

WINE EDUCATION IN THE HEART OF TUSCANY

Borgo San Vincenzo is proud to partner with the Wine Scholar Guild in offering an immersive experience for the Italian Wine Essentials program. The program blends wine education with history, culture, cuisine, and much more in a real-world setting in the heart of Tuscany.

Meet local winemakers and connect with fellow wine enthusiasts. Enjoy guided winepairing dinners featuring wines from throughout Italy. Through private tours and tastings, get a feel for the nuances in the Tuscan region that have helped give life to different traditions around food and wine.

This exclusive program is open to a maximum of 12 participants per session.

ITALIAN WINE & BEYOND

The Italian Wine Essentials course guides you on a wine-focused journey through Italy, learning about legendary wines, foods, landmarks, and cultural attractions that have made this region beloved for generations. With your home base in Montepulciano, the Borgo San Vincenzo and Italian Wine Scholar Teams work together to bring these elements to life in an interactive and immersive way, elevating the theory of wine education into memory-making moments in the heart of Italy's most revered wine region.

The five-night program leaves room for your own exploration as well and Borgo's Experiences Team can help bring your dream experiences into your personalized itinerary.

Talk with our team about integrating a cooking class at a local agriturismo, going truffle hunting with a premier local hunter, wine tasting on a guided (or self-guided) tour by e-bike, or visiting the storied hilltop towns that dot the region.



THE WINE SCHOLAR GUILD

Wine Scholar Guild (WSG) is the leading provider of specialized certification programs on the wines of France, Italy, and Spain with a school network spanning 30 countries and 5 continents.

The WSG is a community of wine professionals and committed students of wine learning from the most respected names in the industry.

Wine ScholarTM Study and Certification programs offer students of wine the opportunity to specialize in the wine country of their choice.

The Italian Wine Essentials program is the perfect stepping stone for those wishing to pursue further education with the Italian Wine Scholar program.

BORGO SAN VINCENZO

A recently renovated and reimagined 21-room 18th c. farmhouse in the vineyards of Montepulciano, Borgo San Vincenzo sits in the heart of the Tuscan countryside. A vineyard outpost just minutes from the medieval town of Montepulciano, Borgo brings experiential boutique luxury to the Strada del Vino Nobile with renovated rooms, an on-site restaurant, a craft cocktail bar, and common spaces for guests to enjoy at leisure.

Borgo's location allows us to celebrate winemakers and local producers that have been honing their crafts for generations. The dedicated Experiences Team is an integral part of the BSV stay, connecting visitors from around the world with activities and artisans that speak to their interests.

Rooms and suites range from studio-style accommodations to one-bedroom suites with separate living rooms and vineyard views.

All rooms and suites are equipped with complimentary Wifi, Nespresso coffee makers, complimentary water, Italian linens, and Acqua dell'Elba amenities.

WHA T'S INCLUDED

YOUR 5 NIGHT TUSCAN IMMERSION INCLUDES:

- Instruction throughout by WSG Italian Programs Director, Andrea Eby and BSV on-site sommelier, Francesco Bonauguro
- Italian Wine Essentials course materials, access to e-learning and tutored tastings
- Approximately 25 top-quality wines from Northern, Central & Southern Italy for tastings during course education
- 5-night stay at Borgo San Vincenzo in the room or suite of your choice with daily breakfast included

- Welcome aperitivo hour with your wine host + fellow enthusiasts
- 2 guided wine pairing dinners at Borgo San Vincenzo with top-quality wines of Italy
- Private full day wine tasting experience in Montalcino with two tastings + lunch
- Wine tastings + lunch in Montepulciano highlighting distinct local producers
- Dedicated Experiences Team for coordinating extra activities and dining
- 20% discount on additional nights
 pre or post-program

DATES AND PRICING FOR 2023

12 Students Maximum Per Course

June II - 16, 2023

Jeroboam (Studio): €2550 per person Methuselah (Deluxe Studio): €2850 per person Imperial (One-Bedroom Suite): €3050 per person

October 29 - November 3, 2023

Jeroboam (Studio): €2250 per person Methuselah (Deluxe Studio): €2350 per person Imperial (One-Bedroom Suite): €2550 per person

Bookings & Inquiries: info@borgosanvincenzo.com

single supplement information available upon request