

ALMA MATER STUDIORUM Università di Bologna

INTERNATIONAL MASTER'S DEGREE LANGUAGE, SOCIETY AND COMMUNICATION

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ANGUAGE, SOCIETY AND COMMUNICATION



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second cycle degree/two year master in LANGUAGE, SOCIETY AND COMMUNICATION

About LSC

- A range of subjects in the areas of :
 - Modern Languages (English, French, German, Spanish and Russian)
 - Linguistics (Sociolinguistics, Semantics, Teaching of Modern Languages, Computational Linguistics...) > discipline in the 1st year, taught in Italian (B2, you can follow courses at the Linguistic Centre of the University)
 - Historical, Geographical, and Social Studies (Geography of languages, Web society and globalization, Humanitarian Communication, Cultural economics...)
 - ICT applied to Human Sciences Natural Language Processing, Semantic web, Knowledge Graphs applied to cultural heritage





5 good reasons to choose this Master

- ✓ **Multilingual** Knowledge of several languages is fundamental in today's society.
- Intercultural In-depth preparation for the development of interlinguistic and intercultural competences; enhances dialogue between language and cultures.
- ✓ **Updated** This course prepares for the challenges of a extremely complex world.
- Open to diversity Broadens one's horizons to develop a greater understanding of different cultures, values, traditions.
- Focused on communication as a bridge to understanding different communicative contexts with the contemporary world





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Career opportunities

Expert in Language and Culture for International Relations

Text Editor and Sub-Editor in Multiple Languages







Course Structure Diagram / Study Plan: https://shorturl.at/iADS0

First year

- Linguistics, Languages for Specific Purposes, Translation, History, Mediation... related to 2 foreign languages (36 ECTS): you have to choose two disciplines for each language > These include practical language activities
- Linguistics courses (9 ECTS): Sociolinguistics, Semantics, Teaching of Modern Languages, Computational linguistics...
- History, Economics, and Geography courses (9 ECTS): History of Mass Communication, Geography of Languages...
- Knowledge engineering and Computation for the Humanities (former Information Technology Skills) (6 ECTS)





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Second year

- Linguistics, Languages for Specific Purposes, Translation, History, Mediation... related to 2 foreign languages (18 ECTS): you have to choose one discipline for each language > These include practical language activities
- Supplementary disciplines (9 ECTS): Humanitarian Communication, Web society and Globalization, Management of Cultural events...
- Elective disciplines (9 ECTS) Includes Internships or Seminars
- Final Examination (24 ECTS) Opportunity to associate it to a Mobility exchange and/or to an Internship (also abroad!)





LANGUAGE, SOCIETY AND COMMUNICATION

ICT equipped classrooms, study rooms, library and much more... at the heart of Bologna!









How to apply – Admission: https://shorturl.at/bkwzP

In order to be admitted students should

CALL FOR ADMISSION A.y. 2025/26 Info available online

V Possess specific curricular requirements;

 Undergo an interview designed to assess their Personal Academic Preparation. The result of the interview will lead to an assessment of eligibility or non-eligibility to admission;

✓ Demonstrate their knowledge of the English Language (equal at least to B2);

 Requirements and admission process depend on the Degree held by candidates (Italian or Foreign Degree).





Admission – Foreign Degree: <u>https://shorturl.at/bkwzP</u>

Curricular requirements

✓ Bachelor's Degree that certifies a theoretical and a practical knowledge of 2 foreign languages (English, French, German, Russian, or Spanish);

 Proof of knowledge of English by means of an accepted English Language Certificate, issued in the last 24 months;

<u>Candidates from an English-speaking country holding a Foreign Degree, or</u> <u>candidates with a Foreign Degree issued by an English-speaking country</u> <u>institution are exempted!</u>





Admission – Italian Degree: <u>https://shorturl.at/bkwzP</u>

Curricular requirements

- ✓ Bachelor's Degree (1st Cycle Degree) with a minimum final mark of 105/110;
- 48 ECTS in 2 modern languages (English, French, German, Spanish, Russian) studied previously (24 ECTS per language);
- If you have not studied English in your First Degree, you should provide an English Language Certificate accepted by the Programme and issued in the last 24 months;

Students from an English-speaking country are exempted!





Admission – Italian and Foreign Degree: <u>https://shorturl.at/bkwzP</u>

Assesment of personal academic preparation:

- It will be evaluated through an interview. The result of the interview will lead to an assessment of eligibility or non-eligibility to admission;
- the interview will be carried out in 1 of the 2 foreign languages that you plan to study further, provided that it is not English.
- It will focus on:
 - ✓ the student's skills and knowledge with reference to the Degree Course Objectives;
 - ✓ the **student's motivations** to apply for the MA programme in LSC;
 - \checkmark the **language proficiency** (equal at least to B2).





Teaching Office – Ufficio Didattico

✓ The Teaching Office is a hub for all the Course's teaching activity; provides students with administrative help during the different phases of planning and managing learning activities

✓ LSC Students may contact the Programme Coordinator, Enrico Carlini
and/or the Tutor for international students, Rachele Fioritti

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Student Administration Office – Segreteria Studenti

✓ The Student Administration Office deals with all the career procedures and gives information on enrollments, tuition fees, exemptions, University transfers, suspension of studies, withdrawal from studies, Final Examination and Graduation Application, Certificates etc.

✓ Virtual Desk (through Zoom)

✓ Tuesday: 9 am to 12 noon and 2 to 3:30 pm
✓ Wednesday: 9 am to 12 noon
✓ Thursday: 2 to 3:30 pm
✓ Friday: 9 am to 12 noon

Contact: <u>segscform-lingue@unibo.it</u>





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International Desk

✓ The International Desk offers information on immigration procedures, residence permit, guidance on arrival in Italy and on the services available at the Bologna Campus, Unibo Action 2 study grants, Unibo for Refugees project.

✓ On-site Desk, Via Marsala 49/A, Bologna: Tuesdays 2:30 to 4 pm

 \checkmark Virtual Help Desk: Monday and Wednesday 10 am to 12 noon, Thursday 2:30 to 4 pm



Contact: internationaldesk@unibo.it



SECOND CYCLE DEGREE/TWO YEAR MASTER IN LANGUAGE, SOCIETY AND COMMUNICATION

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