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Call for applications for 5 mobility places for the Double master's degree programme between the University of Padova and the Jagiellonian University in Krakow (Poland) in the field of European and Global Studies A.Y. 2025/2026

Foreword

The official source of the Call is “Bando di concorso per 5 posti scambio presso l’Università Jagellonica di Cracovia (Polonia) nell’ambito del percorso internazionale in European and Global Studies per il rilascio del doppio titolo a. a. 2025/2026” in Italian. This translated version is intended only for a better comprehension. For legal purposes, the parties should refer only to the Italian version of the Call.

Art. 1 – Exchange

Within the cooperation agreement with the Jagiellonian University in Krakow (Poland) for the issuance of a Double Degree Master Programme in the field of European and Global Studies, announces a call for applications for five mobility places for one academic year. Such mobility places are reserved for students enrolled in the first year of the Master Degree programme in European and Global Studies at the University of Padua.

Art. 2 – Admission requirements

To be admitted to the programme, when applying and by the closing date, students shall meet the following criteria:

- being regularly enrolled in the Master's degree in European and Global Studies;
- having obtained **at least 12 ECTS** credits of the MA degree programme in European and Global Studies by the closing date;
- being proficient in English (an international certificate of B2 CEFR, minimum level is required).

Students will be admitted at the Jagiellonian University in Krakow if they have obtained **at least 54 ECTS** credits by the beginning of the second year, according to the scheme in Annex II of the Call for applications.

Overall, students **must obtain 60 ECTS** credits at the University of Padua, according to the scheme in Annex II.

Art. 3 – Application procedure

Students shall apply through the annexed form (Annex I), within and not later than **March 24th, 2025 (h. 12.00 pm)**. The form and the documents listed below shall be submitted through one of the following options:

- 1) by email to: internazionalizzazione.spigi@unipd.it
- 2) by certified email to: dipartimento.spigi@pec.unipd.it

For further information contact: internazionalizzazione.spigi@unipd.it

Applicants, on their own responsibility, should provide personal information, date and place of birth, permanent address, and address for this call for applications purposes, phone number and email address.

The documents listed below shall be annexed to the application form. Failing to do so will result in the exclusion of the applicant from the selection.

- Self-certification of the Bachelor's degree programme certifying the list of examinations sat and the number of ECTS gained;
- Self-certification of the enrollment at the Master's degree programme certifying the list of examinations sat and the number of ECTS gained;
- Motivational letter explaining the reasons why the applicant wishes to participate (in English);
- European curriculum vitae (<http://europass.cedefop.europa.eu/en/documents/curriculum-vitae>);
- Copy of a valid Passport or Identity card;
- International English language certificate (minimum B2 CEFR)

Application forms failing to meet the requirements concerning data and/or documents shall be invalid and the applicant shall be excluded from the selection.

Art. 4 – Selection criteria

The application forms considered valid shall be assessed by a Committee according to the following criteria:

- ❑ Weighted average of grades of the examinations sat;
- ❑ Motivation letter;
- ❑ Curriculum Vitae;
- ❑ Knowledge of English language;
- ❑ Interview.

The interview is on **April 1st, 2025 at 12.15 pm** in the Prof. Ekaterina Domorenok Office in via del Santo, 28, barring unforeseen circumstances that will be promptly communicated to candidates. Students must have their ID card along with them.

Candidates failing to attend the interview shall automatically be excluded from the selection.

Art. 5 – Selection procedure and ranking list

The Committee shall draw up the ranking list. Assessment criteria are outlined below:

- From 0 to 60 points: weighted average of grades (related to the BA and MA programmes)
- From 0 to 15 points: curriculum vitae;
- From 0 to 20 points: motivation letter and interview;
- From 0 to 5 points: knowledge of English language.

To be admitted to the double degree programme candidates must obtain at least 60 points out of 100.

The ranking list will be published at the Internationalization Office of the Department of Political Science, Law and International Studies, via del Santo 28 – 1st floor, and on the web page: <https://www.spgi.unipd.it/en/international-area/double-degrees/lm-european-and-global-studies-jagiellonian-university-krakow>, on **April 4th, 2025**.

In the ranking list, the selected candidates will be informed about the reporting time and venue for formal acceptance of the mobility place.

Should a selected candidate withdraw the mobility place, the following eligible candidate on the ranking list shall be awarded the place.

Art. 6 – Funding

The selected students will be recognized as Erasmus+ students with the consequent benefit of the Erasmus grant and all the integrations provided for by national, regional and university regulations. The financial support depends on the actual number of days spent at the host university, up to a maximum of 12 monthly financial support (360 days).

The financial support is subject to the annual approval of the University of Padua.

Before departure, selected students should sign the financial agreement stating the amount of and the way in which the financial support is issued.

The scholarship is strictly connected to the participation to the programme and the attainment of the two degrees.

Selected students are exempted from paying fees at the host university, but they should be regularly enrolled at the University of Padova and therefore continue to pay its fees.

Art. 7 – Study Plan

Following consultation with the professors of both the University of Padua and the host university, selected students should draft a study plan (Learning Agreement) of the activities to carry out abroad. The Learning Agreement shall be drafted before the departure and, if necessary, be promptly updated after the departure.

