



# LIVING UNICAM



since 1336



## GENERAL INFORMATION

The University of Camerino, seven centuries after its foundation, offers innovation and quality in a setting of higher education structured on a human scale.

UNICAM is the first university in Italy to introduce quality control procedures (ISO 9001:2000, by the certifying company AFAQ France) for all its institutional activities and services.



Good teaching methods, excellent professor/student ratio (1 professor for 25 students) and excellent infrastructures (laboratories and libraries).

Out of 8,000 registered students the percentage of international students has reached 10%, more than three times the national average.

### Contacts

<http://www.unicam.it>

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### Welcome Office

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## GOOD REASONS TO CHOOSE UNICAM

Choosing the University of Camerino for study and research means you are choosing a first class institution of higher education structured on a human scale in a safe, friendly place with a truly international atmosphere.

We offer a positive, productive and creative environment where your personal objective can be reached, thanks to small size classes, excellent facilities and services, and an excellent professor/student ratio.

International students are a very important and valued part of the University of Camerino, making up nearly 10% of the student body.

UNICAM has a long and respected tradition in quality teaching and quality scientific research.

Research projects and Technological Transfer are of top priority. Today under the new statute, Faculties and Departments have been merged into five autonomous structures called **University Schools** which are responsible for conducting and coordinating research, training, transfer of skills and knowledge services (Architecture and Design, Pharmacy, Law, Sciences and Technologies, Biosciences and Veterinary Medicine,) in **four campuses** (Camerino, Ascoli Piceno, Matelica, San Benedetto del Tronto) across the Marche region.

UNICAM offers a varied choice of degrees held in Italian and in English, as well as opportunities to continue studies with **post-graduated Masters, courses of Specialization and Doctoral degrees**.

In the green heart of Italy, the University of Camerino offers students invaluable tranquillity for study.

**We have respect for different ideas.**

**We offer a friendly, productive and creative environment.**

**We give you an experience that prepares you for a lifetime of achievement.**



## **UNICAM: 5 UNIVERSITY SCHOOLS x 4 CAMPUSES**

<http://international.unicam.it/about-us/university-schools>

University Schools are responsible for Research and Training. They have scientific, educational and organizational autonomy.

### **SCHOOL OF ARCHITECTURE AND DESIGN**

campus: Ascoli Piceno

<http://saad.unicam.it>

### **SCHOOL OF BIOSCIENCES AND VETERINARY MEDICINE**

campuses: Camerino / Matelica / San Benedetto del Tronto

<http://sbmv.unicam.it>

### **SCHOOL OF LAW**

campus: Camerino

<http://juris.unicam.it>

### **SCHOOL OF PHARMACY**

campus: Camerino

<http://farmaco.unicam.it>

### **SCHOOL OF SCIENCES AND TECHNOLOGY**

campuses: Camerino / Ascoli Piceno

<http://sst.unicam.it>



## UNICAM 4 CAMPUSES

The town of **Camerino** is located on a hill 661 m. above sea level. Thanks to its position, the town enjoys a healthy climate with brisk winters and warm dry summers. Of pre-Roman origins, the town has played an important political and ecclesiastical role throughout the centuries attaining a notable level of economic and civil development. All University buildings are located outside the old city wall.

The life of **Matelica**, ancient Roman town as confirmed by many archeological discoveries, revolves around the central square with its elegant seventeenth century fountain. Around it you'll find the town's chief attractions: the Loggia of the Ottoni family, built by the town's ruling family in 1511 and the 13<sup>th</sup> century Palazzo Pretorio. A visit to the Civic Museum, the Piersanti Museum, the Theatre Piermarini (built at the end of the 19<sup>th</sup> century in the traditional horseshoe shape) and the City Library is strongly recommended.

**Ascoli Piceno** is the major town of southern Marche founded by the Italic population of Piceni. Though a sizeable town, its historic centre can easily be covered on foot. If you are wandering round the old quarter that stretches from the banks of the Tronto river to the city's main street be sure to walk along the medieval streets where in the past, according to traditional accounts, more than two hundred towers were located. Today some fifty can still be seen. The central historical part of the city is built in a marble called Travertino extracted from the surrounding mountains.

**San Benedetto del Tronto** is one of the main holiday resorts of southern Marche. With over 7,000 palm trees on its wide promenade, it has a touch of tropical charm. It is also a thriving town that doubles as one of the most important fishing ports on Italy Adriatic coast. In summer San Benedetto del Tronto is a popular resort with a lively nightlife. The castle and narrow streets of brick houses can be seen in the old part of the town.

