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**IULM**  
**University**  
*Milan*



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# Institution info

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<b>Address</b>	via Carlo Bo, 1 - 20143 Milano
<b>Erasmus Code</b>	I MILANO05
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# ▶▶ Academic Calendar

## 1st / Fall semester

## 2nd / Spring semester

Classes	Winter Exam Session	Classes	Summer Exam Session
September 21, 2026 December 19, 2026	January 08, 2027 February 13, 2027	February 15, 2027 May 22, 2027	May 24, 2027 June 30, 2027

All incoming students are **required to stay during the exam session** to complete their final tests. The **last day** of their exam session **may be earlier but not later** than indicated above, depending on the courses they select.

The exam dates and schedules will be available around one month before the start of each session. As soon as they are online, we will organize an **Exam Registration Meeting** to better explain the registration procedures involved.

We kindly ask students not to buy return tickets before learning how the exam session works, as **all exams take place in presence**. **Any requests for online or remote exams won't be accepted** in accordance with IULM internal regulations.

## MANDATORY ORIENTATION AND WELCOME DAYS

### FIRST SEMESTER

#### Orientation Meetings (*online*)

- June 17, 2026
- September 17, 2026

#### Welcome Day (*in presence*)

- September 18, 2026

### SECOND SEMESTER

#### Orientation Meetings (*online*)

- November 18, 2026
- February 11, 2027

#### Welcome Day (*in presence*)

- February 12, 2027

# **Nomination and Application procedure**

## **NOMINATION**

1st / Fall semester  
Full year

from **April 13th, 2026**  
to **May 8th, 2026**

## **APPLICATION**

1st / Fall semester  
Full year

from **May 11th, 2026**  
to **May 29th, 2026**

## **NOMINATION**

2nd / Spring semester

from **September 14th, 2026**  
to **October 9th, 2026**

## **APPLICATION**

2nd / Spring semester

from **October 12th, 2026**  
to **October 30th, 2026**

An **online Nomination Form** will be emailed to partner universities before the start of each Nomination Period.

**All students' language certifications must be uploaded during the Nomination process.**

Students will receive instructions to complete their **online Application Form** at the email address indicated during the Nomination process.

**Any communication and deadlines will be sent to students via email; therefore, they must check their email regularly to avoid missing mandatory steps or important information.**

Before starting to fill in the Application form, students will have to prepare and then upload the following documents:

- **JPEG photo** (ID/Passport format)
- **PDF of ID card or Passport**
- **PDF of their Academic Records in English**
- **PDF of the European Health Card** (EU students) or a **private health insurance** (extra-EU students)

# ►► Language requirements

**B2**

level of proficiency in  
**ENGLISH**

To be admitted and  
attend **English-taught  
courses**

**B2**

level of proficiency in  
**ITALIAN**

To be admitted and  
attend **Italian-taught  
courses**

The following certificates are **accepted**:

- **International language certifications** (i.e. IELTS, TOEFL, Cambridge, PLIDA, CILS, etc.)
- **Official declarations signed by a home-university language teacher or academic coordinator**
- **Enrollment certificate for students who are attending an English-taught Bachelor's or Master's Degree**

The following certificates are **not accepted**:

- **OLS assessment certificates**
- **Duolingo tests and scoring**

All certificates must be translated into English or Italian and **explicitly** certify the exact level possessed by the student (B2 or higher).

**According to the courses they plan to attend, students may have both language certifications (English and Italian) or just one of them.**

To ensure the consequent Application Process runs smoothly, Partner Universities are required to provide students' language certifications through our online Nomination Form or by email, **not later than the last day of the Nomination Period**.

# Inclusion and Disability services

## PROCEDURE FOR PARTNERS

Partner Universities are required to indicate whether their students have disabilities and/or SLD during the Nomination Period, through the specific section of the online form.

In case of **severe health conditions** (physical, mental, etc.), we kindly ask that you send your student's medical certificate to [incoming@iulm.it](mailto:incoming@iulm.it) **in due time**, allowing us to better accommodate their needs during their stay at IULM and properly coordinate with internal structures and services.

