

**CALL FOR APPLICATIONS FOR ADMITTANCE TO CA' FOSCARI UNIVERSITY OF VENICE
PROFESSIONAL MASTER'S PROGRAMMES
A/Y 2025/2026**

Art. 1 - Call for Applications

1. This Call for Applications regulates admissions to the 1st and 2nd Level Professional Master's Programmes **(from here onwards "Master's")** of Ca' Foscari University of Venice for the a.y. 2025/2026.
2. 1st and 2nd Level Master's are divided into two types: "Post Lauream" Master's and "Executive" Master's.
 - a. "Post Lauream" Master's means any Master's which integrates academic work with vocational content, in order to help graduates take their first steps in the world of work.
 - b. "Executive" Master's means any Master's with typically more vocational content, aimed at graduates who have already entered the working world and require more targeted, specialised training.
3. The Professional Master's Programmes for the a.y. 2025/2026 are the following:

1st level - Post Lauream

1. Administration and Management of Wildlife
2. Teaching Korean as a Foreign Language
3. Environmental Law and Sustainable Development
4. Luxury, Client Advisory and Store Management (Master's profile is being developed)
5. Management of Cultural Heritage and Activities
6. Sustainability Management
7. Strategies for Sports Businesses
8. Tourism innovation. Events, hospitality and experience management
9. Water Resources Protection and Management

1st level - Executive

10. Teaching Foreign Languages
11. Teaching and Promotion of Italian Language and Culture to Foreigners
12. Employment and Social Security Law
13. Fine Arts in Filmmaking
14. Global Economics and Social Affairs
15. Governance, Innovation and Welfare Management
16. Management of Local Police Services (Master's profile is being developed)
17. Quantum Machine Learning for Finance and Industry
18. Science and Techniques of Prevention and Safety – HSE

2nd level - Post Lauream

19. Philosophical Consultancy
20. Health Economics and Management
21. Risk Management Internal Audit & Artificial Intelligence
22. Science and Management of Climate Change
23. Strategy Innovation

2nd level - Executive

24. Teaching Spanish as a foreign language
 25. Student affairs and services
 26. Circular economy for the future manufacturing
 27. Future & Foresight: methods of future anticipation for businesses and institutions
 28. Management of archival and library heritage in the digital context
 29. Advanced Planning for Teaching Italian Language and Culture to Foreigners
 30. Public Administration
 31. Sustainable Remediation of the Environment and Reclamation of Contaminated Sites
 32. Strategic Studies and International Security
4. A Master's Programme will only be offered if the minimum number of enrolled students for each course is reached. For this purpose, students are considered enrolled once they have fully paid their enrolment fees. In the event that a Professional Master's Programme is not offered, any enrolment fees already paid will be fully refunded, except for the €16.00 revenue stamp.

Art. 2 - Admission requirements

1. To enrol in a 1st level Master's Programme, candidates must hold at least one of the following university qualifications: university diploma, old system undergraduate degree, degree, 1st level university diploma.
 2. To enrol in a 2nd level Professional Master's Programme, candidates must hold at least one of the following university qualifications: old system undergraduate degree, specialist degree, 2nd cycle degree, 2nd level university diploma.
 3. Students who are about to graduate may also be admitted to Professional Master's Programmes. The application will generally be accepted, provided that they gain their qualification within one month from the beginning of the course. In this case, enrolment in the Master's Programme may be finalised only after the qualification valid for admission has been awarded.
 4. Simultaneous enrolment in a Master's Programme and additional university courses of study is permitted, subject to verification of compatibility, in accordance with Law No. 33 of 12 April 2022. Students who are already enrolled in university courses are required to report them by email to the Master's and Post Lauream Unit (postlauream@unive.it) when applying.
- Please be reminded that simultaneous enrolment in two courses with compulsory attendance is not allowed.

Art. 3 - Admission application

1. The admission application must be filled in and submitted online by the deadline. Candidates who will not do so, will be excluded.

The online procedure for admittance to the selection is divided into the following steps:

- a) **registration** on the University website (www.unive.it/registrazione), providing personal information as well as details of residence and domicile if applicable. Former students who already have access credentials to the Reserved Area do not need to register. If you have forgotten your password or it has expired, you can renew it with immediate effect at the link <https://apps.unive.it/newpass/recupera>;
- b) **access to the Reserved Area** of the www.unive.it website; there are three options depending on the candidate's status:
 - former students of the University with matriculation number and password can log in with these credentials;
 - candidates with Italian nationality, or currently residing in Italy, who do not have a matriculation number and password, must log in with their SPID. To obtain a SPID: <https://www.spid.gov.it/>;
 - applicants of a nationality other than Italian, who are not currently in Italy and do not have a

matriculation number and password, may request their access credentials via the link www.unive.it/nospidaccess.

