



**SELECTION CALL FOR DOUBLE DEGREE PROGRAM
MOBILITY DURING THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2024-2025**

The University of Milan- UNIMI has established an agreement with [The University of Galway/School of Law - UOG](#) for the activation of a Double Degree program of “LLM in Law and Sustainable Development” at UNIMI and LLM programs at UOG, namely, the following ones:

- “LLM in International & Comparative Business Law”;
- “LLM in International Migration and Refugee Law and Policy”;
- “LLM in Peace Operations, Humanitarian Law and Conflict”;
- “LLM in International Human Rights”;
- “LLM, General”;
- “LLM in International Criminal Law”;
- “LLM in International and Comparative Disability Law and Policy”

On the basis of the agreement, n° 2 places are available to study abroad at partner university.

Study program provisions

The study abroad period will last one academic year, and will take place during the second year of Master Degree. It will be recognized as part of the academic program.

The “LLM in Sustainable Development” at UNIMI is a second-level university program lasting two years for a total of 120 ECTS credits.

The “LLM Programs” at UOG are second-level university programs, each of which lasts one year and is worth 60 ECTS credits.

The study abroad period will be agreed and formalized through a Learning Agreement signed between the academic coordinators of both Universities (Home and Host Institution) and the student, prior to departure. A draft of L.A. will be provided.

UNIMI students taking part in the Double Degree program will simultaneously be recognized as UOG students registered in one of the above mentioned LLM Programs.

The participants will also write their Master’s dissertation under the co-direction of supervisors of partner university and UNIMI.



Admission requirements

Applicants must be regularly enrolled, in the current academic year, as first-year students in the Sustainable Development course.

UNIMI students selected for the Double Degree international program will enrol at UOG after paying the [standard tuition fees](#).

The following eligibility requirements must be satisfied when applying:

- a. applicants must meet the following English language requirements:

Direct Entry (no-pre-sessional)	IELTS	Cambridge C1 Advanced/ (CAE)	Cambridge C2 Advanced (CPE)	TOEFL iBT/ TOEFL iBT Home Edition	Pearson PTE
	6.5 overall , no less than 5.5 in any one component.	176 overall	180 overall	88 overall 7 Listening 16 Speaking 18 Writing 8 Reading	61 overall , no less than 48 in any one component.

- b. applicants must have earned at least half of the ECTS credits associated with the first term courses and the other compulsory learning activities of the Sustainable Development program;
- c. the applicants' weighted cumulative grade point average for courses and other learning activities as in point b. above, must be no less than 25/30.

Mobility requirements

Selected students must be regularly enrolled in their second year of the above-mentioned study program for the a.y. 2024-2025.



The status of student, guaranteed by the regular payment of UNIMI fees, must be maintained for the entire duration of the study period abroad.

A selected candidate will be allowed to spend the second year at the host University only if a minimum amount of 60 ECTS credits assigned to courses and other compulsory learning activities of the first-year Sustainable Development program has been earned.

Attention: should it not be allowed to reach the destination country, upon the consent of the Partner University, the exchange program will be held on a virtual basis.

Application procedure

Applicants must submit their application through the platform [elixForms](#).

Documents required are the following:

1. copy of a valid identity document, possibly a passport if already in the possession of the candidate (pdf);
2. detailed curriculum vitae (pdf);
3. transcript of undergraduate/graduate academic career, including the matriculation number, the grades obtained in all the exams taken up until the date of the application submission and the final grade for the graduation (screenshot of the relevant UNIMIA page- pdf). Students that have graduated in a different University than UNIMI must fill up the form [Dichiarazione sostitutiva di certificazione \(box 1\)](#) or provide, if available, the academic career self-certification from the University website where they graduated, with the information related to their undergraduate degree and career records;
4. brief statement of purpose in English, a letter explaining the personal motivations for the mobility (pdf);
5. English language requirements certification (pdf);
6. any other document or qualification deemed relevant to the selection (pdf.)

Application deadline

All the documents required must be sent by **May, 30th, 2024 at 12 pm** (Italian local time), under penalty of exclusion from the selection.



Selection procedures

The applications will be assessed by a selection committee, composed by Professors: Antonia Baraggia, Luca Galli, Alessandra Osti and Benedetta Cappiello (alternate member).

The committee will interview the applicants on **June, 3rd, 2024**, at **12 pm** via videoconference on the platform Microsoft Teams on invitation by the Commission.

Participation in the interview is mandatory, under penalty of exclusion from the selection procedure.

After completing the interviews, the committee will rank the candidates according to their merit.

For each candidate the overall score will be obtained by summing up the following partial scores:

1. academic career (up to 50/100);
2. curriculum vitae (up to 20/100);
3. motivation letter (up to 15/100);
4. proficiency in English according to IELTS or TOEFL certificates (up to 15/100).

Only candidates achieving an overall score of at least 75/100 will qualify for the Double Degree program.

Selection results

The final ranking will be published online on the UNIMI website [here](#) by **June, 10th, 2024**. No personal communication will be sent to the candidates.

The positions of winners of the ranking will be automatically confirmed as selected candidates. Any withdrawal must be sent within 3 days from the online publication of the ranking, through this [link](#).

Ufficio Mobilità internazionale e per la Promozione internazionale (The Office) will contact any eligible student who will replace the renouncer in the ranking.

The Office will send the data of the selected candidates to the Host Universities for final approval.

All the information necessary for this purpose will be communicated by e-mail. It will be the responsibility of the selected student to carefully check the e-mail address communicated at the time of application: it is strongly recommended to use the UNIMI institutional address.



Insurance coverage

During their stay abroad, the selected students will be covered by UNIMI insurance for third party liability and accidents, exclusively during the performance of institutional activities at the Host university.

Mobility costs

For the attendance of the courses, the host University will waive tuition and fees. Travel and accommodation expenses, including any supplementary insurance, are borne by the student, except as indicated below.

Financial aspects

The University of Milan will award a grant according to the student's income, based on ISEE statement as already submitted to Divisione Segreteria Studenti.

Here below the awarding criteria:

ISEE (€)	Monthly allowance (€)
less or equal to 13.000	500
from 13.000 to 21.000	450
from 21.000 to 26.000	400
from 26.000 to 30.000 and further	350

The amount of the grant corresponds to the actual period of mobility spent abroad. Should it last shorter than that established by the call will result in a partial refund of the grant itself.

Confidentiality

Pursuant to EU Regulation 2016/679 GDPR and Legislative Decree no.196/2003 and ss. mm. ii, with regard to the protection of personal data, the Institution undertakes to respect the confidential nature of the information provided by the Participant: all data provided will be processed only for the purposes connected and instrumental to participation in the Program. Information on the implementation of legislation on the processing of personal data is available on the [University website](#) at: Home> University> Regulations> Privacy.



Information and contacts

Further information on didactic issues will be provided by the academic coordinator, [Professor Antonia Baraggia](#).

For information on administrative issues related to the call and to all aspects relating to mobility, students are invited to consult our Guide to the Double Degree Mobility (available [here](#)).

They may also get in touch with the Office at international.education@unimi.it.

For information on administrative issues related to academic Double Degree career, students are invited to contact International Students and Double Degree Programme Office, doubledegree@unimi.it.

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