Not receiving the relevant documentation in time may result in the student's Acceptance Letter being rejected.

## PROCEDURE FOR STUDENTS

Students with disabilities must confirm it inside the mandatory Questionnaire at the end of the Application Form.

At the beginning of the semester, all students will have to provide an official certificate translated into English, proving their disability and/or SLD, and meet with the disability office (DiversaMente) and incoming teams to learn about the support measures they can benefit from during the exam sessions.

# Intensive Italian Language Course

To help students settle in Milan, we organize an **intensive Italian Language Course** that takes place before the beginning of each semester.

The course is intended for students having a **beginner level (A0/A1) of Italian proficiency**. The course requires **compulsory attendance** (at least 80%) as an essential condition for learning success.

After passing the final exam, students will get **6 credits** and a certificate of attendance. The course lasts approximately 3 weeks before the start of the semester and costs **€ 200**.

Information about payment and schedules will be sent only to nominated students who express their interest in participating during the Questionnaire at the end of their Application Form.

**Course dates**  
**1st SEMESTER**

**SEPT. 2 - 17, 2026**

**Course dates**  
**2nd SEMESTER**

**JAN. 27 - FEB. 11, 2027**



# ▶▶ Course Catalogue and restrictions



Check the  
ONLINE  
Course Catalogue

The course catalogue for the next academic year is published around June.

Download the  
EXCEL 25-26  
Course Catalogue

You can always check the 2025-2026 Course Catalogue until the updated one is available.

Incoming students can select courses from **different degrees** and **different years of study**, according to their language certification, semester of mobility, and some restrictions listed below. Students can attend courses for **up to 30 credits per semester**.

## RESTRICTIONS

- To attend **2-year Master's degree courses, capped courses** (with limited places available), or courses with **special prerequisites**, students need to ask the Study Abroad Office for confirmation by sending an email to [incoming@iulm.it](mailto:incoming@iulm.it).
- **Language laboratories** from the Faculty of Interpreting and Translation can be selected only by students attending a Major in foreign languages and translation at their home university. These courses are taught in partnership with the SSML "Carlo Bo" Institute; rules and schedules will be communicated only to students who select them.

# Course Enrollment

Class schedules will be available around two months before the start of each semester through the [Agenda Web IULM](#).

Students will need to check course timetables, as overlapping schedules are possible. We will explain how to deal with overlaps during the online orientation meetings.

Students need to agree on their course selection with their home university, and then complete the official enrollment procedure at IULM **within the deadlines communicated by the Study Abroad Office**. After the final registration, no changes are possible.

Before the start of their mobility, all students will receive by email the link and instructions to fill out the **Course Registration Form (CRF)** to enrol in the courses at IULM.

The CRF will be reopened during the first week of classes to make exceptional changes to the previous submission if needed.

## Course Registration Form - DEADLINES

### 1ST-SEMESTER ENROLLMENT

#### First opening

- August 26 - September 11, 2026

#### Reopening for exceptional changes

- September 17 - 25, 2026

### 2ND-SEMESTER ENROLLMENT

#### First opening

- January 20 - February 5, 2027

#### Reopening for exceptional changes

- February 11 - 19, 2027

# Learning Agreement

The Learning Agreement (LA) is the official document signed by three parties (student, home and host universities). It is required only for Erasmus+ students.

**There's have a deadline for enrollment in IULM courses (the CRF), but no deadline for submitting the Learning Agreement.**

Should your university be connected with the EWP Dashboard (directly or by third-party providers), students can fill in their OLA at [this link](#). Otherwise, students can send us their LA by email in **PDF format** or hand it in a **printed copy** as soon as they arrive in Milan.

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IULM courses don't have component codes. Students can leave that field empty or write N/A (not applicable).

# Final Transcript of Records

## CREDIT SYSTEM

Italian universities adopt the CFU (University Educational Credit – Crediti Formativi Universitari) system as an assessment of the workload required for each course and module. The average workload per year is 60 credits for a full-year student. Therefore, normally 30 credits correspond to one semester. **CFU credits are equivalent to ECTS credits. 1 CFU = 1 ECTS**

## GRADING

IULM University applies the Italian national grading scale, i.e. marks are given in numbers over 30 (in thirtieths). The student who passes an exam will be awarded a mark ranging from a minimum of **18/30** to a maximum of **30/30**. Any mark lower than 18/30 is a fail. An excellent exam result may be awarded **30/30 e lode** (cum laude-with honours).

