

The Academic Traveler

Florence: A Culinary Adventure

March 2008

Itinerary*

Saturday, March 8 – Travel day
Flight to Florence

Sunday, March 9 - Tuscany
Arrive in Florence and transfer to Villa Zobi
Light dinner at the villa

Monday, March 10 - Tuscany
Guided visit to Greve market square and a salumi artisan
Guided visit to Casaloste winery with wine tasting
Lunch in Catinetta di Rignana
Guided visit to Winery Cennatoio
Guided walk along the Antinori vineyards
Wine tasting and dinner at the villa

Tuesday, March 11 - Tuscany
Guided visit to Impruneta and the Abbey
Vist to Lanciola farm with an olive oil tasting
Lunch at Osteria del Ponte Rotto in San Casciano
Guided visit to artisan cheese laboratory in Corzano e Paterno
Cooking lesson with dinner at Villa di Riobia

Wednesday, March 12 – Tuscany
Guided visit to an artisan pasta laboratory in Strada in Chianti
Guided visit to farm Torre Rossa for olive oil tasting
Lunch in a private Tuscan villa, Villa di Riboia
Guided visit to artisan cheese laboratory of Fratelli Sedda
Cooking class and dinner at the villa

Thursday, March 13 - Florence
Depart villa by private bus for Florence
Rose syrup lesson and tasting with Isabella Devetta in Florence
Pastry demonstration and tasting lunch
Chocolate laboratory visit
Check-in at Hotel Brunelleschi
Dinner on your own in Florence

Friday, March 14 – Florence
Free day in Florence
Farewell dinner at Ristorante la Giostra

Saturday, March 15 – Travel day
Depart for Memphis

*The Academic Traveler reserves the right to make minor alterations to the itinerary.