## **BACHELOR DEGREE COURSES**

### **3 YEARS - 180 CREDITS**

<http://international.unicam.it/courses/undergraduate>

- **ARCHITECTURAL SCIENCES**  
School of Architecture & Design - ITALIAN - Ascoli Piceno
- **BIOSCIENCES AND BIOTECHNOLOGY**  
School of Biosciences and Veterinary Medicine - ENGLISH - Camerino
- **CHEMISTRY**  
School of Science and Technology - ITALIAN - Camerino
- **ENVIRONMENTAL AND INDUSTRIAL DESIGN**  
School of Architecture & Design - ITALIAN - Ascoli Piceno
- **FOOD SCIENCES**  
School of Pharmacy - ITALIAN - Camerino
- **GEOLOGICAL, NATURAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES**  
School of Science and Technology - ENGLISH - Camerino
- **INFORMATICS**  
School of Science and Technology - ITALIAN - Camerino
- **MATHEMATICS AND APPLICATIONS**  
School of Science and Technology - ITALIAN - Camerino
- **NUTRITIONAL BIOLOGY**  
School of Biosciences and Veterinary Medicine- ITALIAN - San Benedetto del Tronto
- **PHYSICS**  
School of Science and Technology - ITALIAN - Camerino
- **SAFETY AND ZOOTECHNICAL PRODUCTION AND PROMOTION OF TYPICAL FOOD OF ANIMAL ORIGIN**  
School of Biosciences and Veterinary Medicine - ITALIAN - Matelica
- **SCIENTIFIC INFORMATION ON DRUGS AND SCIENCE OF FITNESS AND HEALTH PRODUCTS**  
School of Pharmacy - ITALIAN - Camerino
- **SOCIAL SCIENCES FOR NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATIONS AND INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION**  
School of Law - ITALIAN - Camerino
- **INNOVATIVE TECHNOLOGIES FOR CULTURAL HERITAGE**  
School of Science and Technology - ITALIAN - Ascoli Piceno

## ONE-TIER DEGREE COURSE 5 YEARS - 300 CREDITS

<http://international.unicam.it/courses/master>

- **JURISPRUDENCE**  
School of Law - ITALIAN - Camerino
- **PHARMACEUTICAL CHEMISTRY AND TECHNOLOGY**  
School of Pharmacy - ITALIAN - Camerino
- **Pharmacy**  
School of Pharmacy - ITALIAN - Camerino
- **VETERINARY MEDICINE**  
School of Biosciences and Veterinary Medicine - ITALIAN - Matelica

## MASTER DEGREE COURSES 2 YEARS - 120 CREDITS

<http://international.unicam.it/courses/master>

- **MANAGEMENT OF THE MIGRATION PHENOMENA AND INTEGRATION POLICIES IN THE EUROPEAN UNION**  
School of Law - ITALIAN - Camerino
- **ARCHITECTURE**  
School of Architecture & Design - ITALIAN - Ascoli Piceno
- **BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES**  
School of Biosciences and Veterinary Medicine - ENGLISH - Camerino
- **CHEMISTRY AND ADVANCED CHEMICAL METHODOLOGIES**  
School of Science and Technology - ENGLISH - Camerino
- **DIGITAL INNOVATION DESIGN**  
School of Architecture & Design - ITALIAN - Ascoli Piceno
- **COMPUTER SCIENCES**  
School of Science and Technology - ENGLISH - Camerino
- **GEOENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCES AND RISKS**  
School of Science and Technology - ENGLISH - Camerino
- **MATHEMATICS AND APPLICATIONS**  
School of Science and Technology - ENGLISH - Camerino
- **PHYSICS**  
School of Science and Technology - ENGLISH - Camerino



## DOUBLE DEGREES IN AGREEMENT WITH:

- Hanoi University (HANU), Vietnam  
*BSc Informatics*
- Instituto Superior Tecnico di Lisbona, Portogallo  
*MSc in Chemistry and Advanced Chemical Methodologies*
- Jilin Agricultural University, Cina  
*BSc in Biosciences and Biotechnology*  
*MSc in Biological Sciences*
- Middlesex University, London, Gran Bretagna  
*Bsc in Informatics*  
*MSc in Computer Science*
- Universidad de Belgrano di Buenos Aires, Argentina  
*MSc in Pharmacy*
- Universidad Nacional de Catamarca, Argentina  
*MSc in Computer Science*  
*MSc in Chemistry and Advanced Methodologies*
- University of Applied Sciences Northwestern Switzerland  
FHNW-School of Business, Svizzera  
*MSc Computer Science*
- University of Reykjavik, Islanda  
*MSc in Computer Science*
- Universidade de Sao Paulo, Brasile  
*MSc in Jurisprudence*

**Post- graduate Masters** are post-Bachelor Degree (Master of first level) or post - Master Degree qualifications. Addressed to university students, young graduates and professionals.

