



Rome Campus

The Rome Campus, located on Janiculum Hill, is a jointly operated campus between Australian Catholic University (ACU) and The Catholic University of America (CUA). The Campus opened in September 2015 and brings together students and academics from both universities in Rome, Italy in a unique tri-continental endeavour. The Campus offers opportunities for study and research based on a shared commitment to the Catholic Intellectual Tradition, the pursuit of academic excellence in teaching and learning and a commitment to internationalisation experiences for staff and students.

JOINT COLLABORATION TO FURTHER THE CATHOLIC MISSION

A focus of the collaboration between ACU and CUA is to develop opportunities which further the Catholic mission. ACU and CUA have academic offerings slated annually. Collaborative academic courses between the institutions are in development, providing new possibilities for interdisciplinary and intercultural scholarship for staff and students alike.

FACILITIES

The Campus has been extensively renovated and is equipped with the following facilities:

- residential accommodation for 76 students
- chapel
- library
- commercial kitchen
- dining area
- student studio
- external verandas/terraces
- extensive gardens.

ACU'S ACADEMIC OFFERING IN 2017 AND BEYOND

At the heart of the ACU/CUA collaboration is the ability to provide robust academic courses aligned with a rewarding international experience for respective student cohorts. ACU's initial focus will be on short study intensives, linked to numerous programs including Executive Education offerings.

In addition to the short-term intensives, ACU's Core Curriculum is being offered twice every year.

INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Integral to the ACU Mission is a contribution by staff and students to local, national and international communities guided by a concern for justice and equity and a commitment to serving the common good. Opportunities will be made available for community engagement in Rome, providing rich opportunities for ACU students and staff to make a difference.

RESEARCH AT THE ROME CAMPUS

ACU's research institutes and faculties include some of the very best researchers in their fields. This strong support for research attracts outstanding students and collaborators across the globe. The Rome Campus provides ACU with an opportunity to develop research links with major universities and researchers in America and Europe, supporting priority research areas identified by the University.



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