

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 90001:2000, 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.

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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 13th century Palazzo Pretorio. A visit to the Civic Museum, the Piersanti Museum, the Theatre Piermarini (built at the end of the 19th 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
- TECHNOLOGIES AND DIAGNOSTICS FOR CONSERVATION AND RESTAURATION
 - 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

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

COMPUTATIONAL 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 Catamanca, 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, Environment and Design Chemical and Pharmaceutical Sciences and Biotechnology Legal and Social Sciences Life and Health Sciences Science and Technology

Info

http://isas.unicam.it 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.

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Info:

https://international.unicam.it/research http://iilo.unicam.it



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 ERASMUS+ for study and Traineeship ERASMUS+ KA107
Study, thesis, research and internship in Partner Countries Double Degrees

For further information please contact the **International Mobility Office** at erasmus@unicam.it relazioni.internazionali@unicam.it welcome@unicam.it

A little big international world: this is UNICAM!





STUDENT SERVICES

The **Welcome Office** provides a welcome to international students, visiting professors and reaserchers 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 1st 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 autdoor sports as swimming, basketball, volley-ball, aerobics, squash, climbing and many others sports activities.

Info: 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.

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://web.unicam.it/ortobotanico

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: every year from January to April, the online application form is available at international unicam.it (home page)

To enroll these are the main documents:

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 Universitity MSc (translated/legalized/DOV)
- List of subjects studied: transcript of records with grades obtained (translated/legalized or apostilled)
- Syllabuses of subjects studied in Italian or English

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).

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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 or enter directly **international.unicam.it** or contact the **Welcome Office**