<http://international.unicam.it/courses/specialization-schools-masters>

### Summer Schools

Intensive high quality courses of short duration - one or two weeks.

Summer Schools offer a great opportunity to meet and work with teachers, experts and students from different countries.

<http://international.unicam.it/courses/summer-schools>



## PhD COURSES

In 2005 UNICAM instituted an international **School of Advanced Studies** with the objective of increasing the participation of foreign students in its PhD programs. The seven principles for **Innovative Doctoral Training** underpin our research programmes.

Doctoral courses are reserved for a limited number of students, who upon successful completion of their program receive the title of PhD. The Doctoral course is three years with a final thesis to be written in English, and defended in front of a Final Examination Board, made up of professors in the relevant scientific area.

In addition to the final thesis, doctoral students are expected to participate in training activities organized by the SAS to acquire transferable skills (such as communications skills, research career development, research management and project funding, methodological skills) and doctoral training in cooperation with industry and other employment sectors.

A minimum of six months research experience is required in another higher educational institution preferably outside Italy

The Call for admission is announced every year in July at <http://isas.unicam.it>

### **PhD Areas:**

Architecture, Design, Planning  
Chemical and Pharmaceutical Sciences and Biotechnology  
Computer Science and Mathematics  
Legal and Social Sciences  
Life and Health Sciences  
Physics, Earth and Materials Sciences

### **Info**

<http://isas.unicam.it>  
[postlaurea@unicam.it](mailto:postlaurea@unicam.it)



**RESEARCH AT UNICAM** means innovation but also tradition, a stimulating creative environment, interdisciplinarity, investigation, new theories and ideas to gain a better knowledge of the world and its laws.

#### **HR - Excellence in research**

UNICAM has an important tradition in teaching and scientific research.

Since 2005 UNICAM has adopted the **European Charter of Researchers** and a **Code of Conduct** for an open, transparent and merit-based recruitment of researchers in the framework of **European Resources Strategy for Researchers (HRS4R)**.

The University of Camerino is part of the **European EURAXESS** - a network of more than 200 centers located in 35 European countries.

#### **Research Area for Technological Transfer and Project**

**Management** delivers advanced services and expert support to UNICAM University Schools and stakeholders (public institutions, enterprises and industries). The Office provides project financial management and supports researchers in work plan management of national and international Research funded projects.

The main missions of the Office are:

- Mapping of research skills and research results for knowledge and technology transfer;
- Monitoring of funding opportunities at the regional, national and international level;
- Supporting research & innovation project design and management;
- Searching out innovation, protecting IP-Intellectual Property and enhancing its value;
- Supporting young researchers, PhDs, graduates and students in the **new company start-up phase**.

**Co-operation agreements** with foreign universities and institutions, companies and enterprises involved in the economic and productive with lines of research that range over a wide variety of areas from complex systems to energy, biotechnologies, design, public health, natural drugs, and quality and food safety.

Info:

<https://international.unicam.it/research>

<http://iilo.unicam.it>





LOS ANGELES

TOKYO

NEW YORK

## INTERNATIONAL MOBILITY

The University of Camerino Exchange Programs offers UNICAM students the opportunity to spend a short - as long - term exchange period of study, research and training in partner country institutions as universities, academies, centres of research or highly qualified professional offices.

All UNICAM students are invited to participate to the calls that every year are announced at [www.unicam.it/bandi/studente](http://www.unicam.it/bandi/studente)  
ERASMUS+ for study and Traineeship  
ERASMUS+ KA107

Study, thesis, research and internship in Partner Countries  
Double Degrees

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**A little big international world: this is UNICAM!**





## STUDENT SERVICES

The **Welcome Office** provides a welcome to international students, visiting professors and researchers providing a comprehensive assistance from the initial preparatory phases in their home countries to their arrival (accommodation, residence permit, health insurance and much more).

The **ERASMUS Office** provides students with information about opportunities to spend periods of study and training from 3 to 12 months in the foreign partner institutions as universities, academies, research centres.

The **International Cooperation Office** concentrates on the international programmes of cooperation between the University and foreign institutions. Unicam is one of the Euraxess Service Centres, which provides consulting services and assistance not only for the university, but also for the region as a whole.

**Language Service and Cambridge Centre** offers opportunities to attend courses of English, French, German, Italian ruled by mother tongue teachers. Students interested in getting international language certificate have the opportunity to get Cambridge Certifications for English and D.E.L.F/D.A.L.F. for French.

The **Guidance Service** in collaboration with Secondary Schools, organizes many events that offer opportunities to school students to discover paths of study, degree courses and student services.

The **Tutoring Service** offered by professors and young graduates is made available to UNICAM students who needs support for their studies in order to quickly overcome difficulties. The service also advices on course programmes, study methods, work training programs.

