of lessons, for orientation meetings and finding an accommodation.

3. APPLICATION

3.1 Required Documents

All students wishing to attend ISIA have to submit:

- Application form (scanned pdf or paper document)
http://www.isiadesign.fi.it/file_medi/application_form_isia_firenze2.pdf
- CV in English or Italian (digital pdf or paper document)
- Letter of motivation in English or Italian (digital pdf or paper document)
- Transcript of records (scanned pdf or paper document)
- Portfolio (digital pdf or paper document)

All the above documents are accepted either on paper or in digital format (.pdf). Please note that the application form and the transcript of records pdf files must be scanned from the original paper document, duly signed.

The receiving institution will send its decision within 2 weeks after the application deadline.

3.2 Recommended language skills

The sending institution is responsible for providing support to its nominated candidates so that they can have the recommended language skills at the start of the study period.

Language of instruction of all courses:

(Industrial Design - Product Design - Communication Design)

Italian – Level B1



4. GENERAL INFORMATION

4.1 Visa

The sending and receiving institutions will provide assistance, when required, in securing visas for incoming and outbound mobile participants, according to the requirements of the Erasmus Charter for Higher Education.

Information and assistance can be provided by the following contact points and information sources:

Erasmus Coordinator

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erasmus@isiadesign.fi.it

Student Office

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4.2 Insurance

The sending and receiving institutions will provide assistance in obtaining insurance for incoming and outbound mobile participants, according to the requirements of the Erasmus Charter for Higher Education. The receiving institution will inform incoming students in case insurance cover is not automatically provided.

Information and assistance can be provided by:

Erasmus Coordinator

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Administrative Office

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4.3 Accommodation

ISIA does not provide any accommodation to incoming students, but we can provide the login credential to this website for finding an accommodation in Florence: <https://housinganywhere.com>, the international student housing platform. On the platform you can search and book rooms offered by outgoing students, as well as other rooms listed by verified private landlords in our city.



If required, the receiving institution will provide support to incoming students in finding an accommodation, according to the requirements of the Erasmus Charter for Higher Education.

Some advice about living in Florence can be found in the following guide:

http://www.isiadesign.fi.it/file_media/hitchhikers_guide_to_isia.pdf

Incoming students can look for an accommodation also on the following websites:

<http://firenze.bakeca.it/annunci/offro-camera/>

<http://www.kijiji.it/case/stanze-e-posti-letto/annunci-firenze/>

<http://www.subito.it/annunci-toscana/affitto/camere-posti-letto/firenze/>

<http://www.affitti-studenti.it/annunci-affitto/toscana/firenze.html>

<http://www.stanzazoo.com/firenze/offro-camera-affitto>

Generally, the **prices** of rooms in students' apartments are:
from 200 € to 300 € a month, for a twin room (shared bedroom)
from 300 € to 400 € a month, for a single room.

Prices may change according to the accommodation location:
apartments in the **city centre** are more expensive than those in the **suburbs** (districts like Novoli, Statuto, Rifredi, Campo di Marte, Gavinana, Galluzzo, Isolotto).

4.4 Public Transports to ISIA

ISIA is located in **Via Pisana 79** (<https://goo.gl/maps/PoxozcYdfwD2>).

It is easily accessible by public transports, like tramway or public buses (lines number 12 and 6) from the central train station (Santa Maria Novella - SMN).

TRAMVIA

From central station:

With the railway tracks behind, exit the right side of the SMN station.

Take Line 1, direction "Scandicci" and get off at "Paolo Uccello".

The cadence of the racing is every 5 minutes. The ticket is the same as for bus.

Once off the tram follow the path: <https://goo.gl/maps/MWgpy4mEF3D2>

We are based at the Scuderie of Villa Strozzi: once you arrive up on the hill, in the little square with a fountain, ISIA is the building on the left which is accessed by two stairs.

BUS

From central station:

Bus n. 6 to Ospedale Torregalli, stop "Vanni"

Bus n.12 to Piazzale Michelangelo, stop "Giovanni della Casa"

To calculate your route: <http://www.ataf.net/tp/bw.aspx>