

A marble statue of a man with curly hair, wearing a draped garment, is shown in the foreground. The statue is illuminated from the side, highlighting its texture and form. The background is dark, with a hint of a classical architectural arch.

PAVM

INSIDERS COURSE

A FOUR SEMESTER JOURNEY OF FAITH AND BEAUTY THAT WILL TAKE YOU BEHIND THE SCENES TO EXPLORE THE HISTORY OF PROVENANCE, PATRONAGE AND RESTORATION OF THE VATICAN MUSEUMS COLLECTION AS NEVER BEFORE RECOUNTED BY THE CURATORS THEMSELVES.

REGISTER BY OCTOBER 14, 2020 FOR THE FALL SEMESTER

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PROGRAM

THIS FOUR SEMESTER INSIDERS COURSE WILL EXPLORE FOUR OVERARCHING THEMES

- **THE ORIGINS AND MISSION OF THE VATICAN MUSEUMS** (October 2020 – January 2021)
- **THE PAPAL APARTMENTS: POPES, PATRONS AND PROPHETS** (February – May 2021)
- **THE AGE OF COLLECTIONISM AND THE GRAND TOUR** (September 2021 – January 2022)
- **PINACOTECA TO MODERN: A TOUR IN THE HISTORY OF FAITH AND BEAUTY** (February – June 2022)

EACH MONTHLY MODULE INCLUDES:

- *PAVM Insiders Video* featuring the Museums' Curators and Restorers – available on demand at the beginning of each month
- *Masters Lecture Series* – live Zoom webinar on the 2nd Saturday of the month at 3 PM EST
- *Coffee in the Vatican Museums: Q&A with the Director and Curators* – live Zoom webinar on the 3rd Thursday of month at 10 AM EST

REGISTRATION OPTIONS

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| <input type="checkbox"/> All Four Semesters / Two Years (October 2020 – June 2022)
A SPECIAL VATICAN CERTIFICATE WILL BE EARNED UPON COMPLETION OF THIS FOUR-SEMESTER INSIDERS COURSE. | <input type="checkbox"/> \$ 500 (For current Patrons)
<input type="checkbox"/> \$ 2,900 (Non-Patrons) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> The First Two Semesters (October 2020 – May 2021) | <input type="checkbox"/> \$ 260 (For current Patrons)
<input type="checkbox"/> \$ 1,500 (Non-Patrons) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> First Semester (October 2020 – January 2021) | <input type="checkbox"/> \$ 175 (Semester for current Patrons)
<input type="checkbox"/> \$ 800 (Non-Patrons) |

DEADLINE FOR REGISTRATION: OCTOBER 14, 2020.

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CALENDAR FOR YEAR ONE

SEMESTER 1 – THE ORIGINS AND MISSION OF THE VATICAN MUSEUMS

MODULE 1.1: THE OCTAGONAL COURTYARD AND THE PIO CLEMENTINO MUSEUM

OCTOBER 2020

- *On-Demand Insiders Video* featuring **Dr. Barbara Jatta, Dr. Giandomenico Spinola, Dr. Claudia Valeri and Dr. Guy Devreux**
- *Masters Lecture Series* by **Dr. Liz Lev**: The Pope's Art: An overview of the history of the Vatican Museums and its Visionary Patrons – Saturday, October 17, 2020 at 3 PM EST
- *Coffee in the Vatican Museums* with **Dr. Barbara Jatta, Dr. Giandomenico Spinola and Dr. Claudia Valeri** – Thursday, October 22, 2020 at 10 AM EST

MODULE 1.2: CLASSICAL AND HELLENISTIC ART

NOVEMBER 2020

- *On-Demand Insiders Video* featuring **Dr. Giandomenico Spinola, Dr. Claudia Valeri and Dr. Guy Devreux**

- *Masters Lecture Series* by **Dr. Gretchen Meyers**: From the Parthenon to the Pantheon: Understanding Ancient Sculpture – Saturday, November 14, 2020 at 3 PM EST
- *Coffee in the Vatican Museums* with **Dr. Giandomenico Spinola, Dr. Claudia Valeri and Dr. Guy Devereaux** – Thursday, November 19, 2020 at 10 AM EST

