



Ca' Foscari
University
of Venice

International Office

Welcome to Ca' Foscari INCOMING STUDENTS

Academic Year
2023/2024



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A word from the Rector Tiziana Lippiello



▶ **Welcome video**

*“Just like the city of Venice,
Ca’ Foscari is a crossroads of
civilizations. Interdisciplinarity,
innovation and internationalization
are the distinctive features of our
study programmes.
Build your future with us.
Ca’ Foscari is waiting for you!”*

Welcome Unit - International Office



Destination: Ca' Foscari

Erasmus+ Programme



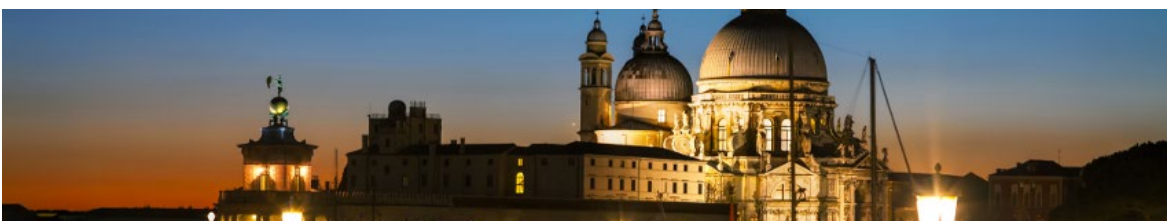
Erasmus+ICM Programme



Overseas Programme



Swiss-European Mobility Programme



Incoming Visiting Students



Incoming interns



Arriving in Italy

EU citizens

If you are a citizen of a country belonging to the European Union, you do not need a VISA to enter Italy.

Non-EU citizens

If you are a citizen of a country not belonging to the European Union, you need to obtain a VISA for study purposes to arrive in Italy. You should submit your pre-enrolment request by filling in the dedicated online form on the Universitaly portal.

Carta Conto and Banking Services



Healthcare Assistance



Codice fiscale (Tax Code)



Permesso di soggiorno (Residence Permit)



For information regarding visa, residence permit, tax code and CartaConto please contact: immigrationteam@unive.it

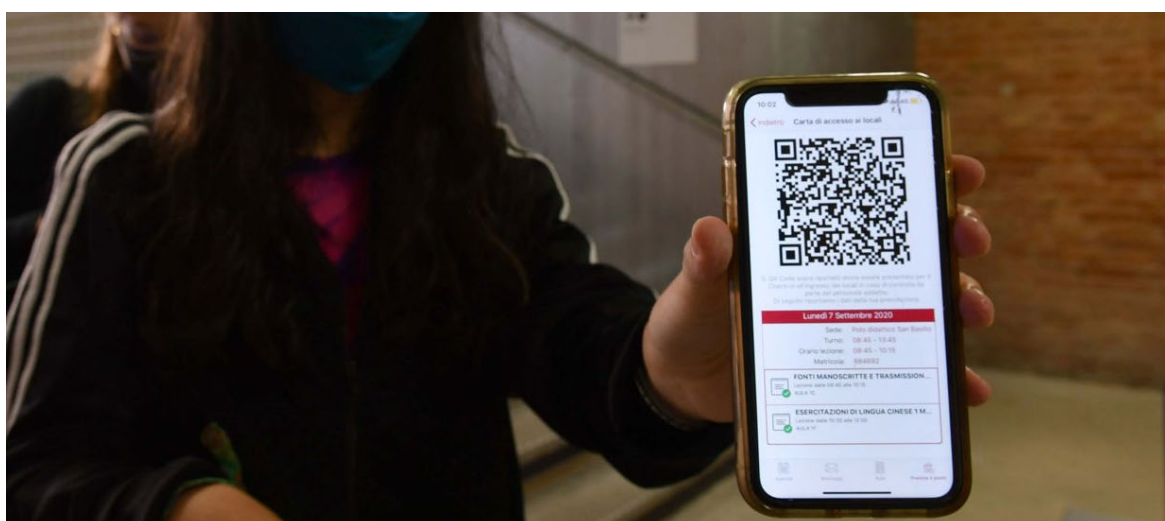
Services



Housing and canteens



University library system



Teaching tools (useful apps for reservations/classes/exams)

Studying at Ca' Foscari

Academic calendar

At Ca' Foscari the academic year starts in September. The courses in the scientific and humanistic areas are delivered in two semesters.

