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## Italy Application

Please note that these questions aim to:

- help you think through the key issues
- provide us with the information we need to help us run summer teams safely and well
- help us select teams which will work well together
- help us explore how applicants will best cope with some of the potentially stressful situations and/or health risks different to those found at home (for teams going to areas where these issues may arise)

*Completing and returning this form indicates a definite application to join an IFES Ireland summer team.*

*Please print in **BLACK INK**, using additional sheets if required, and complete all sections **LEGIBLY**.*

*Team being applied for: **Italy***

<b>PERSONAL INFORMATION</b>	
Surname:	
Other Names:	
Preferred Name:	
Date of Birth:	
Sex : Male/Female	
Nationality:	
Home Address:	Term-time address:
Telephone:	Telephone:
Email:	Email:
Mobile:	Mobile:
<b>EMERGENCY CONTACT</b>	
Please give details of whom you would like contacted in case of emergency.	
<b>Contact 1</b> Name: Relationship to you: Address:  Email: Telephone: Mobile:	<b>Contact 2</b> Name: Relationship to you: Address:  Email: Telephone: Mobile:
<b>COURSE DETAILS</b>	
Name of College/University (if in higher education):	
Course title and duration:	
What year of study are you in:	

<b>CHRISTIAN LIFE AND COMMITMENT</b>	
Which church(es) do you attend? At home:	At university/ college:
Please describe, briefly and in your own words, how and when you became a Christian, and what difference Christ has made in your life:	
How is your faith worked out day to day, and what are you learning at the moment?	
<b>EXPERIENCE</b>	
Briefly outline any Christian service, discipleship, evangelism and leadership in which you have been involved (CU, church, summer teams, gap years etc.), indicating any responsibility taken and the duration:	
What experience have you had working in team situations? Give examples.	
IFES Ireland summer teams sometimes serve in places where living conditions are very basic and amenities are few. How do you think you would cope? (Please also note briefly any cross-cultural experience you have had.)	
<b>GIFTS/SKILLS</b>	
What gifts/skills/interest do you have that which might be relevant to this summer team? (e.g. listening to and befriending individuals, leading worship or Bible studies, art, sports, practical skills etc)	
Give some indication of your experience in using these gifts/skills.	
Do you have any first aid or medical training? If so please give details, including qualifications held and whether they are up to date:	

**GIFTS/SKILLS (continued)**

Do you speak any languages? If so, to what level?

What contribution do you think you might make to this summer team?

What do you hope to gain personally from this summer team?

**LIFESTYLE/HEALTH**

Are you a vegetarian?

**YES/NO**

Do you have any other special dietary requirements that we should be aware of?  
If yes, please give details:

**YES/NO**

Are you in good health?

**YES/NO**

Do you have any medical conditions that we should be aware of?  
If yes, please give details:

**YES/NO**

Do any members of your close family have any serious medical conditions?  
If yes, please give details:

**YES/NO**

Have you ever received professional counselling or medical treatment for emotional or psychological problems?  
If yes, please give date and details:

**YES/NO**

Please list any allergies you have:

Please list any phobias you are aware of having:

<p><b>OTHER INFORMATION</b></p> <p>How did you hear about IFES Ireland summer teams?</p> <p>Have you ever been on an IFES Ireland summer team before? If so where and when?</p> <p>How do you plan to raise the finances for this team?</p>
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<p><b>STATEMENT OF FAITH</b></p> <p>Are you in full agreement with the IFES Ireland Statement of faith? (enclosed) <b>YES/NO/UNSURE</b></p> <p>If there are issues you are unsure about please indicate and we will discuss these with you.</p>
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<p><b>REFEREES</b></p> <p>Please give the names of two mature Christians to whom we may write for personal references (e.g. pastor / elder / IFES staff). Include one who has known you for at least three years.</p>	
<p>Name:</p> <p>Relationship to you:</p> <p>Address:</p> <p>Postcode:</p> <p>Telephone:</p> <p>Email:</p>	<p>Name:</p> <p>Relationship to you:</p> <p>Address:</p> <p>Postcode:</p> <p>Telephone:</p> <p>Email:</p>

<p><b>SIGNATURE</b></p>	
<p>Signed:</p>	<p>Date:</p>

Please send this completed form and attached sheets directly to:

**Italy 2008, 49 Winter Garden, Pearse Street, Dublin 2, Ireland**

For further enquiries contact [patrick@ifesireland.org](mailto:patrick@ifesireland.org) or the IFESi office.

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<p>Received:</p> <p>Replied:</p> <p>Dates:</p>	<p>Paid:</p> <p>Arrive:</p>