- c) **filling in the admission application** in your personal Reserved Area, click on Menu > Administration > Admission tests (former students: click on: Admission and enrolment > Enrolment for admission tests - S3), choose the type of course (1st or 2nd Level Professional Master's Programme) and the course you are applying for. During the online procedure, candidates must attach electronically the following documents:
- self-certification (in accordance with Italian D.P.R. No. 445 of 28/12/2000 and subsequent amendments) of the valid qualification for admission;
 - curriculum vitae;
 - photocopy of a valid ID;
 - any other document required for admission to the chosen Master's Programme (please see Master's profile).

During this step, candidates will be asked to enter only the qualification valid for admission to the chosen Master's Programme (**do not enter any higher qualification you may have**). The information required will include: type of qualification, the University which awarded the qualification, name of the course, date of award, registered grade obtained, the date you registered with the University System (SU) (namely the date when you first enrolled at an Italian University; if you do not remember the exact day, you only need to write the 1st of October of that year). In addition, the details of your high school diploma will also be requested.

The candidate may modify the information entered and/or attach/remove the attached documents even after having filled in the online application, provided that the deadline specified in the attached individual profiles has not expired. Files must be in JPEG or PDF format and must not exceed 5 MB.

2. At the end of this procedure, you will receive an email confirming submission of your application for admission to the Master's Programme.
3. The version in English can be found on the website <https://esse3.unive.it>. Click on Menu > eng > Login.
4. Payment of a non-refundable selection fee is required. This must be paid through the PagoPA system, by clicking on the "Payments" button displayed at the end of the procedure.
5. **Candidates will be excluded from the selection if they fail to meet the deadline indicated for submitting the admission application. They will also be excluded if they fail to pay the selection fee (where applicable).**

Art. 4 - Selection procedure

1. The selection procedure and deadlines for each Master's are as indicated in the relative profile.
2. The results of the selection will be published on the University website by the date indicated in each Master's profile.
3. Publication of the results of the selection is valid for all legal notification purposes.
4. If the number of suitable candidates exceeds the maximum specified for the individual course, a classification will be drawn up.
5. Where the candidates, including following an extension of the deadline (Art. 7), are fewer than the minimum number required for activation of the Master's Programme, no selection will be held and the Master's Programme will not be activated.

Art. 5 - Enrolment fees, subsidies and loans

1. Enrolment fees may be divided into a maximum of two instalments. The amounts and relative deadlines for payment of the instalments can be found in the individual Master's course profiles attached.
2. Enrolment fees must be paid exclusively through the PagoPA System.
3. Candidates who are selected and who will have the opportunity to have their enrolment fees paid, in whole or in part, by third parties (for example, by the companies they work for) must communicate this by email to the Master's and Post Lauream Unit (postlauream@unive.it). Under no circumstances should third parties pay using the payment ID code (IUV) found in the Reserved Area.
4. For some Master's, company/institutional funding are available to partially/totally cover the enrolment fees: For more information, please see the individual profiles.
5. Arrangements with a number of leading banks enable Ca' Foscari University of Venice to offer a further opportunity to help students with the costs of university education through special financial facilities. For further information please visit the page <https://www.unive.it/pag/19717/>.
6. Students with a recognised level of disability equal to or higher than 66%, or with a recognised disability pursuant to Article 3, para. 1, of Law No. 104 of 5 February 1992, are entitled to total exemption from contributions, with the exception of stamp duties.