First semester: September–December
Exams: January

Second semester: February–May
Exams: June

Further academic sessions: end of August – beginning of September

The courses in the economic and management area are delivered into four periods:

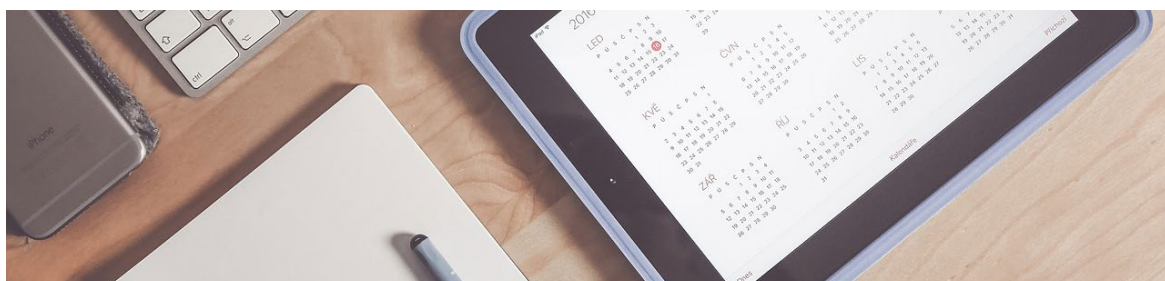
First period: mid-September – mid-October
First-period exams: end of October

Second period: November – beginning of December
Second-period exams: mid-December
Winter exam session: January

Third period: February – mid-March
Third-period exams: end of March

Fourth period: April – beginning of May
Fourth-period exams: second half of May
Summer exam session: June

Further academic sessions: end of August – beginning of September



Exams and grades

The Italian grading system works on a scale from 18 to 30. 18 is the lowest passing grade (sufficiency).

30 is the highest grade. In case of particularly outstanding exams, the professor can assign the so-called “lode” and the grade is registered as 30 cum laude (30L). Only if you pass the exam you will obtain the relevant credits (CFU - Crediti Formativi Universitari = ECTS – European Credit Transfer System). Exams usually give 6 or 12 credits.

All passed exams will appear in the Transcript of records issued at the end of your mobility.

Please note: you can only register for exams included in your online booklet.



Other opportunities to study



School for International Education



Venice International University



University Language Centre (CLA)



International outgoing mobility

What to do at Ca' Foscari



[Enjoy Ca' Foscari](#)



[Sport center](#)



[Ca' Foscari Radio](#)



[Cultural activities](#)



[University Orchestra and Choir](#)

Do you need help?



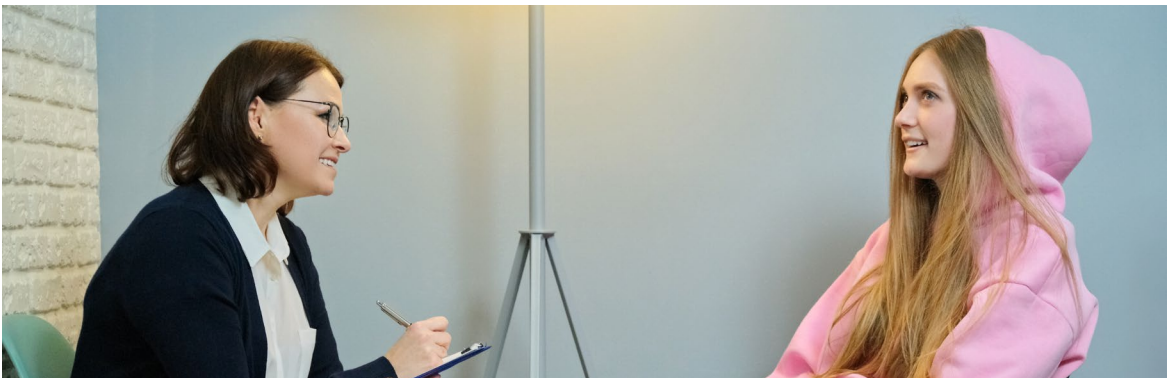
Ask the tutor



Buddy Programme



Inclusivity service



Counselling service

Getting in...

by airplane

Venice Marco Polo Airport

From Marco Polo airport, you can reach Venice by:

- bus line n. 5 (ACTV) to arrive in the historical center
- bus line no. 15 to arrive in the center of Mestre
- Venice Airport Bus Express of the company ATVO
- motorboat Alilaguna (by sea)

Useful websites:

Actv

Atvo

Alilaguna

Canova Airport (Treviso)

Canova airport in Treviso is approximately 30 km away from Venice. You can reach Venice by bus or by train:

- Treviso Airport Bus Express
- bus n.6 (ACTT) that will lead you to Treviso train station where you can take the train (Trenitalia) to Venice

Useful websites:

Atvo

Actt

Trenitalia

by train

The two train stations of Venice are “Venezia Mestre” (in the mainland) and “Venezia Santa Lucia” (in the historical city centre).

