Why study in Italy?


CENTRO STUDI ITALIANI
Polo Universitario Internazionale
Urbania - Milano (Italy)

Accreditation: REGIONE MARCHE

Member of:

Certification Centre:

Partner Universities, Academies, Conservatories:
Why study in Italy?
- Because Italy is the worldwide fashion, art, design, music (particularly for opera), engineering and architectural centre, and is one of the most important countries in Europe.
- Because, ever since ancient times, Italian civilization has been the basis of Western culture and civilization. The Italian language is derived directly from Latin and so, if you speak Italian, you can easily learn other Latin based languages such as Spanish, French, Portuguese, Romanian, Romansch and Ladin.
- Because, knowing the language and having a degree from an Italian university, you will be a qualified cultural mediator for economic, cultural and tourist exchanges between Italy and your country. You will also have created the conditions that will enable you to have specific and exclusive professional opportunities.
- Because there are special places in Italian universities reserved for international students and some scholarships are available. University fees are among the lowest in Europe and students are allowed to work up to twenty hours per week while they are studying.
- Because in Italy it is easy to renew your residence permit every year. All you need is to have passed one exam the first year and two the following years.
- Because Italy, being in the centre of the Mediterranean and Southern Europe, forms a natural bridge between the three continents of the ancient world: Europe, Africa and Asia. With your study visa you can travel freely in all European countries belonging to the Schengen area.

Why study at the Centro Studi Italiani?
- Because, ever since 1986, the Centro Studi Italiani has been an accredited school of Italian language and culture for international students, specialized in preparatory courses in Italian for university access.
- Because the preparatory language course is recognized and accepted by six universities, three fine arts academies and one conservatory. Students who have pre-enrolled for other universities are also accepted.
- Because the course prepares you for enrollment for any type of university course. You will reach the required level of Italian (B1 and B2) and you will not have to take the university’s Italian language entrance exam, (although you may have to take the selection exam, together with Italian students, where there are a limited number of places available).
- Moreover, you will be given an introduction to the specific subjects of your chosen degree course.
- Because teaching is as personalized as possible.
- Because the Centro Studi Italiani is an examination centre for the official certification of the Italian language: CELI (university for foreigners) and PLIDA (Dante Alighieri Society).
- Because the Centro Studi Italiani will take care of you and all bureaucratic formalities from the moment you arrive in Italy until you enrol at university.

The school in Urbania
Urbana is a small characteristic town in Central Italy, quiet and safe, where it is easy to make friends with the locals and practice your Italian. Our school is in the centre of the town and provides Italian courses for international students from all over the world. The school has free wi-fi. Housing is in comfortable furnished apartments with fully equipped kitchens. Bed linen is provided. All apartments are a maximum of 15 minutes on foot from the school. All shops and other facilities are near the school. Discounts are available to students in certain shops, pizzerias, restaurants and sports centres.

The school in Milan
Milan is the economic, fashion, cultural, music, design, contemporary art and engineering centre of Italy. The school is in a 4-star residence which is a type of campus: fully furnished comfortable apartments and classrooms are all in the same building where there are also restaurants, shops and sports facilities. All services are included: air conditioning, internet (20 hours per month), weekly cleaning of apartments, free shuttle bus to the nearest underground station.
APPLICATION FORM ITALIAN UNIVERSITY ACCESS COURSE

to reach the Italian linguistic levels B1-B2 necessary to enroll in Italian or Papal universities

Course in agreement with Università Politecnica delle Marche (Ancona), and Universities of Camerino, Chieti-Pescara, Venice IUAV, Ferrara, Milano-Bicocca; and the Fine Arts Academies of Macerata, Urbino, Milan (NABA) and Scuola Superiore di Musica (“L. Boccherini”) of Lucca

Students who have pre-enrolled for other universities are also accepted.

Academic Year 2014 - 2015

Surname: ____________________________ Name: ____________________________ Sex: ☐ M ☐ F

Capital letters

Place and date of birth: ____________________________ E-mail: ____________________________

tel./mobile: ____________________________ Passport No.: ____________________________ Date of issue: ____________________________

Full address: ____________________________

Have you already studied Italian? ☐ YES; ☐ NO. If yes, for how long? ____________________________

Pre-enrollment at ________________ Degree course ________________

COURSE. The Italian course (in Urbania and Milan) includes language, conversation, Italian culture and an introduction to the specific academic course you have chosen. The Centro Studi Italiani guarantees to assist students from their arrival in Italy until they start their university course. The Centro finds suitable housing for students and supplies the housing declaration for their visa application, if necessary.

