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Booking Form

'A Tale of Two Cities' A tour of Ravenna and Urbino

21st-25th September 2025

Course Director & Lecturer: Ann Buchanan

Drawing and water colour Master: Hugh Buchanan

To book a place on this course please print and return this form with payment to the address above. £1000. Cheques should be made payable to Edinburgh Art Studies.

Cost				
Please tick the package that you would like to book:				
£2200 per person for a twin/double room B&B with return flights from Edinburgh to Bologna, including transport to Ravenna and Urbino				
£1800 per person for a twin/double room B&B without return flights				
£500 single supplement				
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Ravenna and Urbino, both leading cultural capitals in their own time, provide a vivid contrast between Byzantine and Renaissance art and architecture. The Byzantine and Early Christian mosaics of Ravenna are arguably the finest in the world and the Early Renaissance paitings by Piero della Francesca are masterpieces. Both cities are UNESCO world heritage sites and have so many works of art and architecture to see.

Timetable

21st September Ravenna	
17.00 Depart Edinburgh	
20.35 Arrive Bologna	
Transfer to Ravenna	
22.00 Check in to Hotel Bezzi	
22nd September Ravenna	
National Museum	
Mausoleum of Galla Placidia	
Basilica of San Vitale	
Arian Baptistery	
23rd September Urbino	
Minibus to Urbino	
Urbino Ducal Palace	
National Gallery of Le Marche	
24thSeptember Ravenna	
The Basilica of San Apollinare Nuovo	
Mausoleum and Basilica of Theodoric	
Basilica of San Apollinare in Classe	
25th September Bologna	
10.00 Check out of hotel	
10.30 private transfer to Bologna	
13.20 Depart Bologna	
15.50 Arrive Edinburgh	

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Accommodation

We will be based in Ravenna and stay 4 nights in the delightful 4 *Palazzo Bezzi in the historic centre and travel by private transport Urbino and to and from Bologna airport.

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For the past 30 years EAS has been taking students of all ages from 8 to 80 to Venice, Florence and Rome to experience at first hand the splendour of Italian art and architecture. The 4-5 day trips are uniquely designed to give participants not just an in depth appreciation of each individual masterpiece but also an understanding of its wider significance in the history of art.

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About Ann Buchanan

Ann Buchanan has taught Art and Art History for 35 years at every level from primary to university. She is a firm believer in the value of interactive teaching and her infectious enthusiasm and passion for Italian culture mean that EAS trips abroad are always voyages of discovery.

Practical Art Teaching

The ability to draw or paint the monuments encountered on the trip often leaves a lasting impression. Ann's husband, the water colourist Hugh Buchanan, gives masterclasses in drawing and watercolour.

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