Useful websites:

Trenitalia

Italo



...and around Venice



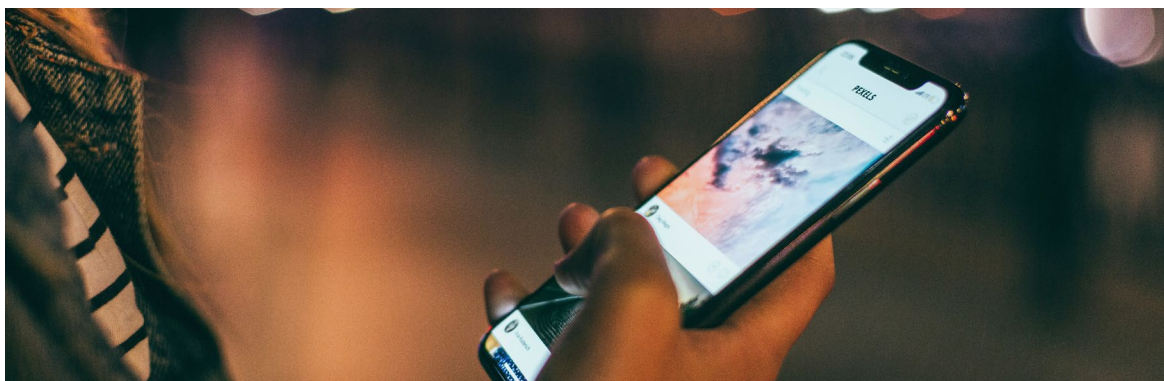
Students: your stay, insurance, transport



Venezia Unica Card



Living costs



Useful Apps

Enjoy Venice

Find out more about the student's experience on our Instagram account:

[@studentlifeinvenice](#)



Carnival



San Marco



Redentore



Aperitivi



Murano & Burano



Lido

EMERGENCY CONTACTS

112 European Emergency number

113 Police

115 Fire Department

118 First Aid/Emergency Room

1522 Woman's safety



Surviving Italian

Arrivederci	Goodbye
Biblioteca	Library
Biglietto/ abbonamento	Ticket/ season ticket
Buon pomeriggio	Good afternoon
Buonasera	Good evening
Buongiorno	Good morning
C'è/ ci sono...?	Is there/ Are there ...?
Carta d'identità	Identity card
Ciao	Hi/ bye (informal)
Codice fiscale	Tax code/fiscal code
Come stai? Come sta?	How are you? (stai - informal) (sta - formal)
Come ti chiami?	What is your name?
Come va?	How is it going?
Dottore	Doctor
Dov'è/ dove sono ...?	Where is/ where are ...?
Farmacia	Pharmacy
Forse	Maybe
Grazie (mille)	Thank you (very much)
Io sto bene	I am fine
Io sto male	I am sick
Mi chiamo ...	My name is ...
Mi dispiace	I am sorry
No, non capisco	No, I do not understand
Non parlo italiano	I do not speak Italian
Ospedale	Hospital
Parli inglese?	Do you speak English?
Passaporto	Passport

Permesso	Excuse me/pardon me (in a crowd)
Piacere di conoscerti	Nice to meet you
Piazza/ campo	Square
Polizia	Police (station)
Posso avere il conto?	Can I have the bill?
Potresti ripetere?	Could you repeat please?
You are welcome	Prego
Puoi aiutarmi?	Can you help me please?
Quanto costa?	How much does it cost?
Questo autobus va a ...?	Does this bus go to ...?
Ricarica (per il cellulare)	Top-up, refill for cellular phone
Ristorante	Restaurant
Salve	Good morning/hello (informal/formal)??
Scusi, sto cercando ...	Excuse me, I am looking for ...
Sì	Yes
Stazione dei Treni / Autobus	Train / Bus station
Supermercato	Supermarket
Ufficio postale	Post office
Vaporetto	Waterbus
Via / calle	Street

STAY CONNECTED!

Explore university events and activities on Ca 'Foscari's official social channels:

 cafoscari

 school/cafoscari

 cafoscari

 @cafoscari

 youcafoscari

 wechat cafoscari

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Follow our international-student-run Instagram account **@studentlifeinvenice** to begin gearing up for your Ca' Foscari experience!