

ACADEMICS

STUDY PLAN: individual study plans developed in accordance with the DD agreement signed with your home institution, matching home courses with Bocconi ones. Once the study plan is finalized, no changes will be allowed. Credit system is **ECTS equivalent**.

Find here BSc regular study plans: [International Economics and Management](#), and [International Politics and Government](#).

Find here MSc regular study plans: [International Management](#), [Management](#), [Marketing Management](#), [Accounting](#), [Financial Management and Control](#), [Finance](#), [Economics and Management in Arts, Culture, Media and Entertainment](#), [Economics and Management of Government and International Organizations](#), [Economic and Social Sciences](#), [Economics and Management of Innovation and Technology](#) and [Politics and Policy Analysis](#)

ELECTIVE COURSES SELECTION: carried out online before arrival with the possibility to change courses during the "add/drop period".

CLASS ATTENDANCE: as a general rule, attendance is not strictly mandatory. Students are strongly encouraged to discuss attendance requirements with Professors. [Check the academic calendar](#).

EXAMS: Exams must be sat on **official dates at Bocconi** (mandatory registration before the exam). **Grades:** on a scale of 30 with 18/30 (minimum passing grade).

GUIDE TO THE UNIVERSITY: www.unibocconi.eu/studentguide

LANGUAGES: required to pass **two foreign language** exams at Bocconi. The first foreign language will be **English** (exit level: C1 Business); the second language will be **Italian** (exit level: A2) while native Italian speakers can decide between **French, German and Spanish** (exit level: B1). The **Bocconi Language Center** may recognize home school exams and international certificates.

Please check www.unibocconi.eu/languagecenter

INTERNSHIP: curricular internship in Italy or abroad is a mandatory element (6/8 credits). Minimum length is **8 full-time weeks**. Previously completed internships, if in line with the student's course of study/duration requirements may be validated.

THESIS: to be written and defended at Bocconi (2 types: **Research or Analytical/Descriptive thesis - validity of 18/20 ECTS**) according to the rules set in the DD Agreement between Bocconi and the home school. DD students can contact the MSc Director/Supervisor who will provide assistance on the topic. All students are required to pay a graduation contribution of around 370€ to finalize the registration to the graduation session. For BSc, there is a Final Paper with no defense.

IMPORTANT: students who **applied to Bocconi directly** and **Italian Bachelor graduates** will not be accepted into the DD Program.

ACADEMIC CALENDAR

APRIL-MAY : Home school **nomination**;

MAY-JUNE : students' online **application**;

JULY-AUGUST: study plan creation and electives choices;

Early **SEPTEMBER:** orientation and 1st **semester starts** Check the [official UB Calendar](#)

DECEMBER, JANUARY, FEBRUARY: **exam session** and electives add/drop period;

FEBRUARY: 2nd **semester start**;

MAY-JUNE: **exam session**;

JULY, OCTOBER, DECEMBER and MARCH: **graduation session**

STATUS @ BOCCONI: Double Degree students are considered **regularly-enrolled Bocconi students** and they have to comply with all Bocconi rules and regulations, but some exceptions may apply. Double Degree students are exempted from paying the university tuition fees and cannot apply for Bocconi scholarships.

DIVERSITY & INCLUSION: Bocconi University is committed to fostering social mobility, inclusivity, diversity and sustainability. The goal is to create a united and inclusive community, through inclusion strategies that cater to underrepresented groups, students suffering from any form of discrimination or disabilities. More information available [on the dedicated pages](#).

PRACTICAL INFO

VISA: Prior to their arrival in Italy, **non-EU students** must apply and obtain a multiple entry study visa for Italy. They have to submit their application well in advance since it takes time for the visa to be released. Italian Consulates directory: <http://vistoperitalia.esteri.it/home/en>

PERMIT OF STAY: **non-EU students** must apply for the Permit of Stay within 8 working days from their arrival in Italy. Info sessions upon arrival.

HEALTH & SECURITY: non-EU students must have health insurance coverage with international validity while studying in Italy to be approved for the permit of stay. EU students are required to have the European Health Insurance Card or a similar private insurance policy with international validity to benefit from health service coverage.

INTERNATIONAL SOS: Bocconi offers medical, safety and security advice to students 24/7. Access [yoU@B agenda](#)>International Relations>International SOS to get more info.

STUDENT ID CARD: **distributed upon arrival** and activated as debit card.

LIVING COSTS: in Milan between 600€ (shared bedroom in private apartments) and 1.400€ (entire flat) per month. Bocconi has **housing facilities** for international students. Meal at the **university canteen** for about 5€ and transportation 22€/month pass for <27 students and 39€ for ≥27.

Please find more information on Bocconi University Biosafety Trust Certification on the dedicated [webpage](#).

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