## FINAL TOR

The final Transcript of Records will include **only the marks of the exams passed** (the sufficient grades). It will be sent by email both to the student and the partner university, **within 30 days after the end of the exam session**.

30 e lode	Excellent with distinction
30	Excellent
29 - 28	Very good
27 - 24	Good
23 - 20	Satisfactory
19 - 18	Sufficient / Pass

# Extension of mobility

Should **first-semester incoming students** request to extend their mobility at IULM, they need to:

- request it via email to [incoming@iulm.it](mailto:incoming@iulm.it)
- ask their home university to officially confirm the request for extension sending an email to [incoming@iulm.it](mailto:incoming@iulm.it)

The request must be sent within **October 30th, 2026**, deadline of the 2nd-semester Application Process. We will confirm acceptance or denial of the extension by **November 6th, 2026**.

**Second-semester students cannot extend their mobility or be nominated as full-year students**, as it would mean crossing over two separate academic years. Especially if they are non-EU citizens, this could make the VISA and Residence Permit procedure management more difficult.

**We only issue Acceptance Letters covering a period of the same academic year.**

**Students wishing to stay for two semesters in two different academic years should be nominated again and that will count as a new nomination according to the numbers agreed in our IIAs. They should autonomously check if an extension of their VISA is needed, as well as appointments at the Consulate/Embassy.**

# ▶▶ Life in Milan

Studying in Milan is the ideal choice for those looking for a modern, efficient, and dynamic city. Milan is considered the unofficial Italian capital for business, fashion, and design, though it is one of the most expensive cities in Italy. You need to budget around €1200 per month to live in the city.

**YESMILANO** is the official agency created by the Municipality of Milano and the Chamber of Commerce of Milano-Monza Brianza-Lodi to promote Milan around the world and increase its international attractiveness.

**[Click here](#) to check the unmissable events!**



## TRANSPORTATION PASS

Azienda Trasporti Milanesi (ATM) is the Milano Transportation Company.

The public transport network is composed of 5 metro lines, 20 tram lines and 160 bus and trolleybus lines.

**[CLICK HERE TO GET YOUR CARD](#)**



## TAXI NUMBERS

With the Radio-Taxi service, you can either book a taxi for a certain time or ask for the first one available:

- (+39) 02.6969
- (+39) 02.8585
- (+39) 02.4040

You can also use the app **[InTaxi](#)**.



## HEALTHCARE EMERGENCY

General emergency number (Ambulance, Police, Fire service): **112**

The **Centro Medico Santagostino** is a private network of specialized clinics with affordable prices.

**[CLICK HERE FOR MORE INFORMATION](#)**

# **Mandatory documents**

Moving, however temporarily, to a new city is never easy; there are many administrative procedures involved and one can easily get lost among the different steps.

**YESMILANO** offers tutorials, guidance and support to inform and help international students navigate their way through the bureaucratic paperwork. [Click here](#) to see an overview of the needed documents for incoming students, or email [welcomestudents@yesmilano.it](mailto:welcomestudents@yesmilano.it) or book an appointment at the **One Stop Shop** with the YesMilano team.

You can find more instructions [here](#) for the mandatory documents you need to get in Italy.

## TAX CODE

### Mandatory for all students

It is the Italian official identification number used to open bank accounts, have an Italian telephone card, sign a rental contract, etc.

## HEALTH INSURANCE

### Mandatory for all students

Students can use their European Health Card or subscribe to a private health insurance.

## ENTRY VISA

### Mandatory for non-EU students

Students not in possession of European citizenship must apply for an entry visa for study purposes at the Italian Embassy or Consulate in their own country.

## PERMIT OF STAY

### Mandatory for non-EU students

Within 8 days from arrival in Italy, non-EU students must apply for a residence permit at one of the authorized post offices.

