



UNIVERSITA' DEGLI STUDI DI MILANO
PROGRAMME DESCRIPTION - ACADEMIC YEAR 2024/25
BACHELOR

Human Science of Environment, Landscape and Territory (Classe L-6)
Enrolled from 2021/2022

HEADING

Degree classification - Denomination and code:	L-6 Geography
Degree title:	Dottore
Length of course:	3 years
Total number of credits required to complete programme:	180
Years of course currently available:	3rd
Access procedures:	Open, subject to completion of self-assessment test prior to enrolment
Course code:	C37

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CHARACTERISTICS OF DEGREE PROGRAMME

General and specific learning objectives

The Bachelor's degree programme in Human Science of Environment, Landscape and Territory aims to train graduates with strong skills in physical and human geography, and the applications thereof. Students will also learn the fundamental theoretical and methodological bases of geography, physical geography, psychology, anthropology, law, economics, sociology, history, literature, art and urban-planning. They will thus learn how to conduct a scientific analysis of territorial systems and the cultural landscape, in order to assess the environmental and social impact of human action on territorial systems. With a view to professional training, the degree programme includes two specific guided tracks. The first one is oriented towards territory enhancement, with a focus on the tourism sector. The second one focuses on the environment and sustainable development.

In compliance with the principles of European harmonization, the final qualifications of the first cycle may be awarded to

students with the required skills in geography and other areas of the humanities and natural sciences, who have honed, through a global and synthetic study approach, the ability to use the analytical and interpretative tools of geography and human sciences for the interpretation, representation and communication of the construction and evolution of environments, territories, landscapes, cultures and societies.

These skills will be supported by proficiency in at least one language of the European Union, in addition to Italian, and by the ability to use IT tools in document collection, information processing and management, cartographic representation and communication to the public.

Graduates will be able to enter the world of work with conceptual and operational skills as well as a sound theoretical education.

Learning outcomes will be assessed through exams, laboratory or internship activities and the final paper.

Expected learning outcomes

The degree programme in Human Sciences of Environment, Landscape and Territory aims to train graduates with strong skills in physical and human geography, and the applications thereof. Students will also be trained in the fundamental theoretical and methodological bases in the geographical, physical, psychological, anthropological, legal, economic, social, historical, literary, artistic and urban-planning disciplines. They will thus learn how to conduct a scientific analysis of territorial systems and the cultural landscape, in order to assess the environmental and social impact of human action on territorial systems. With a view to professional training, the degree programme includes two specific guided courses. The first one is oriented towards territory enhancement, with a focus on the tourism sector. The second one focuses on the environment and sustainable development.

In compliance with the principles of European harmonization, the final qualifications of the first cycle can be awarded to students provided with the required skills in geography and other areas of the humanities and natural sciences, who have achieved, through a global and synthetic study approach, the ability to use the analytical and interpretive tools of geography and human sciences for the interpretation, representation and communication of the construction and evolution of environments, territories, landscapes, cultures and societies.

These skills will be supported by good knowledge of at least one language of the European Union, in addition to Italian, and by the ability to use IT tools in document collection, information processing and management, cartographic representation and communication to the public.

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Professional profile and employment opportunities

Graduates may work in public and private institutions requiring professionals with the specific skills provided by the degree programme, as well as in: representation and analysis of the territory, identification and enhancement of resources and the related economic and political phenomena, promotion of cultural and natural tourism, intercultural management. There are also employment opportunities in specialized publishing.

For the above-mentioned purposes, the degree programme includes training activities providing operational skills, also with reference to cultural and environmental services.

Initial knowledge required

Requisites

Candidates applying for admission to the Bachelor's Degree Programme in Environmental Humanities must hold an Italian high school diploma or an equivalent diploma obtained abroad.

Requisites also include general and regional geographical knowledge of Italy, European, and world countries, knowledge of the principal interactions between human society and the environment, good logical and expressive competencies, and good ability to understand and produce written texts.

Verification of requisites

Admission is granted after taking an obligatory, non-selective orientation and self-evaluation test. The TOLC (Test OnLine CISIA) is a set of tests that assess the baseline preparation of future university students. Given by CISIA (Consorzio Interuniversitario Sistemi Integrati per l'Accesso), the TOLC can be taken at various sites throughout Italy and includes specific tests also required by the University of Milan for admission to open admissions and limited enrolment programmes. For information, consult the Information and Enrolment Modes section.

Additional Learning Requirements and how to fulfil them

Students may enrol at the University regardless of their score on the test. If their score on the section "Written comprehension and knowledge of the Italian language" (Comprensione del testo e conoscenza della lingua italiana) is below the cut-off specified in the announcement, the student will acquire Additional Learning Requirements (Obblighi Formativi Aggiuntivi – OFA) in order to fulfil continuing enrolment requirements. The OFA must be fulfilled within the first year of the programme via special remedial activities provided by the University. The procedure and consequences of lack of

fulfilment of OFAs are found on the web page:

<https://www.unimi.it/it/corsi/facolta-e-scuole/studi-umanistici/studiare-studi-umanistici/recupero-degli-obblighi-formativi-aggiuntivi-ofa-i-corsi-di-studi-umanistici>

Compulsory attendance

Attendance is strongly recommended

Degree programme final exams

After having acquired the necessary 171 academic credits (CFU) pursuant to regulations in force, the student is admitted to the final exam (9 CFU) for his or her degree.