MODULE 1.3: RAPHAEL TAPESTRIES – THE TWO SIDES OF THE STORY

DECEMBER 2020

- *On-Demand Insiders Video* featuring **Dr. Alessandra Rodolfo and Dr. Chiara Pavan**
- *Masters Lecture Series* by **Dr. Sara Magister**: Merchants, Prelates and Collectionism – Saturday, December 12, 2020 at 3 PM EST
- *Coffee in the Vatican Museums* with **Dr. Alessandra Rodolfo, Dr. Chiara Pavan** – Thursday, December 17, 2020 at 10 AM EST

MODULE 1.4: “GOLD AND GLOBES” – THE DECORATIVE ARTS COLLECTION

JANUARY 2021

- *On-Demand Insiders Video* featuring **Dr. Maria Serlupi, Dr. Flavia Callori and Dr. Chiara Fornaciari**
- *Masters Lecture Series* by **Dr. Jeffrey Laird Collins**: A Platform of Dialogue: Defining the Mission of the Museums – Saturday, January 16, 2021 at 3 PM EST
- *Coffee in the Vatican Museums* with **Dr. Maria Serlupi, Dr. Flavia Callori and Dr. Chiara Fornaciari** – Thursday, January 21, 2021 at 10 AM EST

SEMESTER 2 – THE PAPAL APARTMENTS: POPES, PATRONS AND PROPHETS

MODULE 2.1: FRA ANGELICO AND PINTURICCHIO – THE PRECIOUS CORNERSTONES OF THE PAPAL APARTMENTS

FEBRUARY 2021

- *On-Demand Insiders Video* featuring **Dr. Barbara Jatta and Dr. Guido Cornini**
- *Masters Lecture Series* by **Dr. Frank Dabell**: Fra Angelico, Pinturicchio, and the Dream Team of Florentine Art: The Quattrocento painters in the Papal Chapels and Apartments – Saturday, February 13, 2021 at 3 PM EST
- *Coffee in the Vatican Museums* with **Dr. Barbara Jatta and Dr. Guido Cornini** – Thursday, February 18, 2021 at 10 AM EST

MODULE 2.2: THE SISTINE CHAPEL CEILING – THE INSIDE STORY OF RESTORATION AND ITS PATRONS

MARCH 2021

- *On-Demand Insiders Video* featuring **Dr. Guido Cornini and Dr. Francesca Persegati**
- *Masters Lecture Series* by **Dr. Guido Cornini**: The Sistine Ceiling: Crowning Achievement of the Renaissance – Saturday, March 13, 2021 at 3 PM EST
- *Coffee in the Vatican Museums* with **Dr. Guido Cornini and Dr. Francesca Persegati** – Thursday, March 18, 2021 at 10 AM EST

MODULE 2.3: THE RAPHAEL ROOMS – UNVEILING THE FAITH AND THE HAND OF THE MASTER

APRIL 2021

- *On-Demand Insiders Video* featuring **Dr. Guido Cornini and Dr. Fabio Piacentini**
- *Masters Lecture Series* by **Dr. Elaine Ruffolo**: Raphael and The Two Popes: Decorating the Papal Apartments in the High Renaissance – Saturday, April 10, 2021 at 3 PM EST
- *Coffee in the Vatican Museums* with **Dr. Guido Cornini and Dr. Fabio Piacentini** – Thursday, April 15, 2021 at 10 AM EST

MODULE 2.4: THE LAST JUDGMENT – CONSERVING MICHELANGELO’S SACRED LEGACY

MAY 2021

- *On-Demand Insiders Video* featuring **Dr. Vittoria Cimino and Dr. Paolo Violini**
- *Masters Lecture Series* by **Dr. Liz Lev**: The Last Judgment: The Swan Song of the Renaissance and the Clarion Call of the Counter Reformation – Saturday, May 15, 2021 at 3 PM EST
- *Coffee in the Vatican Museums* with **Dr. Vittoria Cimino and Dr. Paolo Violini** – Thursday, May 20, 2021 at 10 AM EST

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