The **Stage & Placement Office (Internship Office)** offers students and young graduates internships as training experiences within a work context in public and private companies and institutions, in Italy and abroad. The service also provides different tools to help students enter the world of work.



**Disabled Student Service.** Specialized tutors support disabled students helping them in their student life. Disabled students receive facilities as free transport, logistics assistance, campus housing special designed, reduction or exemption from University fees (tuition) and free access to the sports facilities.

**AND MORE ...**

### **Student Residences & Co.**

UNICAM in collaboration with ERDIS offers lodging in student residences.

All rooms are furnished and provided with internet connection, a telephone to receive direct private calls (without a switchboard operator), bed linen and laundry facilities. Heating, electricity and water are included.

Two canteens and a student cafeteria are located near the main Student Residences. In preparing menus, the different needs of students from diverse foreign countries are taken into account. Each year scholarships are awarded by ERDIS (Regional Agency for the Entitlement to Higher Education).

The call is announced every year in the second half of July. The scholarships, awarded on the basis of merit and family economic situation, offer certain facilities (such as a university tuition fee waiver, accommodation from 1<sup>st</sup> October to mid-July - and meals free of charge, plus some possible additional assistance in cash).

Information at:

<http://www.erdis.it>

<http://international.unicam.it/services/scholarships>





### **Library Service**

The University Library provides services and resources to support the learning, teaching and research needs of the University Community. Further information and General Library Catalog (OPAC): <http://biblioteche.unicam.it>

### **Sport centre**

Students have access to a modern and functional sport centre where they can practice both indoor and outdoor sports as swimming, basketball, volley-ball, aerobics, squash, climbing and many others sports activities.

Info: [cus@unicam.it](mailto:cus@unicam.it) <http://cuscamerino.unicam.it>

### **Science Museum**

The Science Museum of the University of Camerino was founded in 1988. The most important collections focus on the field of natural history, including an exhibition of fossil bones belonging to hippopotamuses, elephants, rhinoceroses and other Quaternary fauna from the Colfiorito Basin (Umbria-Marche Apennines). Services offered: *educational and teaching activities for schools; promotion of scientific and technological culture; meetings, conferences and events*. Following the earthquake crisis of August - October 2016, the museum remains temporarily closed to the public.

<http://sma.unicam.it/museo-delle-scienze>

### **Botanical Gardens**

The Orto Botanico dell'Università di Camerino (Botanical Gardens), also known as *L'Orto sotto le mura (Gardens below the wall)*, are historical Botanical Gardens covering nearly one hectare and located in the shadow of the old city walls.

The gardens were established in 1828 by Vincenzo Ottaviani, Papal physician and Professor of Botany and Chemistry at the University of Camerino. The gardens are divided into two main parts, a flat area with shrubs and herbaceous species, and a sloped area with many native trees, indigenous ferns and exotics.

The Gardens also contain two greenhouses with tropical and subtropical species, with many succulents and epiphytes including *Begonias*, *Orchidaceae* and *Tillandsia*, as well as *Cinnamomum camphora*, *Piper nigrum*, etc.

<http://sma.unicam.it/orto-botanico>

### **UNICAM Bus**

The University in agreement with the CONTRAM Bus Service Society offer free monthly local bus tickets to all students enrolled at the University. Information at <http://www.contram.it>



## HOW TO ENROLL

A warm welcome International students to UNICAM!

### Entry requirements

These vary depending on whether you are an EU CITIZEN, a non-EU CITIZEN resident in Italy, a non-EU CITIZEN resident outside Italy  
<https://international.unicam.it/admissions/how-to-enroll>

**Pre-admissions:** the online application form is available at [international.unicam.it](https://international.unicam.it) (home page)

### These are the main documents required to enroll

#### Bachelor Degree

- High-school diploma that satisfies the requirements for access to university education, i.e. conferred on completion of a minimum of 12 years of education (translated/legalized/DOV)

#### Master Degree

- Bachelor Degree that satisfies the requirements for access to University MSc (translated/legalized/DOV)
- List of subjects studied: transcript of records with grades obtained (translated/legalized or apostilled)
- Syllabuses of subjects studied (i.e. exams programmes)

#### For courses taught in English

International students should produce an International English Language Certificate preferably at level B2 (Independent User) of the Common European Framework of Reference for Language Learning and Teaching.

#### For courses taught in Italian

Before matriculation, International students must prove their proficiency in Italian at level B2 by international certification or exam (usually held at UNICAM in September).

For further information:

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## Discover us ...

Browse the International webpages of UNICAM to get useful information about courses, services and facilities offered.

Click on **INTERNATIONAL** in the UNICAM website at [unicam.it](http://unicam.it) or enter directly [international.unicam.it](http://international.unicam.it) or contact the **Welcome Office**