Notes

In order to obtain their degree, students must be proficient in English at a B1 level under the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR). This proficiency level may be certified as follows:

- Through a language certificate, earned within three years prior to the date of submission, at a B1 level or higher. For the list of language certificates recognised by the University, please review: <https://www.unimi.it/en/node/297/>). The certificate must be uploaded during the enrolment procedure, or subsequently to the portal <http://studente.unimi.it/uploadCertificazioniLingue>;

- Through a Placement Test, which is delivered by the University Language Centre (SLAM) during year I only, from October to December. Students who fail the test will be required to take a SLAM course.

The Placement Test is mandatory for all students who do not hold a valid certificate.

Those who do not sit the Placement Test by December, or who fail to pass the end-of-course test within six attempts, must obtain a paid certificate by graduation.

EXPERIENCE OF STUDY ABROAD AS PART OF THE TRAINING PROGRAM

The University of Milan supports international mobility by providing its students with the opportunity to spend study and internship periods abroad. It is a unique chance to enrich your educational path in a new exciting environment.

The agreements entered into by the University with over 300 universities from the 27 EU member countries under the European Erasmus+ programme allow regularly enrolled students to carry out part of their studies at one of the partner universities or to undertake internships at companies, training and research centres and other organizations.

Similar international mobility opportunities are provided outside Europe, through agreements with a number of prestigious institutions.

Study and internships abroad

The Study Programme promotes student mobility abroad, especially through Erasmus. We also have numerous Erasmus students from European universities.

Students interested in Erasmus mobility can attend dedicated meetings with the contact person for the Study Programme, and ask specific questions regarding the call for applications, available locations and exams to be taken abroad.

Our partner universities are in France, Germany and Poland.

Current international agreements are available at the following link: <https://www.unimi.it/it/internazionale/la-statale-nel-mondo/accordi-internazionali>

How to participate in Erasmus mobility programs

How to participate in Erasmus+ mobility programmes

The students of the University of Milan can participate in mobility programmes, through a public selection procedure.

Ad hoc commissions will evaluate:

- Academic career
- the candidate's proposed study programme abroad
- his/her foreign language proficiency
- the reasons behind his/her application

Call for applications and informative meetings

The public selection for Erasmus+ mobility for study generally begins around February each year with the publication of a call for applications specifying destinations and requirements. Regarding the Erasmus+ Mobility for Traineeship, the University of Milan usually publishes two calls a year enabling students to choose a destination defined by an inter-institutional agreement or to find a traineeship position on their own.

The University organizes informative meetings to illustrate mobility opportunities and rules for participation.

Erasmus+ scholarship

The European Union grants the winners of the Erasmus+ programme selection a scholarship to contribute to their mobility costs, which may be supplemented by the University funding for disadvantaged students.

Language courses

Students who pass the selections for mobility programmes can benefit from intensive foreign language courses offered each year by the University Language Centre (SLAM).
<https://www.unimi.it/en/node/8/>

Learn more at <https://www.unimi.it/en/node/274/>

For assistance, please contact:
 International Mobility Office
 Via Santa Sofia 9 (second floor)
 Tel. 02 503 13501-12589-13495-13502
 Contacts: InformaStudenti; mobility.out@unimi.it
 Student Desk booking through InformaStudenti

1st COURSE YEAR (disactivated from academic year 2023/24) Core/compulsory courses/activities common		
Learning activity	Ects	Sector
Cultural anthropology	9	M-DEA/01
English assessment B1 (3 ECTS)	3	ND
Geography Theories and Praxis	9	M-GGR/01
Italian literature	9	L-FIL-LET/10
Physical geography	9	GEO/04
Political and Economic Geography	9	M-GGR/02
Total compulsory credits		48
Elective courses		
Contemporary History	9	M-STO/04
Economic History	9	SECS-P/12
2nd COURSE YEAR (disactivated from academic year 2024/25) Core/compulsory courses/activities common		
Learning activity	Ects	Sector
English language	6	L-LIN/12
Social and Environmental Psychology	9	M-PSI/05
Urban studies	6	ICAR/21
Total compulsory credits		21
Elective courses		
Arab Culture I	9	L-OR/12
Chinese Culture I	9	L-OR/21
Ethnomusicology	9	L-ART/08
Francophone Cultures I	9	L-LIN/03
Hispanic American Culture I	9	L-LIN/06
Indian Culture I	9	L-OR/19
Linguistics	9	L-LIN/01
Development Geography	9	M-GGR/01
Population Geography	9	M-GGR/01
Urban geography	9	M-GGR/01
3rd COURSE YEAR Core/compulsory courses/activities common		
Learning activity	Ects	Sector
Geographical Information System GIS	9	INF/01
Principles of economics	6	SECS-P/01
Total compulsory credits		15
Elective courses		
Administrative and environment law	6	IUS/10
Environmental Geography	9	M-GGR/01
Environmental Politics	9	M-GGR/01
Laws on cultural heritage	6	IUS/10
Territorial Marketing	9	AGR/01
Tourism Geography	9	M-GGR/02
Further elective courses		
Teaching workshop/stage		
9 CFU for students enrolled before the 2019/2020 academic year;		
6 CFU for students enrolled from the 2019/2020 academic year;		
for:		
- further cartographic, IT, digital, language skills for the latter, visit: https://www.unimi.it/it/studiare/competenze-		

linguistiche/altre lingue-test e corsi/studi umanistici-accertamento della conoscenza di lingua francese-spagnola-e-tedesca-3-cfu); - workshops on environmental education, regional description and multimedia representation, writing and image technique; - work experience, training and orientation internships, placement.			
12-CFU electives You can take elective courses from Bachelor's degree programmes, in order to delve into subjects available within your track. You will thus earn additional credits (up to 12 CFU per course).			
<i>End of course requirements</i>			
Final exam		9	NA
Total compulsory credits		9	