Art. 6 - Enrolment

1. At risk of exclusion, successful Master's applicants must pre-enrol following the specific online procedure by the deadlines indicated in the individual profiles, logging into their personal Reserved Area (see art. 3, point b) and selecting: Menu > Administration > Enrolment > Enrolment to courses with admission test (former students: select: Admission and enrolment > Enrolment - S3). During this step, candidates will be asked to upload a photograph (passport-sized, front view, clear and legible) with .jpg extension. Subsequently they must attach:
 - a) valid ID (front and back);
 - b) self-certification (in accordance with Italian D.P.R. No. 445 of 28/12/2000 and subsequent amendments) of the valid qualification for admission.
2. At the end of the enrolment procedure, the candidate must click on "Payments" to receive instructions on payment through the PagoPA System of the first instalment and a €16.00 revenue stamp.
3. The version in English can be found on the website <https://esse3.unive.it>. Click on Menu > eng > Login.
4. At risk of exclusion, students receiving any form of study grant must proceed with payment of stamp duty and any percentage of the costs for which they are responsible within the established times.
5. **At risk of exclusion, and in order to accept the place, the candidate must complete the pre-enrolment procedure and pay any fees owed within the deadline indicated in the individual Master's profiles.**
6. Enrolment will be finalised by the back office of the Master's and Post Lauream Unit of the Post Lauream and Database Office. Each student will receive confirmation of the successful enrolment via email, together with new credentials (matriculation number and password) for accessing the University's IT and internet services.
7. If following the enrollment deadline spaces become available due to withdrawal by other applicants,

admission may be offered to candidates in the order in which they have been ranked during the admission process.

Art. 7- Re-opening of selection

1. The selection procedure may be re-opened if the deadline for the presentation of the admission applications is reached without sufficient candidates to achieve the minimum number of students specified for activation of the Master's Programme. At the end of the enrolment process, if the minimum number of students required for activation of the Master's as specified in the Call for Applications has not been reached, the selection procedure may be re-opened once only, without prejudicing the start of the course.
2. At the end of the enrolment process, if the minimum number of students required for activation of the Master's has been reached, but a number of places are still available, the selection and enrolment procedure may be re-opened once only, without prejudicing the start of the course.
3. If the Call for Applications is re-opened, when the deadline for applications is reached, further candidates will be selected and new public rankings will be drawn up.
4. Those admitted must abide by the terms and conditions indicated in the selection in which they have taken part, at risk of exclusion from said selection.
5. If a candidate admitted during the first selection fails to enrol within the specified deadline and the Call for Applications is re-opened, the candidate may enrol on the Master's Programme during the second selection, provided that he or she is in an eligible position in the new rankings.
6. Activation of the Master's Programme is conditional on reaching the minimum number of enrollees indicated in the individual presentation profiles attached to this Call for Applications.

Art. 8 - Qualifications obtained abroad and rules for foreign citizens

1. Italian and foreign citizens holding qualifications obtained abroad are also eligible to submit applications for Professional Master's Programmes, provided that their qualification is equivalent to the level, nature, duration and content of the Italian academic qualification required for admission to the course. However, enrolment is subject to assessment of the suitability of the qualification for enrolment onto the Master's Programme.
2. In order to submit an application, as referred to in the previous art. 3, citizens holding a qualification obtained abroad must attach:
 - a) a diploma (translated into English or Italian) certifying that their qualification is equivalent to a 1st level (for access to a 1st level Master's Programme) or 2nd level (for access to a 2nd level Master's Programme) university diploma;
 - b) a certificate (translated into English or Italian) released by the competent University certifying the examinations passed (transcript of records);
 - c) a diploma supplement or, if the qualification was obtained outside the EU, a "declaration of equivalence" of the diploma, drawn up by the competent Italian diplomatic-consular representative based in the country in which the qualification was obtained;
 - d) curriculum vitae;
 - e) photocopy of a valid ID;
 - f) any documents required for admission to the chosen Master's Programme (see attached profiles).
3. For students who have not yet been awarded a qualification, it is sufficient to attach a certificate of enrolment (translated into English or Italian) for examinations, in addition to the documents specified in the previous points d) and e). During the admission phase only, students who have been awarded a qualification, but are not yet in possession of the final diploma, may attach the provisional diploma issued by the University of origin. For enrolment purposes, the documentation must, however, be as specified in paragraph 6 below.
4. Non-EU citizens residing abroad must submit the application for admission to the Master's Programme directly to the University following the procedure and within the deadline indicated in the individual profiles attached and providing the above-mentioned documents.
5. The Welcome Unit will notify the competent agencies of the result of the selection for the purposes of issuing the necessary entrance visa and, where applicable, finalising the required documentation for enrolling in the Master's Programme.



