



Course duration
2 years (120 CFU)

Qualification
Second Level Master Degree

Registration:
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Courses start:
late September

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UNICA UNIVERSITÀ
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Department Of **Political And Social Sciences**

Master Degree in International Relations



Faculty Of **Economics Law And Political Sciences**

Objectives

The Master Degree (CLM) Course in International Relations gives a comprehensive preparation on the historical, political, socio-economic and international law matters of the current global system. It is designed to create an expert in international affairs, the ideal candidate for careers in institutions, diplomacy, governmental and non-governmental bodies operating at both national and international level.

Careers

Graduates in International Relations have a comprehensive multidisciplinary background combined with specific linguistic skills. They can access careers at a regional, national and international level: in international organisations; public and private sector. The course gives the right background to access the third cycle of university training (doctoral programmes).

Program structure

The Master Degree Course in International Relations lasts two years and is organized in semesters, according to an annual calendar available at the beginning of the Academic Year. Lectures and seminar activities are provided in support to autonomous study. Traineeship programmes in European and non-European bodies and institutions are an essential part of the preparation for graduates in International Relations.

The degree course is organised in a first common year and a second specialization year divided into

Syllabus

Year I

1st Semester

Storia internazionale contemporanea
Sociologia dello sviluppo
Geografia delle risorse
Lingua inglese 2

2nd Semester

Indicatori socio-economici
Economics of globalization
Relazioni internazionali
Second foreign language*

Year II - Curriculum DAS

1st Semester

European integration
Law of international organization
Contemporary Africa

2nd Semester

Contemporary China / International Politics of Asia
Free choice exams and seminars
Final Dissertation

Year II - Curriculum SEM

1st Semester

Storia del mediterraneo contemporaneo
Diritto dell'UE avanzato
Storia, idee e politiche dei diritti umani
Mondo arabo contemporaneo

2nd Semester

Free choice exams and seminars
Final Dissertation

*Chosen among Arabic, Chinese, French, German, Russian and Spanish.

two curricula: 1. Diplomatic and Area Studies (DAS); entirely taught in English; 2. Studi euro-mediterranei (SEM), taught in Italian. Since 2019-2020 a Double Degree Program with the Moscow State Institute of International Relations (MGIMO University) is active.

International Exchange Programs

International exchange programs through the Erasmus + and Globus grants allow students to study and experience qualified traineeships in international organisations, public and private bodies, in a European or extra European country.

Admission requirements

Admission to the Master Degree Course in International Relations requires an undergraduate degree – a three-year academic diploma (or any other equivalent qualification awarded abroad), or a four-year system degree. Curricular requirements and an adequate personal preparation will be also assessed.

Entry test

By mid-September an academic committee will check prospective students' entry requirements and will establish the necessary re-aligning procedures for candidates lacking essential requirements. The whole procedure will be concluded before the starting of the courses.

