



UNIVERSITY
OF TRENTO

Guide for international students



UniTrento in numbers

Established in
1962



3.850
Master
Students

620
PhD
Students

17.000
enrolled
students

12.530
Bachelor
Students

1.300
International
Students

640

Professors and
Researchers

40

Visiting
Professors

730

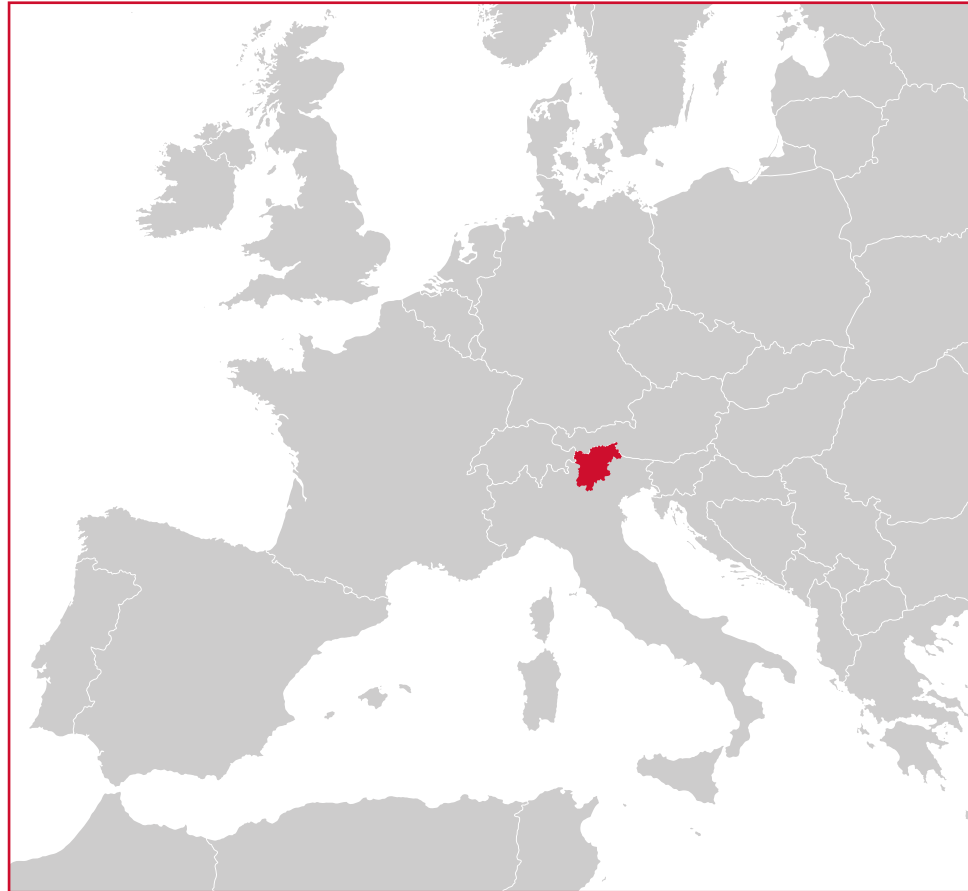
Administrative
staff



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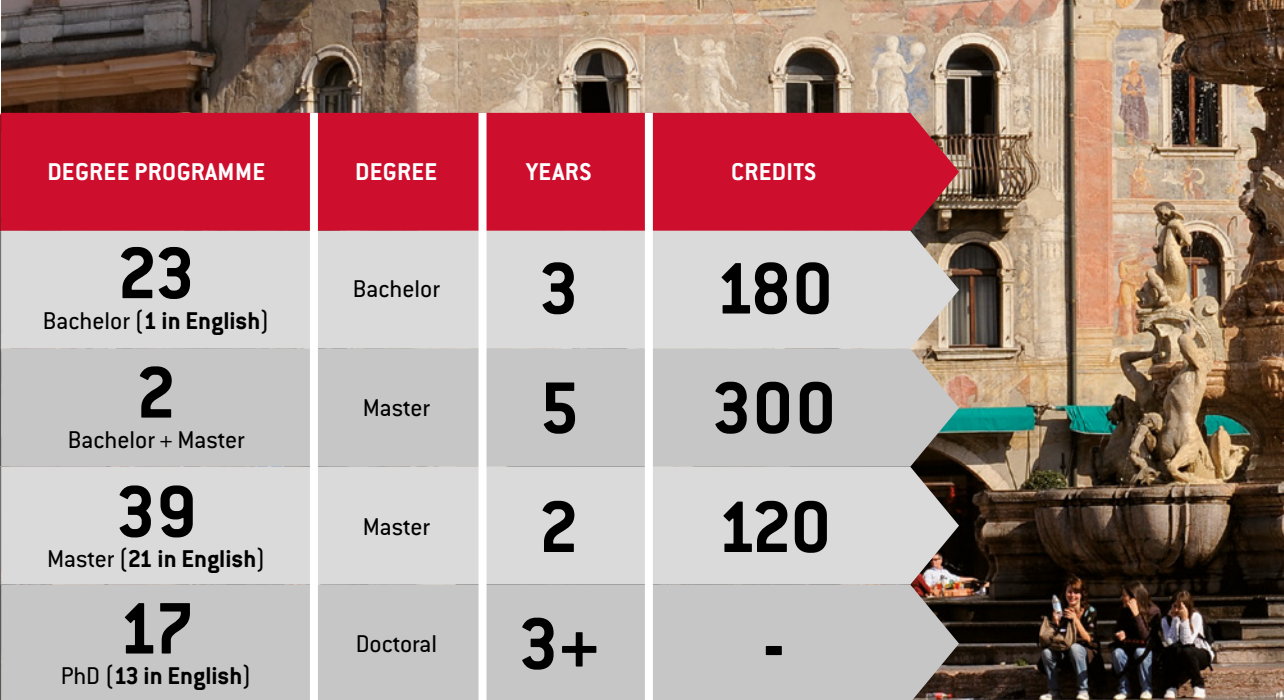
The University of Trento is a dynamic, medium-sized, research-oriented university, with excellent teaching and research opportunities and top-notch facilities. It is located in the North-East of Italy, a short distance from Austria and Switzerland, in one of the most gorgeous natural environment in the world, the Dolomites, UNESCO World Heritage.

Trento is one of the 10 IEEE smart cities in the world, has a very high quality of life and high academic standards, focusing on research, teaching, university facilities and services. A human scale city with efficient services, Trento provides the ideal learning environment to students and researchers.

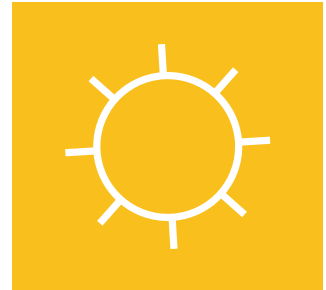


Academic offer

UniTrento offers a wide range of excellent Bachelor's, Master's and PhD's programmes: their quality is the result of recognized scientific achievements, international cooperative projects, and effective worldwide industrial cooperation.



DEGREE PROGRAMME	DEGREE	YEARS	CREDITS
23 Bachelor (1 in English)	Bachelor	3	180
2 Bachelor + Master	Master	5	300
39 Master (21 in English)	Master	2	120
17 PhD (13 in English)	Doctoral	3+	-



Semesters

Fall semester

lectures from
September to December

Winter exam session

January-February

Spring semester

lectures from
February to June

Summer exam session

June-July

Academic structures

The University's 11 Departments and 3 Centres cover a wide range of academic subjects and specializations.

For detailed information on each course please check the dedicated webpage: international.unitn.it/incoming/dss-academic-offer



Department of Cellular, Computational and Integrative Biology - CIBIO




Bachelor

Biomolecular Science and Technologies

Master

Cellular and Molecular Biotechnology 
Quantitative and Computational Biology 
Sport Science and Physical Performance

PhD

Biomolecular Sciences 

Department of Civil, Environmental and Mechanical Engineering





Bachelor

Civil Engineering
Engineering for the Environment and the Territory


Bachelor-Master

Constructing Engineering/Architecture (five-year degree course)

Master

Civil Engineering
Engineering for the Environment and the Territory
Energy Engineering 
Environmental Meteorology 

