LOCAL DEVELOPMENT

The Master’s degree provides a thorough understanding of the specific social, organisational, economic, territorial and institutional forms and dynamics that characterise local development processes in different contexts and at different levels of development. It offers an in-depth knowledge of the different methodologies used for the formulation, implementation, monitoring and evaluation of programmes for local development and promotes the implementation of sustainability process. Its intrinsic multicultural and multilingual dimension is reinforced by international partnerships and mobility agreements.
LEVEL Master

SCHOOL Human and Social Sciences and Cultural Heritage

DEPARTMENT Historical and Geographic Sciences and the Ancient World

DURATION 2 years (120 ECTS)

START DATE October

LOCATION Padua, Italy

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• Bachelor’s degree or equivalent, with proven skills in Political Science, International Relations and Diplomacy, International Economics, Management, Cooperation and Development, Intercultural Communication, Media and Cultural Studies, International Law, Political Philosophy, Geography, Social Psychology, Sociology
• English language: B2 level (CEFR) or equivalent

PROGRAMME STRUCTURE
The programme is multidisciplinary and the curricular contents cover integrated knowledge in economic, sociological, statistical, historical-geographical, sociopedagogical and anthropological areas. During the second year, on-site traineeship will enable the students to carry out research that could be the starting point for the Master’s degree final exam.

TUITION FEES AND SCHOLARSHIPS
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