Voice Lessons on the Elon Centre Abroad in Florence (Semester Program)

For students accepted into the Elon Centre Abroad in Florence (Semester Program) who would like to take voice lessons in Florence, below is the process and information to follow.

NOTE: Voice lessons can only be taken IN ADDITION to the program’s minimum course requirement (12 credits).

Identify Student Interest in Voice Lessons in Florence.
1. Students interested in taking voice lessons should let the ICIC Florence Program Manager know of their interest. Students will pay Elon directly for the voice lessons. Cost information is listed below in the “Registration” information. They will also perform once a month at the concert. The voice instructor will complete a half-page evaluation of the student’s work and give a grade at the end of the term.

More information and descriptions of these courses can be found on Accademia Europea di Firenze’s website.

2. The ICIC Florence Program Manager will send the interested student names and email to Edy Frolleno, the Academic Director in Florence. Edy will arrange the lessons with the students and the voice instructors. (If students have a preference as to an instructor from the information on the website, they should let the ICIC Florence Program Manager know).

Registration
1. Students who will take voice lessons will need to let the ICIC Florence Program Manager know in which music course they would like to be registered (from the two choices below). It is recommended that students talk to their Elon voice instructor before deciding.

Music-Voice in Florence (Independent Study)
- **MUS 191-IS A (1 credit)**
  Students complete one 45-minute lesson each week (10 weeks), which is 7.5 total hours of lessons. The cost is €640.00 for ten 45-minute lessons.
- **MUS 191-IS B (2 credits)**
  Students complete two 45-minute lessons each week (10 weeks), which is 15 total hours of lessons. The cost is €1,280.00 for twenty 45-minute lessons.

2. After a student identifies his or her course registration preference, The ICIC Florence Program Manager will contact the Registrar to register the student for the course(s) of his or her choice. The Bursar will then be contacted to add the charges to the student’s account.

   **Note:** If the voice lessons lead to a student’s course load exceeding 18 semester hours, he or she will NOT be charged extra tuition because he or she is already paying for the lessons.

Cancellation of voice lessons: Any student may cancel voice lessons after the first lesson and will only be charged for the first lesson (one lesson is €55.00). Any cancellation received after subsequent lessons (any lesson after the first lesson) will result in full charges to the student for the semester of voice lessons. Students must notify the ICIC Florence Program Manager and Edy Frolleno if they are canceling their voice lessons.

Non-credit voice lessons: Students are welcome to take non-credit voice lessons in Florence. Arrangements for and payments for non-credit bearing voice lessons can be made directly with Edy Frolleno at AEF after arrival in Florence.