My choice:

☐ 3 - month course (12 weeks) beginning: 3 June end: 29 August 2014 .......... €1.499

☐ 4 - “ “ (16 weeks) “ 5 May “ “ “ “ .......... €1.899


Housing in URBANIA: in comfortable furnished apartments with fully equipped kitchen or in host family. Information on request.

Housing in MILAN: in furnished apartments in 4-star residence. Advanced payment required: Euro 400 per person per month (apartment for 3 persons) Euro 600 per person per month (apartment for 2 persons). On arrival in Milan students will be required to pay a deposit of Euro 500 against damage to their apartment. This sum will be refunded in full at the end of their stay if no damage has been caused. Utilities (water, gas, electricity, heating, weekly cleaning, 20 hours per month internet, shuttle bus to the nearest underground station) are included in the cost of the apartment.

PAYMENT. Course fees and housing must be paid in advance by bank transfer made out to Centro Studi Italiani, Banca delle Marche, Urbania branch, c/c n°. 4545, Iban: IT47 G060 5568 6900 0000 0004 545 Swift BAMAIT3A for the price of the course you have chosen + your accommodation in Urbania or in Milan. Please attach the bank receipt to this completed enrolment form. Total: €.................................

WITHDRAWAL RIGHT (enrolment) Italian law D.L. 15 January 1992, n. 50 within 7 days of paying your deposit. If you wish to withdraw within this period your deposit can be refunded, less bank charges. After this period your deposit is not refundable, but you may use it to enrol for another course or you may pass this opportunity on to another person. If, for any reason, you are unable to attend the course for which you have enrolled, please let us know as soon as possible and which other period you wish to come. Neither your deposit nor balance is refundable. However, if you are unable to complete your course for any reason, you will be given the opportunity of attending another course during the same or the following year for the period of time lost. This opportunity can also be passed on to a relative or friend. I hereby authorize the use of my personal data in compliance with the Italian law N° 675/96

Date: ........................................................................................................

Signature: ................................................................................................

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Italian universities and cultural institutes that have a special agreement with the Centro Studi Italiani:

- **Lugano, Università della Svizzera Italiana (USI)**
- **Milan, Nuova Accademia di Belle Arti (NABA-DA)**
- **Milan, Università di Milano-Bicocca**
- **Venice, Istituto Universitario Architettura Venezia (IUAV)**
- **Ferrara, Università**
- **Lucca, Istituto Superiore Musicale, “L. Boccherini”**
- **Urbino, Accademia Belle Arti**
- **Ancona, Università Politecnica delle Marche**
- **Macerata, Accademia Belle Arti**
- **Camerino, Università**
- **Chieti-Pescara, Università**

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**UNIVERSITIES:**

- **Ancona (Marches)**
  - Faculties: Oenology and Agriculture, Economics, Engineering, Medicine and Surgery.
- **Camerino (Marches)**
- **Chieti-Pescara (Abruzzo)**
  - Faculties: Architecture, Economics, Pharmacy, Humanities, Languages, Medicine and Surgery, Psychology, Mathematics, Physics, Sociology.
- **Ferrara (Emilia-Romagna)**
  - Faculties: Biomedical and Surgical Specialization Sciences, Chemical and Pharmaceutical Sciences, Economics and Management, Engineering, Humanities, Human Morphology, Surgery and Experimental Medicine, Law, Life Sciences and Biotechnology, Mathematics and Computer Science, Medical Science, Physics and Earth Science.
- **Venice (Veneto)**
- **Milano - Bicocca (Lombardy)**

**ACADEMIES OF FINE ARTS:**

- **NABA, Milan (Lombardy)**
- **Macerata (Marches)**
- **Urbino (Marches)**
  - Faculties: Decoration, Design, New technologies of art, Painting, Theater set design, Sculpture, Engraving and Printmaking.

**CONSERVATORY:**

- **Lucca - “L. Boccherini” (Tuscany)**
  - Faculties: Music (all the instruments) and voice (opera), modern and classical repertoires.