# Finding accommodation

Incoming students can apply for a place in our **University Residence**, though places are very limited and we usually have a huge number of requests. Please note that getting a room is quite difficult and students cannot choose their flatmates or have guests staying overnight.

The accommodation consists of 20-m<sup>2</sup> double rooms with private bathrooms. They are all equipped with 2 single beds, 2 wardrobes, 2 desks, a shelf, and a satellite TV. On their arrival, students will receive sheets and blankets. In the common areas, there are a TV room, a computer room with an Internet connection, and a coin-operated laundry.

The **total amount of the rent** for one semester is **€ 2820** (*amount to be confirmed before the opening of the application*), plus a **€ 500 cautionary deposit** to secure the booking. The deposit will be refunded within 60 days after departure if the room is left properly, without damage.

## STEP 1

Nominated students will receive by email all the instructions to complete the Application Form for their mobility and to apply also for a place in the Residence.

## STEP 2

The residence Application Form will be open as follows:

- **1st/Fall semester = from May 13th to 14th, 2026**
- **2nd/Spring semester = from October 14th to 15th, 2026**

## STEP 3

Students' applications will be accepted only whether the **mobility Application Form** is completed correctly. Residence assignees will receive an email from the Study Abroad Office including payment instructions and deadlines to confirm their place.

Students can also [click here](#) to find useful websites for accommodation in Milan. **The Study Abroad Office doesn't provide support for looking for accommodation on the private market.** Students are invited to contact tenants directly.



# ►► Services and facilities

The IULM campus is composed of 7 buildings, all of them within walking distance, where you can find the following facilities & more:

BANK

BOOKSHOP

LIBRARY

PRINTING  
CENTER

STORE

FITNESS  
CENTER

FOOD SPOTS

PEER TUTORS

PSYCHOLOGICAL  
COUNSELING



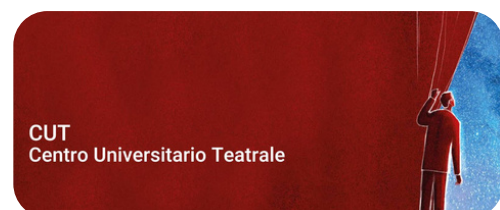
# ▶▶ Student associations



During your stay at IULM, you can join one of the student associations available on campus:



[IULM Sport](#)



[University Theatre Center CUT](#)



[IULM Radio](#)



[ESN IULM](#)



[IULM Choir](#)

# FAQs

## **Can students take courses belonging to Bachelor's or Master's degrees different to their Major at home university?**

We always suggest to firstly stick to degrees similar to their study path in their university. If needed, students can also select courses from other degrees, paying attention to the column of Restrictions in our Course Catalogue.

## **Are the Course Registration Form and the Learning Agreement the same thing?**

The Learning Agreement (LA) is a mandatory document for Erasmus+ students, and it can be created, sent, and signed with no deadlines from our part. However, the Course Registration Form (CRF) is the only official enrolment process in IULM courses. It has specific deadlines that cannot be changed, and students are required to stick to them.

CRF and LA are two separate procedures, and students are required to properly respect instructions for both steps.

## **Can students take IULM exams remotely or at their university?**

IULM exams are taken entirely in presence in Milan during the three exam sessions scheduled in the academic year. Students are tested face to face, orally or by written tests. No request for exceptions will be accepted, following internal university regulations.

## **Can students do an internship during their mobility?**

Only during their mobility, students can benefit from the help of IULM Career Service to find an internship in Milan. They can obtain 3 credits from the internship. Please note that finding an internship for incoming students can be challenging if they don't master Italian language.

## **When will class timetables & exam schedules be published?**

Class timetables are usually published a few weeks before the start of the semester, while exam schedules are published around one and a half month before each exam session.

## **When will the final ToR be issued?**

The final Transcript will be issued after the end date of each exam session, and sent within 60 days by email both to students and Partners. Should the students need their ToR before this period for personal reasons, Partner universities should send an official request by email to [incoming@iulm.it](mailto:incoming@iulm.it).