

Since the Middle Ages, when wandering scholars moved from one centre of learning to another, the **University of Macerata (UniMC)** has been a vital hub of learning. Located in the beautiful Marche region of Central Italy — just three hours from Rome — UniMC is renowned for its excellence in teaching and research, with a strong focus on the humanities and social sciences.

As one of the oldest universities in the world, UniMC has developed an extensive global network. This international reach offers students a wealth of opportunities to gain unique academic experiences and benefit from diverse teaching methods. We have over 200 partner universities across Europe through the Erasmus+ programme, as well as strong connections in North and South America, Asia, Australia, and Africa, supported by dedicated scholarship schemes.

UniMC is a proud member of **ERUA (European Reform University Alliance)**, a transnational group of universities across eight European countries (Bulgaria, France, Germany, Greece, Italy, Lithuania, Poland, and Spain) that share a focus on the social sciences and humanities. ERUA seeks to shape the universities of the future by promoting European values and identity and by transforming the quality of higher education through innovative models of cooperation.



UniMC Services and Opportunities

Supporting international students every step of the way

Orientation and support for prospective students

Prospective international students receive guidance and support in selecting their study programme, completing the admission process, and preparing for their arrival in Macerata.

Contact: prospective.student@unimc.it

UniMC Infopoint

The UniMC Infopoint is the go-to place for all students seeking information about academic programmes, university services and facilities, daily life in Macerata, and everything needed for a smooth start at UniMC.

Corso Matteotti, 45 Macerata

Opening hours

Monday to Friday 9.30 - 13.30

Tuesday and Thursday 14.30 - 17.00

Senior Departmental Tutors

Senior Departmental Tutors are experienced graduate students who provide peer-to-peer support to help enrolled students navigate their academic journey. They play a key role in helping students integrate into their department and into university life at Macerata.



Italian language courses

The University Language Centre (CLA) offers free Italian language courses at all levels during both the first and second semesters

of the academic year. In addition, an online introductory course in Italian language and culture is available free of charge to all prospective students before they arrive in Macerata.

More info: cla.unimc.it/en/courses

International mobility

UniMC supports international mobility through scholarship programmes that allow students to study or do internships in Europe and around the world.

More info: iro.unimc.it/en

On-campus jobs

All students can apply for on-campus jobs, such as peer tutoring and part-time roles in University offices or facilities. Selected students receive a grant to support their involvement in daily University activities.

University and work

UniMC helps students prepare for their careers through placement programmes, employer networking events, soft skills and job-readiness training.

Well-being and Support Services

UniMC promotes student well-being by offering free services such as a listening desk, psychological counselling, life coaching, and confidential support. International students become an integral part of an inclusive and welcoming community.

Disability-SLD services

UniMC offers dedicated support for students with disabilities or specific learning disorders (SLD), including personalised assistance and technical tools to improve access to courses, facilities, and university life.



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YOUR PLACE

Macerata is a vibrant city, sometimes referred to as “the Athens of Le Marche”, perched between the beautiful Adriatic coast and the ski resorts of the Sibillini mountains. Surrounded by rolling hills and located near Recanati (home to the great Italian poet, Giacomo Leopardi) and the great Christian pilgrimage city of Loreto, the marvellous city campus of Macerata boasts an excellent standard of living, clean air, a vibrant cultural scene, and offers the chance to live a healthy lifestyle and enjoy great Italian cuisine rich in quality products.

The University of Macerata was **established in 1290** and has, down through the centuries, grown and consolidated its reputation right up to our own times which have seen the opening of new academic departments and innovative undergraduate and graduate degree courses that reflect today's evolving international academic disciplines and community needs.

Today, UniMC stands as an esteemed institution with a rich history and a strong commitment to academic excellence.

Unique in Italy, UniMC is a university entirely dedicated to the social sciences and the humanities, offering degree courses that span from law to education, from political science to languages, literature, and philosophy, from cultural heritage to economics, from communication science and linguistics to tourism.