6. If admitted, citizens as per paragraph 1 of this article must complete the pre-enrolment procedure within the deadlines specified, attaching:
 - a) a diploma (translated into English or Italian) certifying that their qualification is equivalent to a 1st level (for access to a 1st level Master's Programme) or 2nd level (for access to a 2nd level Master's Programme) university diploma;
 - b) a diploma supplement or, if the qualification was obtained outside the EU, a "declaration of equivalence" of the diploma, drawn up by the competent Italian diplomatic-consular representative based in the country in which the qualification was obtained;
 - c) copy of a valid ID;
 - d) study visa (if possessed);
 - e) residence permit (if possessed).
7. If not in possession of the documents indicated in paragraph 6, b) above, candidates admitted to the Professional Master's Programme will be provisionally enrolled on condition they submit the above-mentioned documents within the deadline for applying for the final examination; otherwise they will not be eligible to sit said examination and will not be awarded the qualification.
8. Enrolment will be completed by the Welcome Unit. In the case of students residing in non-EU countries, enrolment will not be completed until the student has obtained an entrance visa. Students enrolled in online Professional Master's Programmes are exempted. Each student will receive confirmation of the successful enrolment via email, together with new credentials (matriculation number and password) for accessing the University's IT and internet services.
9. The Welcome Unit will also provide support for procedures to obtain a visa, residence permit and tax code and will help the candidate settle into the University in general. The same office may also contact candidates to verify the original documents.
10. At any time, candidates may be asked to supplement their submitted documentation in order to verify their eligibility.

Art. 9 - Attendance and withdrawal from studies

1. Attendance by enrolled students of the didactic activities of the Professional Master's Programmes is compulsory. Justified absences are only allowed within the limits of each course (see the individual profiles). Non-fulfilment of attendance obligations will result in exclusion from the final test and will preclude awarding of the qualification.
2. Students may apply to withdraw from their studies at any time by notice to the Master's and Post Lauream Unit (postlauream@unive.it);
3. Withdrawal of students from outside the European Union invalidates the residence permit for study purposes.
4. Withdrawal from the course or exclusion does not exempt students from paying any further instalments owing. A student may be exempted from payment of the second instalment only if the request for withdrawal is presented within one month from the start of the course.
5. Under no circumstances will enrollment fees already paid be refunded.

Art. 10 - Issue of qualification

1. Students who have attended the didactic activities, completed the internship and passed the mid-term and final tests will be awarded the qualification of 1st or 2nd level Professional Master's and the relative diploma will be issued.
2. Students not qualifying within the sessions established in that Professional Master's Programme will be declared lapsed. Lapsed students are not exempted from paying any further instalments due.

Art. 11 - Recognition of credits

1. Following verification of the eligibility of the contents, students who enrol in undergraduate degree or second- cycle undergraduate degree programmes after having obtained a 1st or 2nd level Professional Master's qualification may be awarded university credits, substituting modules included in the degree



2. The maximum number of credits (CFUs) recognised is regulated for each course and in any case cannot be higher than 60 credits for both undergraduate and second cycle undergraduate degrees. It is responsibility of the competent academic board to evaluate case-by-case the consistency of the contents of the academic activities completed in the Master's with the course for which recognition of credits is requested.

Art. 12 - Enrolment in individual modules

1. Some Master's Programmes offer a limited number of places for students who wish to enrol for individual modules (see individual profiles).
2. To enrol for individual modules, students must meet the same requirements as those needed for eligibility for the relevant Master's Programme.
3. Enrolment can be completed by filling in the form which can be found on the University website and following the instructions. The form and related documentation may be sent by email, attaching a copy of an identity document, to the Master's and Post Lauream Unit (postlauream@unive.it).
4. Attendance is compulsory. Only students who have attended at least 70% of the academic activities of the individual module will be admitted to the final examination, unless otherwise indicated.
5. Students enrolled for the module who pass the final examination will be awarded a certificate stating the number of acquired credits and relative SDS (scientific disciplinary sector).
6. Enrolment for individual modules will remain open until the maximum number of participants is reached.
7. If candidates enrolled for individual modules wish to complete the course and obtain the diploma by attending future editions of the Master's Programme, the course Board of Professors will evaluate case-by-case possible exemption from attending the modules already successfully completed.

Art. 13 - Privacy

1. Pursuant to EU Regulation 2016/679 ("General Data Protection Regulation – GDPR") and relative Italian national legislation (Legislative Decree No. 196/2003 and subsequent amendments), you are informed that personal data voluntarily provided to Ca' Foscari University of Venice will be processed by said University adopting appropriate measures to guarantee its security and confidentiality, in accordance with the above Regulation.
2. The privacy notice is available at: <https://www.unive.it/pag/36550/>.

Art. 14 - Final provisions

1. For all matters not expressly covered by this Call for Applications, reference should be made to the rules contained in the "Master's and Lifelong Learning University Regulations" as per Rector's Decree No. 893 of 19/10/2011 and subsequent amendments, available for consultation at: <http://www.unive.it/pag/8253/>.