In order to obtain the double degree, students must acquire 60 ECTS credits in Padua and 60 ECTS credit in Krakow, in total 120 ECTS credits (including 18 ECTS credits of the final examination).

The courses to be included in the study plan are listed in the Annex II.

All the courses at the Jagiellonian University in Krakow will be taught in English.

ANNEX I

Call for applications for 5 places for the Double master's degree programme between the University of Padova and the Jagiellonian University in Krakow (Poland) in the field of European and Global Studies A.Y. 2025/2026

APPLICATION FORM

The application must be submitted in the manner indicated in Art. 3 in this Call for applications, to Settore Didattica e Post Lauream of the Department of Political Science, Law and International Studies, via del Santo 28 - second floor - 35128 Padua, **not later than March 24th, 2025 (h. 12.00 pm)**.

I, the undersigned _____

Born _____ (_____) the _____ / _____ / _____

Residence: Street/Square _____ n. _____ Zip Code _____

City _____ Phone Number _____ Cell Phone _____

E-mail _____@_____

Eventual domicile in Padua: _____

Phone Number _____ Cell Phone _____

Enrolled in the _____ academic year of Master's Degree in _____

Students Number _____

- Academic year of first enrollment in the Master's Degree: 20___/20___;
- Number of exam taken in the Master's Degree _____
- Number of credits earned during the Master's Degree _____ (as indicated in the self-certification attached);
- Average grade of the exams taken ___/30
- Final grade of Bachelor's Degree _____

Additional information:

- Has the applicant already participated to Erasmus+ Mobility programme or other international mobility programmes?

Yes No

-If so, at which host university (name of the university and the foreign country)?

-For how many months? _____

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To be admitted to the selection for 5 mobility places for the Double Degree programme between the University of Padova and the Jagiellonian University in Krakow (Poland) in the field of European and Global Studies for the A.Y. 2025/2026, reserved to students enrolled in the first year of the Master Degree programme in “European and Global Studies”, at the University of Padua.

I undertake to benefit the exchange place for the entire period in accordance with the conditions laid down in this call for application.

In addition to the above information, I enclose the documentation required by the call hereto, as follows:

- Self-certification of the Bachelor’s degree with the list of passed exams with marks and ECTS credits;
- Self-certification of the enrollment at the Master’s degree with the list of exams passed and the acquired credits (CFU/ECTS) for the a.y. 2024-2025;
- Motivation letter (exclusively in English);
- Curriculum vitae in English (<http://europass.cedefop.europa.eu/en/documents/curriculum-vitae>);
- Copy of an identity document;
- English language certificate

Lastly, I consent to the use of my personal data, in observance of Legislative Decree 196/2003 and subsequent amendments and integrations, for the fulfilment of obligations connected to this procedure.

Place and date: _____

The Declarant (legible signature): _____

ANNEX II STUDY PLAN

1st year 24-25: UNIVERSITY OF PADOVA

1. Public Management and Multi-level Governance 65h – 9 ECTS
2. EU and International Law 65h – 9 ECTS
3. Contemporary Political Concepts Analysis (C.I.) 90h – 12 ECTS
 - (MOD A) Contemporary European political thought 45h – 6 ECTS
 - (MOD B) Decolonial Strategies 45h – 6 ECTS
4. Social and Political Research Methods 45 h – 6 ECTS
5. English as a Glocal Language 45 h – 6 ECTS
6. Second Foreign Language/Stage/International Cooperation and Humanitarian Response Operations 6 ECTS

EUROPEAN POLICIES TRACK

7. EU Policy Design and Implementation (C.I.) 90h – 12 ECTS
 - (MOD A) Sustainable Development Policies 45h – 6 ECTS
 - (MOD B) Project Management and Policy Evaluation 45h – 6 ECTS

GLOBAL COMMUNICATION POLICIES TRACK

7. Global Communication (C.I.) 90h – 12 ECTS
 - (MOD A) Communication Governance 45 h – 6 ECTS
 - (MOD B) Digital Innovation and Society 45h – 6 ECTS

GLOBAL SOCIAL POLICIES AND SECURITY ISSUES

7. Mapping Global Challenges (C.I.) 90h – 12 ECTS
 - Global Social Policy and Human Security (MOD. A) 45h – 6 ECTS
 - Social Network Analysis (MOD. B) 45h – 6 ECTS

2^o year 25-26: JAGIELLONIAN UNIVERSITY IN KRAKOW

1. European civilization, 60 h - 10 ECTS
2. EU Institutions and the Decision-Making Process: Policy Practice in the EU, 30 h, 5 ECTS
3. EU Institutions and the Decision-Making Process: Political System of the EU, 30 h, 5 ECTS
4. Polish Course, 60 h, 6 ECTS (**OPTIONAL**)
5. EU Foreign and Security Policy: Europe, NATO and Transatlantic Security, 30 h, 5 ECTS
6. EU Foreign and Security Policy. New Challenges in the Multipolar World, 30 h, 5 ECTS
7. Introduction to Finances in the EU, 30 h, 5 ECTS
8. MA Seminar (Final Thesis), 25 ECTS
9. Migration and Development, 30 h, 5 ECTS (**OPTIONAL**)