We offer 9 degree courses entirely taught in English

_ 1 three-year bachelor's degree programme

_ 3 two-year master's degree programmes

_ 5 double/multiple master's degree programmes

and 33 degree courses taught in Italian

_ 13 three-year bachelor's degree programme

_ 2 single-cycle master's degree courses

_ 14 two-year master's degree programmes

_ 4 double/multiple master's degree programmes



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PROGRAMMES TAUGHT IN ITALIAN

ACADEMIC YEAR 2025/2026

DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS AND LAW

3-year BACHELOR'S DEGREES

L 18 Economics and Management
L 33 Economics and Marketing for Sustainability
L 41 Data Analysis for Social Sciences

2-year MASTER'S DEGREES

LM 16 Finance and Markets, curriculum Finance and Technology
LM 77 Management and International Marketing

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, CULTURAL HERITAGE AND TOURISM

SINGLE CYCLE MASTER'S DEGREE (5 YEARS)

LM 85 bis Primary teacher education
Enrolment is based on an admission test

3-year BACHELOR'S DEGREES

L 1 & L 15 Cultural Heritage and Tourism
L 19 Education and Training Science

2-year MASTERS' DEGREES

LM 85 Pedagogy
LM 89 Management of Cultural Heritage

DEPARTMENT OF HUMANITIES

Languages, Language Liaison, History, Arts, Philosophy

3-year BACHELOR'S DEGREES

L 5 Philosophy
L 10 Letters
L 11 Western and Eastern languages and cultures
L 12 Language Mediation for International Business and Digital Media

2-year MASTER'S DEGREES

LM 2 Archaeology and Territorial Development
Interdepartmental course with the Department of Economics and Law
LM 14 & LM 15 Literature, Philology, and Language Studies
LM 37 Languages, Cultures and Literary Translation
LM 38 Modern Languages for International Communication and Cooperation
Double Degree with the Université Clermont-Auvergne di Clermont-Ferrand / FRANCIA
LM 78 Philosophy
Double Degree with the Institute Catholique di Toulouse / FRANCIA
LM 84 History, spaces, civilizations
Double Degree with the Eqrem Çabej University Gjirokastër / ALBANIA

DEPARTMENT OF LAW

SINGLE CYCLE MASTER'S DEGREE (5 YEARS)

LMG/01 Law
Double Degree with the University of Orléans / FRANCE

3-year BACHELOR'S DEGREES

L 14 Sciences for legal services
L 39 Theories, cultures and techniques for Social Work

2-year MASTER'S DEGREES

LM/SC GIUR Governance of public administration and complex organizations
LM 87 Policy making and planning of Social Work

DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCES, COMMUNICATION AND INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

3-year BACHELOR'S DEGREE

L 20 Communication
L 36 Political Sciences and International Relations

2-year MASTER'S DEGREE

LM 19 Communication and Digital Cultures
LM 62 Policies for Sustainability and Digital Innovation

PROGRAMMES TAUGHT IN ENGLISH

ACADEMIC YEAR 2025/2026

DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS AND LAW

2-year MASTER'S DEGREES

LM 16 Finance and Markets, curriculum International Finance and Economics
Multiple Degree with the University of Angers / FRANCE and the University Nicolaus Copernicus of Torun/ POLAND
Double Degree with the University of Campinas / BRAZIL

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, CULTURAL HERITAGE AND TOURISM

2-year MASTER'S DEGREES

LM 49 International Tourism and Destination Management
Double Degree with the Katholische Universität Eichstätt-Ingolstadt KU / GERMANY

DOUBLE OR MULTIPLE DEGREE COURSES

Double or multiple degree programmes consist of an integrated study path created through international agreements with foreign Universities. Eligible students attend part

DEPARTMENT OF LAW

3-year BACHELOR'S DEGREES

L14 International, European and Comparative Legal Studies

DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCES, COMMUNICATION AND INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

2-year MASTER'S DEGREE

LM 52 International Relations
Double Degree with the Taras Shevchenko University of Kiev / UKRAINE
Double Degree with the European University Viadrina - Frankfurt (Oder) / GERMANY
Double Degree with the University of Campinas / BRAZIL



Enrol at UniMC

UniMC offers a wide range of degree programmes in the social sciences and the humanities.

To apply for a **bachelor's programme**, you must have a high school qualification obtained after a minimum of 12 years in school.

To apply for a **master's programme**, you must have a bachelor's degree (or an equivalent qualification) from an accredited higher education institution. Your degree must meet specific curricular requirements and give access to postgraduate studies in the country in which it was awarded.

APPLY TO UNIMC

Step 1: Pre-admission application

If you hold an international qualification, you must submit a pre-admission application between autumn and spring of the academic year before you plan to enrol. The process is simple and is done entirely online via the dedicated portal:

apply.unimc.it. Once your application is submitted, it will be evaluated by a selection committee based on the admission requirements of the chosen degree programme. If your qualifications meet the entry criteria, you will be able to move forward with the next steps.