PhD

Civil, Environmental and Mechanical Engineering 



Department of Information Engineering and Computer Science




Bachelor

Computer, Communication and Electronic Engineering
Computer Science

Master

Information and Communication Engineering 
Computer Science 

PhD

Information and Communication Technology 



Department of Industrial Engineering





Bachelor

Industrial Engineering

Master

Materials and Production Engineering 
Mechatronics Engineering 

PhD

Materials, Mechatronics and Systems Engineering 
Industrial Innovation 



Department of Mathematics



Bachelor

Mathematics

Master

Mathematics 
Data Science 

PhD

Mathematics 

Department of
Physics



Bachelor

Physics

Master

Physics



PhD

Physics



Centre of
Agriculture Food
Environment - C3A



Bachelor

Viticulture and Oenology

PhD

Agrifood and Environmental
Sciences



Department of
Economics and
Management



Bachelor

Business Management

Economics and Management

Law and Business Administration

Master

Behavioural and Applied
Economics



Economics and Business
Legislation

European Master in Business
Studies



Finance

International Management



Innovation Management



Management

Management of Sustainability
and Tourism

PhD

Development Economics and
Local Systems



Economics and Management



Department of
Sociology and Social
Research



Bachelor

International Studies


Social Work

Sociology


Master

Management of Organizations
and of the Territory

Methodology, Organization and
Evaluation of Social Services

Sociology and
Social Research 

PhD

Sociology
and Social Research 

Department of
Humanities



Bachelor

Cultural Heritage

Historical and Philological
Studies

Modern Languages

Philosophy

Master

Art

Euro-American Literatures,
Translation and Literary Critics

Historical Sciences

Linguistic Mediation, Tourism and
Culture

Musicology

Philology and Literary Critics

Philosophy and Languages of
Modern Times

Quaternary, Prehistory and
Archaeology

PhD

European Cultures. Environment,
Contexts, Histories, Arts, Ideas
Forms of Cultural Exchange

Faculty of
Law



Bachelor

Comparative, European and
International Legal Studies 

Bachelor-Master

Law (five-year degree course)


PhD


Comparative and European Legal
Studies


School of
International Studies




Master

European and International
Studies 

International Security
Studies 

Security, Intelligence and
Strategic Studies 

PhD

International Studies 

Department of
Psychology and
Cognitive Science



Bachelor


Interfaces and Communications
Technologies

Science and Techniques of
Cognitive Psychology

Vocational Education

Master

Psychology

Human-Computer Interaction 


PhD

Cognitive Science


Centre of
Mind/Brain Sciences -
CIMEC



Master

Cognitive Science 

PhD

Cognitive and Brain Sciences 

UniTrento international dimension

38 double degree programmes

7 EIT double degree programmes

160 bilateral agreements with extra-EU partners

400 Erasmus+ partner (EU and extra-EU)

2 joint master degree programmes with international universities

2 Erasmus Mundus joint master degrees

1.100 outgoing students per year

450 incoming students per year



Rankings



Censis
Ranking 2019

1st

among medium
sized Italian
universities

THE Times Higher
Education Rankings
2019
#251-300

5th

among the 39 Italian
universities present
in the ranking

QS World University
Rankings 2020
#389

9th

among the 34 Italian
universities present
in the ranking

Exchange students

Students interested in an exchange period at UniTrento should be firstly selected by their home university, both fulfilling the requirements of the specific international programme and those of UniTrento study courses.

UniTrento offers classes in foreign languages available at the following link: international.unitn.it/incoming/choose-your-courses. The admission to these classes is not always guaranteed: specific academic and linguistic requirements may be foreseen.

Furthermore, exchange students with Italian proficiency can attend classes taught in Italian.

The classes choice must be pre-approved by the home university and by UniTrento through a Learning Agreement, that the exchange student has to draft before the arrival.

For more detailed information please visit the web pages dedicated to the specific mobility programme:

international.unitn.it/incoming/programmes.

**Exchange students
application deadlines:**

May 31st

for applications for the Fall semester (Sept-Dec)

October 31st

for applications for the Spring semester (Feb-Jun)



Degree seeking students

Students interested in attending a whole Bachelor's or Master's course at UniTrento can choose among different areas. Admission to the courses is selective and specific academic and language requirements apply to each course.

Interested candidates must submit a complete online application package typically **between November and February**, with an extended deadline for European students in **June**. Non-European students living abroad must pre-enrol at the Italian Diplomatic Representation of reference, typically **between April and July**.

Scholarships

Students admitted to the Bachelor's or Master's courses can be awarded a scholarship according to the following selection criteria:

- **Non-EU citizens living abroad:** admission score and academic performance. Top scored candidates will be entitled to receive a scholarship from UniTrento for the yearly amount of **€5.200** that can be confirmed for the following year(s) according to the student's performance [credits earned]. Students who benefit from this scholarship are waived from tuition fees.
- **EU citizens and Non-EU citizens living in Italy:** financial situation and academic performance. After being admitted to the chosen course, students can apply for Opera Universitaria scholarships, awarded by the local University Guild, which range from **€2.500** to **€5.100** per year according to the student's financial situation. Students who benefit from this scholarship are waived from tuition fees.

