

UPDATED MAR 12th Bioethics Summer Course 2009

The course program is now available at this link (subject to change).

The application form and instructions are now available at this <u>link</u>. Please apply by May 30th.

Download our <u>flyer</u> in Adobe Acrobat format (PLEASE NOTE: pricing has changed).

Session 1: June 30th to July 3rd,2009

Session 2: July 6th-10th,2009

From June 30th to July 10th the Eighth Annual Bioethics Summer Course will be held at Regina Apostolorum. This year's topic is "Global Bioethics: Science, Religion, and Human Rights in dialogue."

Among the themes to be discussed will be:

- "Global bioethics": concept and perspectives
- "The Globalization of bioethics": the phenomena
- International documents concerning global bioethics
- UNESCO and universal bioethics
- Authors and trends of global bioethics
- Pluralism and multiculturalism in bioethics
- Culturally characteristic bioethical expressions: Asian, African, Latin

American, Anglo-Saxon, European

- The origin of bioethics: between religious inspiration and secularization
- Bioethics, science, reason and faith
- Jewish bioethics
- Christian and Catholic bioethics
- Muslim bioethics
- Jewish bioethics regarding the beginning and end of life
- Christian bioethics regarding the beginning and end of life
- Muslim bioethics regarding the beginning and end of life
- Human natural and the natural moral law: a universal meeting point
- The human rights paradigm and bioethics

Professors from the School of Bioethics and other international experts will discuss the issues in a classroom environment designed to include the considerations and insights of participants. Classes are given in English or Italian with simultaneous translation into English and Spanish.

The course is divided into two sessions. Students may participate in the whole course or in just one session.

Participants will received a certificate of participation.

The course is open to anyone with interest in the world of Bioethics, to healthcare workers and to teachers and graduates of all professions.

Students registered in the Master's (Licentiate) and Doctorate programs in the School of Bioethics may take this course by registering (course number CE001 and CE002 for the first and second session respectively).

Cost:

• for the entire Summer Course: 485 euros (for priests, religious, and seminarians 300 euros)

• for one Summer Course session 300 euros (for priests, religious, and seminarians 250 euros)

For more information, contact <u>bioethics@upra.org</u>.