



UNIVERSITÀ
DEGLI STUDI
DI PADOVA

FACT SHEET

FOR PARTNER INSTITUTIONS AND INCOMING EXCHANGE STUDENTS

<https://www.uniadrionitaly.it/about-us/#>

UNIVERSITY	Università degli Studi di Padova
ERASMUS CODE	I-PADOVA01
WEB-SITE	www.unipd.it
UNIVERSITY PRESENTATION	<p>UNIPD is one of Europe's oldest and most prestigious HEI with more than 60.000 students, 230 post-doc researchers, 2.300 teaching staff and 2.300 administrative staff. UNIPD offers 188 degree courses and embraces 32 Departments, 1 University Hospital, 1 Veterinary Hospital, 1 Experimental Farm and a School of Excellence.</p> <p>It is a multi-disciplinary university that aims to provide high quality education, to foster research, to nurture international relations and to promote strong links with the local territory. In terms of research excellence, the National Research Assessment Committee ranks UNIPD at the top among leading Italian universities for the quality of its research results. Based on the number of citations and publications (ISI), UNIPD ranks among the top 3 Italian universities for total impact index, productivity index and presence index. Research at UNIPD is also attracting more and more public and private funding: 5.2% of the resources that the Italian State allocates to scientific projects of national importance are awarded to UNIPD, while EU funding for R&I projects in UNIPD departments and research centres has grown by 40% over the last 3 years. UNIPD also boasts 130 active patents and 48 spin-offs.</p> <p>UNIPD International Relations Division directly manages and provides counselling for international education, mobility and cooperation programs (E+ KA1&2, CBHE, SP, etc.) and is also responsible for Bilateral Agreements, double/joint degrees, international training, Summer and Winter Schools, visiting scientists/professors, etc. Under the Erasmus+ programme, the Projects & Partnerships Unit coordinates 1 SP project (Go-DIIP) and 1 EMJMD, and is partner of 9 EMJMDs and 2 CBHEs.</p> <p>In a.y. 2021/22, international mobility at UNIPD accounted for 2.342 outgoing students and 1.873 incoming students, confirming an increasing trend over the years (excluding the break years of the covid pandemic).</p> <p>UNIPD is member of the European Universities Alliance ARQUS and participates in international educational networks, such as Coimbra Group; Top Industrial Managers for Europe (TIME); Venice International University (VIU); Mediterranean Universities Union (UNIMED); European Association for International Education (EAIE); UNIADRION; European University Association.</p>

COLLABORATIONS AND PROJECT IN THE ADRIATIC AND IONIAN REGION	Unipd is a member of Uniadriion Consortium and it promotes students and staff mobility from/to the Adriatic and Ionian Region within the Erasmus+ Programme (KA131 and KA1071). Mobility agreements with Albania and Kosovo (KA1071) are also in place under the consortium “COMMO” (coordinated by Unimed).
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SEMESTER DATES		
	Winter Semester	Spring Semester
APPLICATION DEADLINE	15th June	30th November
WELCOME DAY	During the month of September	During the month of February
LECTURE PERIOD	Semester System: 3rd October 2022 – 21st January 2023 Trimester system: 3rd October – 3rd December 2022 AND 9th January – 18th March 2023	Semester System : 27th February – 17th June 2023 Trimester system : 12th April – 17th June 2023
EXAM PERIOD	Semester System : 23rd January – 25th February 2023 Trimester system : 5th December – 21st December 2022 AND 20th March – 5th April 2023	Semester System : 19th June – 22nd July 2023 Trimester system 19th June – 22nd July 2023

INFORMATION	
LIST OF DEGREE PROGRAMS	https://didattica.unipd.it/
COURSES TAUGHT IN ENGLISH	https://en.didattica.unipd.it/catalogues
ITALIAN INTENSIVE LANGUAGE COURSE	The University Language Centre (CLA) offers one free course to all exchange students during the mobility period: http://cla.unipd.it/en/courses/italian-courses/ Erasmus+ KA107 students may attend both the intensive Italian language course in September (Communicative course) and the biannual course during the semester. Only the first course attended will be free of charge. The Communicative course does not award any ECTS credits. The Biannual course awards 3 ECTS.
LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS	– B1 English level, for students attending courses in English - A2 Italian level, for students attending courses in Italian
USUAL WORK LOAD	60 ECTS per year - 30 ECTS per Semester
GRADING SYSTEM	The grades for each exam successfully passed can range from 18 to 30. In case of exceptional performance the grade is 30 cum laude. In some courses, the grade may be expressed instead as 'fail', 'sufficient', 'satisfactory', 'good', 'very good' or 'excellent'. For other courses and activities the positive assessment is not expressed in terms of a grade but simply as 'Pass'
VISA APPLICATION	Non-EU students residing in non-EU countries must apply for a visa before arriving in Italy. Non-EU students residing in EU countries might not need to apply for a visa, if they hold a valid Residence Permit issued by a EU country. Please refer to: https://www.unipd.it/en/before-your-arrival-erasmus-studies http://vistoperitalia.esteri.it/home/en
APPLICATION PROCEDURE	https://www.unipd.it/en/before-your-arrival-erasmus-studies

CONTACT INFO		
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DEPARTMENTAL COORDINATORS	-	-
ACCOMMODATION	<p>SASSA Service: https://www.esu.pd.it/en/sassa-service</p> <p>Due to the limited number of places available in the students' halls of residence, only non-European students who need a study visa to enter and stay in Italy can apply for accommodation. These students will be invited by email to fill in an Accommodation form, in order to request a place. The rooms will be assigned based on the chronological order of the requests. We cannot guarantee that all applicants will be assigned a room. In case a few places are still available after the first round of room allocations, European students will be invited via email to apply for a place in the dorms. We advise that European students and non-European students already residing in the EU start looking for private accommodation as soon as the Nomination is confirmed, because the housing situation in Padua is very critical: it is difficult to find a place to stay in a short time and at least 5-6 weeks are necessary to find a suitable place.</p>	
ERASMUS STUDENT NETWORK	https://padova.esn.it/	
JOB PLACEMENT OFFICE	Stage.estero@unipd.it	