Degree seeking students in the frame of international mobility programmes (for instance: Erasmus Mundus Joint Master Degree, Double Degree) should refer to the requirements of the specific mobility programme.



Services and facilities for international students



Welcome service

International students are supported by the International Mobility Offices when they need to deal with visa procedure, health insurance, and general information on university life in Trento. Welcome activities are regularly organized to help international students to meet each other and get acquainted with the new surrounding environment: orientation weeks, welcome days, welcome drink.

Cultural Visits and Excursions

Guided visits in town and exciting excursions in the surroundings are organized once a month during the academic year.



Italy for beginners

A 30-hour-seminar offering to new-comers a wide overview on different aspects of Italian culture: from history to geography, from social to linguistic issues, from cinema to arts and literature. Participants get 6 credits.

Tandem Language Learning

It is an opportunity to improve skills in a foreign language outside the classroom, in a more relaxed and informal context. It is a meeting between native speakers of different languages who wish to improve their level of proficiency in a foreign language, by speaking together and learning about each other's cultures.

Tutor-buddy programme

The Buddy programme is thought to help new students settle in to student life and studying and aims at offering informal and friendly support by current students to all international students.

Accommodation

International students are entitled to on-campus accommodation according to the availability of places. Degree seeking and PhD students are entitled to accommodation for the first academic year of their stay in Trento.

Maximum cost for on-campus accommodation:

270 euro/month in shared double room

330 euro/month in single room

University Restaurants

International students receive a University card to access the 5 University canteens in Trento. Students in Rovereto may access some restaurants at discounted rates.



University Library System

Access to university libraries and to the majority of library services is free and open to all students. The University Library System includes a Central Library, designed by the Renzo Piano Building Workshop and opened in 2016.

Borrow a bike

The Bicycle loan service offers to international students accommodated on-campus 250 bicycles.

Bus pass

Degree seeking and exchange students can buy a bus pass for 50 euros per academic year and use all trains and buses, both urban and extra-urban service, in the whole Trentino province.

UniTrento Sport

Members have free access to University sports facilities; discounts on town sports centres, swimming-pools, ski-lifts; possibility to participate in competitions, sports events.



IT Services

Students enrolled at UniTrento have open access to IT services: computer rooms, online networks and services.



Test Centre

UniTrento is Test Centre for the following international tests:

ECDL European Computer Driving Licence

GMAT Graduate Management Admission Test

TOEFL Test of English as a Foreign Language

Language Centre

UniTrento provides language courses in several languages, at different levels, taught by native speakers. FREE for foreign students in the frame of international mobility programmes, if foreseen in the study plan.

On campus jobs

Students enrolled at UniTrento have the opportunity to carry out paid part-time working activities at the University.

Counselling

A service of linguistic and intercultural mediation to help students with any relational problems. Moreover, a psychological service supports students in case of any difficulties during their stay in Trento.

Job Guidance

The Job Guidance Service of UniTrento organizes on a regular basis seminars with companies, on-campus interviews with recruiters, career days, individual coaching sessions and placement days. It also offers personal guidance for a successful career after graduation and it promotes and activates internships in public and private companies.

Service for disability inclusion

Students with a disability or special needs are entitled to a dedicated assistance service. According to the need, students are provided with technical and educational tools and receive a dedicated support. Beside a practical assistance, economic and accommodation facilities are also available.



CONTACT DETAILS

Offices dealing with international mobility

International Mobility Office

Social Sciences and Humanities Area (Trento)

Via Verdi 8 - 38122 Trento

Email: mobility-ssh@unitn.it

Science and Technology Area (Povo/Mesiano)

Via Sommarive 5 - 38123 Povo - Trento (TN)

Via Mesiano 77 - 38123 Trento

Email: mobility-st@unitn.it

Cognitive Science Area (Rovereto)

Corso Bettini, 84 - 38068 Rovereto (TN)

Email: mobility-cs@unitn.it

Service supporting incoming students

E-mail: welcome@unitn.it

Office dealing with International Partnerships and Programmes

International Relations Division

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E-mail: international@unitn.it