



General information

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Application deadlines

Nomination deadlines	<p>Nomination deadlines (by partner institutions) are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • April 1st - for the first semester or full academic year (September arrivals); • October 1st - for the second semester (January arrivals).
Application deadline	<p>Application deadlines (students' required documents) are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • April 30th - for the first semester or full academic year (September arrivals); • October 30th - for the second semester (January arrivals).

Requirements and application

Language proficiency	<p>English or Italian certificate (B2 level) is required. The list of recognised certifications is here http://www.unive.it/pag/16406/ in the "Recognized certification" tab.</p> <p>Students can check their language level with the university free online language test at http://claonline.unive.it/Index.htm</p>
Tuition fees	<p>All Incoming students are exempt from paying any tuition fees at Ca' Foscari University.</p>
Application procedure for exchange students after Home University's Nomination	<p>Incoming Students must upload online within the deadline (see above):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - One passport-size photo - Transcript of records - Learning agreement - English or Italian certificate (B2 level) - Copy of a valid ID or passport. <p>The whole procedure is explained here www.unive.it/pag/12574/</p>
Visa requirements (if relevant)	<p>All Non-European students must have a valid VISA. In order to apply for it, they may ask an official invitation letter to be submitted along with the other documents to Italian embassy.</p>

Educational Information

**Academic Calendar 2017/18
(exam sessions included)
TO BE CONFIRMED**

WELCOME DAY

First semester:

mid September 2017

Second semester:

Beginning of February 2018

ECONOMICS AND HUMANITIES

Department of Economics

Department of Humanities

Department of Management

Department of Philosophy and Cultural Heritage

First term (start of first semester): mid September – mid October 2017

Rescheduled classes: end of October 2017

Exams (first term): November 2017

Second term: beginning of November – mid December 2017

Rescheduled classes: mid December 2017

Exams (second term): mid December 2017

Exams (end of first semester): 9 January – 4 February 2018

Third term (start of second semester): February – March 2018

Rescheduled classes: mid March 2018

Exams (third term): mid March 2018

Fourth term: March – April 2018

Rescheduled classes: 6 May 2018

Exams (fourth term): mid May 2018

Exams (end of second semester): May – June 2018

SCIENCES

**Department of Environmental Sciences,
Informatics and Statistics**

**Department of Molecular Sciences and
Nanosystems**

First semester: mid September – mid December 2017

Exams (first semester): 9 January – 4 February 2018

Second semester: February – mid May 2018

Exams (second semester): May – June 2018

LANGUAGES

**Department of Asian and North African Studies
Department of Linguistics and Comparative
Cultural Studies**

First semester: mid September – mid December 2017

Exams (first semester): 9 January – 4 February 2018

Second semester: February – mid May 2018

Exams (second semester): May – June 2018

	<p>Bank Holidays</p> <p>1 November: All Saints' Day 21 November: Madonna della Salute 8 December: Immaculate Conception 25 December 2017 – 7 January 2018: Christmas Holidays mid April 2018: Easter Festivity 25 April: Liberation from Nazi Fascism 1 May: Labour Day 2 June: Republic Day</p>
Course registration	<p>Incoming students are matriculated by the International Office - Welcome Unit. Students do not have to register for courses (except when specified).</p>
Course catalogue	<p>www.unive.it/data/9639</p>
Language(s) of instruction	<p>Mainly Italian + a range of English taught courses</p>
Exchange students are allowed to take courses in the Department (s)	<p>All Incoming students can take courses in all Ca' Foscari Departments both of first cycle (Bachelor) and second cycle (Master) degree programmes. Specialist Courses (called "Master" in Italian language) and Research Doctorates courses are excluded.</p>

Grading System

Full study load for one semester	Usually 30 ECTS (corresponding to 30 CFU).
Grading system	Minimum 18 Maximum 30 (cum laude)
Credit system	1 ECTS = 1 CFU http://www.unive.it/pag/12605/

Practical Information for Incoming students

Housing Office	<p>The office helps students to find a suitable and affordable accommodation in one of the student residences, flats or hotels that hold an agreement with Ca' Foscari University.</p> <p>Students are provided with the application form for accommodation directly by the International Relations Office – Welcome Unit along with the acceptance e-mail (no download is available on-line)</p> <p>www.unive.it/nqcontent.cfm?a_id=87444</p>
Welcome Day	<p>First semester: 9 September 2016 – Linguistic Area ONLY 16 September 2016 – All Academic Area</p> <p>Second semester: 3 February 2017</p> <p>Throughout the year, our students' associations organize cultural events and activities to involve the students in the university life and Venice cultural environment.</p>
International Office - Welcome Unit	<p>The Welcome Unit helps international students before their arrival in Venice and during their stay, dealing with: visa, acceptance letter, study plan, permit of stay, fiscal code, enrolment, welcome day, etc. (Contacts incoming.mobility@unive.it)</p>
Italian Language courses	<p>Courses of Italian language for foreign students are organized by the CFSIE (www.unive.it/cfsie)</p>
Living in Italy	<p>Useful information: www.unive.it/pag/12525/</p>
Buddy Programme	<p>A "Buddy" is a Ca' Foscari student who acts as a mentor to an international student, devoting free-time to facilitate integration into university life. They help international students to become familiar with university courses, with the various locations and services the University provides and with city life and its cultural environment.</p> <p>For further information visit: www.unive.it/nqcontent.cfm?a_id=68476</p>
Welcome Guide	<p>Students can find useful information on Ca' Foscari University, Venice and Italy in the Welcome Guide. A .pdf file of the guide, available in English and Italian, can be downloaded at: http://www.unive.it/pag/fileadmin/user_upload/inglese/pdf/eng_incoming_web.pdf</p> <p>Students receive paper copies of the Guide at their arrival in Venice.</p>

Ca' Foscari Promotion

VIDEOS about Ca' Foscari:

Studying Beauty in Venice: http://youtu.be/Q14lwI_6RJQ

Ca' Foscari - The Place I Want to Be: <http://youtu.be/xGNJpjWnqUs>

Cafoscarini Around the World: <http://youtu.be/h4FmJ7miSD8>

Studying in English in Venice: <http://youtu.be/LdAXZv9pAQQ>

SOCIAL NETWORKS:

Facebook: www.facebook.com/internationalcafoscari

LinkedIn: www.linkedin.com/edu/school?id=13850

Instagram: www.instagram.com/cafoscariuniversity

Weibo: [意大利威尼斯大学](#)

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