Step 2: Pre-enrolment on Universitaly (for visa applicants only)

If you live outside Italy and require a visa to study, you must complete a pre-enrolment procedure through the national portal: **https://www.universitaly.it**. This step is essential to request a **student visa** from the Italian Embassy or Consulate in your country.

The pre-enrolment phase typically opens in the spring and follows the calendar set by the Italian Ministry of University and Research.

Step 3: Enrolment at UniMC

From **15 July to 31 October**, you can register and enrol in your chosen degree programme through the online portal: **studenti.unimc.it**.

After completing your online registration, you must send the required documents to the **Departmental Registrar's Office** to finalise your enrolment. For full details and step-by-step guidance, visit: **unimc.it/en/enrollment**



Tuition fees and financial aid

TUITION FEES

Article 34 of the Italian Constitution states that *“capable and deserving students, even if lacking financial means, have the right to attain the highest levels of education.”* In line with this principle, UniMC ensures that tuition fees do not prevent economically disadvantaged students from accessing higher education.

The **maximum annual tuition fee** for full-time enrolment in a bachelor's or master's degree programme is approximately €1,600.00.

Tuition fees are paid in **four instalments**:
1st instalment

due by 31 October €156,00 (includes a €140.00 regional tax for the right to study and a €16.00 stamp duty))

2nd instalment due by 31 January

3rd instalment due by 31 March

4th instalment due by 31 May

The exact amount you pay may vary depending on your financial situation and country of origin. For more details on fee reductions and scholarships, please visit: **unimc.it/en**

FEE REDUCTION

The total tuition fees can be considerably reduced if you meet specific conditions. All international students residing abroad may apply for a reduction of the yearly tuition fees when enrolment and merit requirements are satisfied.

The 2025/2026 fee reductions are as specified below:

_ Students from an extremely poor and developing country pay € 156,00 per year
_ Students from a non-OECD member country pay € 156,00 per year
_ Students from an OECD member country pay € 807,00 per year
Scholarship awardees are exempted from paying fees.

https://www.unimc.it/en/enrollment/fees-reduction-exemption/fees-reduction

UNIMC SCHOLARSHIPS

UniMC supports capable and deserving international students wishing to pursue their education in Italy. In particular, the most talented international students enrolling in the first year of a bachelor's or a master's degree programme are awarded scholarships worth €10,000.00, including a total exemption from payment of fees for the entire duration of their studies.
https://www.unimc.it/en/international/scholarships-for-international-students

INVEST YOUR TALENT IN ITALY SCHOLARSHIPS

UniMC is a proud partner of the **Invest Your Talent in Italy (IYT)** programme, which offers scholarships to students from the following countries: Azerbaijan, Armenia, Bangladesh, Brazil, Colombia, Egypt, Ethiopia, Ghana, India, Indonesia, Iran, Kazakhstan, Mexico, People's Republic of China, Republic of Korea, Tunisia, Türkiye, and Vietnam. The programme allows selected students to enrol in *English-taught master's programmes* at Italian universities, including UniMC. It combines academic study with practical training through internships at Italian companies.

IYT is promoted by the **Italian Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation** (Directorate General for Public and Cultural Diplomacy), the **Ministry of University and Research, ITA – Italian Trade Agency**, and **Uni-Italia**.
A call for applications is published annually.

More information:
investyourtalentapplication.esteri.it

ITALIAN GOVERNMENT (MAECI) SCHOLARSHIP

The **Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation (MAECI)** offers scholarships for the **2025/26 academic year** in order to foster international cooperation in cultural, scientific and technological fields, to promote the Italian language and culture and to support the Italian economic system in the world. These grants are available to **foreign citizens** and **Italian citizens living abroad (IRE)** who wish to pursue **study, training, or research programmes at public or legally recognized Italian institutions**. Scholarships are exclusively available for courses taught in Italy. For more information, including the list of eligible countries and the application procedure, visit the official website: **studyinitaly.esteri.it**

ERDIS SCHOLARSHIPS

The Regional Authority for the Right to Higher Education (ERDIS Marche) offers scholarships allowing economically disadvantaged and deserving students to study at UniMC. Details of the selection process are published yearly on the ERDIS website. The call for applications is launched yearly.
erdis.it