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# STUDYING ABROAD AT CA' FOSCARI UNIVERSITY OF VENICE





**OPEN  
TO THE  
WORLD**

Originally established as Italy's first business school in 1868, Ca' Foscari University of Venice is now a multidisciplinary institution offering a wide range of study programs in economics and management, modern languages, humanities and sciences. Ca' Foscari is ranked third in Italy for the excellence of its research, and it has earned so many of the coveted European Commission Marie Curie research fellowships that it is one of Europe's ten most successful universities in this regard. Globally,

the QS world university rankings place Ca' Foscari among the world's top 150 universities for Modern Languages, the top 200 for History, and the top 250 for the study of Economics & Econometrics. The university has forged an extensive academic network of partner universities spanning the globe, allowing it to offer a variety of joint and double bachelor's and master's degrees and over 700 active exchange agreements with institutions all over the world. Ca' Foscari is located in the awe-inspiring city of Venice. With canals and boats

instead of streets and cars, this city's truly singular historic centre has been a vibrant place of cultural and economic exchange for over a millennium, and the beauty of its art and architecture has made it a UNESCO World Heritage site. Thanks to the stimulating cultural legacy of its dynamic cosmopolitan context, Ca' Foscari is characterized by the synergetic intersection of tradition and intellectual innovation, offering its students and professors the uniquely rewarding opportunity to learn and work in one of the world's most remarkable cities.

# WHY CHOOSE CA' FOSCARI ?

## STRENGTH IN NUMBERS

**23,000**  
students

**1,300**  
international students

**6,000**  
new enrolled students each year

**4,800**  
graduates each year

**1,500+**  
agreements for internships  
in Italy and abroad

**500+**  
partner universities

**100+**  
agreements overseas agreements

**600+**  
Erasmus agreements

**25+**  
double and joint degrees

## WIDE RANGE OF STUDY

**40+**  
degree programmes

**15**  
degree programmes taught in English

**200+**  
modules taught in English

**8**  
departments

**7**  
study areas

**5**  
campuses

**6**  
libraries

**1**  
language center

**2**  
international schools



**Top 150**  
Modern Languages  
**Top 250**  
Economics & Econometrics  
**Top 450**  
Computer Science  
**Top 126**  
Arts & Humanities  
**Top 301-350**  
Graduate Employability

# STUDY AREAS

## ACADEMIC OFFER

Available both in Italian  
and in English language

## STUDY FIELDS

Economics and Management  
Languages and Cultures  
Science and Technology  
Arts and Humanities  
Public Governance and Social Change  
International Studies and Globalization  
Preservation and Management  
of Cultural Heritage



## COURSE CATALOGUE

[www.unive.it/course-catalogue](http://www.unive.it/course-catalogue)

## INTERNATIONAL PROGRAMMES AND COURSES

[www.unive.it/international-programmes](http://www.unive.it/international-programmes)

# STUDENT SERVICES

- Welcome Unit
- Buddy Programme
- Housing Office
- Cafeterias
- Libraries
- Sports Centre
- Student Associations
- Italian language courses
- Italian culture courses (taught in English)
- Social networks



# STUDENT TESTIMONIALS

*"Studying in Venice doesn't only involve your professional studies, but it gives you more: it opens the door to the new world and if you let yourself in, I believe there will be a great change in each of us, there will be a great metamorphosis."*

**Tamari** from Georgia



*"Before coming to Venice for my Erasmus year I had no idea what to expect. At the end of it, what I can say, is that it was truly the most rewarding and enriching experience I have ever had. Venice is so unique and the daily life of the city is incomparable to anywhere else in the world."*

**Jess** from the UK



*"This picture in short represents my experience studying abroad, as it is colourful and bright (taken at Burano), and like the trees, I grow up a little more. I am really surprised by how nice this experience is for me. Studying in courses that challenge me, meeting with new people every day, making friends with nice and welcoming Italians and travelling to one of the most amazing destinations in the world. I just love all the people that I have chances to meet with."*

**TRAN THI HONG TOI** from Vietnam



*"Erasmus was such a challenge for me. I discovered in myself qualities and abilities that I have never considered existing. The program helped me grow up, the contact with worldwide nations made me open my mind!"*

**Maya** from Bulgaria



# WHY CHOOSING LIVING IN VENICE



# CULTURAL ACTIVITIES IN VENICE



- An inspiring historic context
- A safe city
- Strategic location well connected to Italian and international cities
- International environment
- Plenty of cultural activities



# ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND HOW TO APPLY



## EXCHANGE STUDENTS:

If there is a valid inter-institutional agreement, Ca' Foscari university of Venice has to receive by email ([incoming.mobility@unive.it](mailto:incoming.mobility@unive.it)) an official nomination by the home university. After being formally accepted, Incoming students must register online with their new personal credentials (token code) and upload in the university website:

- one passport-size photo (good quality, JPG format, 4MB max.)
- transcript of records (certificate prepared by the home university)
- learning Agreement
- English or Italian certificate (B2 level)
- copy of a valid ID or passport

## VISITING STUDENTS:

If there is not a valid inter-institutional agreement or the students have not been nominated but wish to study at Ca' Foscari, the university has to receive by email ([welcome@unive.it](mailto:welcome@unive.it)):

- application form (link <https://www.unive.it/pag/12567/>)
- passport copy (for EU students only, a valid identity card)

- a presentation letter written by the student in Italian or English stating his/her reasons for wanting to attend Ca' Foscari. This letter should be co-signed by a professor from the student's home institution
- a transcript of records, in Italian or in English
- English or Italian certificate (B2 level)
- those students wishing to conduct an independent research activity must produce a reference letter in English or Italian written by a professor from the student's home institution identifying the research to be carried out at Ca' Foscari

## TUITION FEES

- Exchange students: free
- Visiting students:
  - EUR 169.00 for each course worth 6 university credits or less
  - EUR 233.00 for each course worth 7 university credits or more, and for courses including a laboratory activity;
  - EUR 200.00 for research activities

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# WELCOME UNIT – INTERNATIONAL OFFICE



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