



# Master in Cooperation and Development

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UNIVERSITY OF PAVIA

CALL FOR APPLICATIONS

## GOALS

The Master Program in Cooperation and Development-C&D aims at training professionals in the field of international cooperation through a **highly qualified academic and professional training**. Students have the possibility of studying in a multidisciplinary and multicultural environment **inside one of the oldest University systems in Europe**.

Students are prepared to work in institutions like Non-Governmental Organizations, International Organizations, Governmental Bureaus, Research Centers, other Public or Private Institutions.

## PROGRAM

The Master C&D is a **Second level Master Course (Corso di Master di Secondo Livello)** according to the **Italian Law**, namely a Post-Graduate Program fully taught in English. The program lasts **15 months** and provides **500 hours** of teaching delivered by **academicians, international professionals and experts**. The whole program delivers **75 credits**, according to the ECTS – European Credit Transfer System.

November - December 2021	January - April 2022		May - June 2022	July - December 2022	January 2023
Preliminary courses on Basic Economics	Advanced Courses on Development Economics	Courses on Project Cycle Management	Courses on development issues and tools	Internship	Final thesis discussion

The teaching activities will start in class at the Almo Collegio Borromeo (Pavia) in November 2021.

Across the academic year, students will also be equipped with **soft skills in team leading and intercultural communication**, strengthening their capacities in leadership, coordination and negotiation in multicultural environments.

Moreover, students will have the opportunity to have access to an online platform in which to realize collaborative learning experiences, sharing opinions, documents and didactic materials, in a **continuous workshop led by professionals** and qualified teachers.

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## INTERNSHIP AND JOB PLACEMENT

The Master provides a service of tutorship for the choice of the internship and a list of around 50 available options with NGOs. The Master also facilitates contacts with International organizations.

Special attention will be also dedicated to the vocational guidance to the job searching orientation, by means of regular meetings with human resources experts.

According to our statistics, 85% of students find a job within 6 months from graduation.

## ADMISSION

The master is open every year to 30 students of different nationalities graduated in any major, **holding an Italian Laurea Magistrale or a comparable foreign degree with at least 4 years of university studies. THE COURSE IS FULLY THOUGHT IN ENGLISH.**

**An application fee of 35.00 euro must be paid during the application procedure as mandatory requirement (otherwise the application will not be valid).**

The cost of enrolment for the academic year 2021-2022 is € 8,000.00. The enrolment fees include: • tuition fee • attendance to regular program classes and seminars • tutorship internship & vocational guidance • teaching material • free access to computer rooms and libraries.

## APPLICATION PROCEDURES

Applications can be done **EXCLUSIVELY ON LINE** through the following [LINK](#)

**DEADLINE EXTENDED**  
**SEPTEMBER 9<sup>th</sup> 2021 13.00 CET**

Early applications are encouraged!

**Application procedures** step by step, find the tutorial [here!](#)

**\*The payment of the application fee (€ 35,00) is a mandatory requirement.**

The payment can be done ONLY through credit card on PagoPA. See the payment procedures [here](#).

Check on our [website](#) and make sure you have all the needed documents!

## FINANCIAL AID

Financial aid will be granted to disadvantaged and meritorious students. Types of financial aid provided are:

• total waiving of fees • partial waiving of fees • contribution to the accommodation cost in Pavia • contribution to internship expenses.

## SCHOLARSHIPS FOR STUDENTS COMING FROM DEVELOPING COUNTRIES:

- 5 SCHOLARSHIPS ARE FINANCED BY THE MASTER COURSE
- 1 SCHOLARSHIP "PAOLO DIECI" IS FINANCED BY [CISP](#) AND [ARCS](#)

Each scholarship includes:

- Total waiving of the tuition fees
- Return flight ticket to Pavia (Italy)
- Full board accommodation for 8 months in Pavia at the Almo Collegio Borromeo University Campus

- Return flight ticket to the Internship destination country
- Health insurance for the Internship activities on the field
- **2 SCHOLARSHIPS ARE ISSUED BY THE ALMO COLLEGIO BORROMEO UNIVERSITY CAMPUS**

Each scholarship includes:

- the free full-board accommodation in Pavia for 8 months (full access to the Campus life, cultural and sports activities)

### OTHER SCHOLARSHIPS OPPORTUNITIES FOR ALL THE STUDENTS

- Partial or total waiving of the tuition fees are assigned to meritorious students

**OTHER FACILITIES (CULTURAL - SPORTS ACTIVITIES) AND BENEFICIAL CONDITIONS OF ACCOMMODATION ARE OFFERED BY ALMO COLLEGIO BORROMEO UNIVERSITY CAMPUS TO ALL THE STUDENTS**

### SUPPORTING INSTITUTIONS AND PARTNERS

**The master C&D is supported by:**

- AICS Italian Agency for Cooperation and Development
- MIUR, Ministry of Education, University and Research
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**Institutions involved:**

African Development Bank • Centro Studi Luca D'Agliano  
 • EADI-European Association of Development Institutions  
 • ECDPM-European Centre for Development Policy Management • ECHO-European Community Humanitarian Office • ECLAC-United Nations Commission for Latin American Countries • FAO-United Nations Food and Agriculture Organization • Graduate Institute • ILO-International Labour Organization • NOHA-Network on Humanitarian Aid • ODI-Overseas Development Institute • OECD-Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development • OHCHR-Office of High Commissioner for Human Rights • UNCTAD-United Nations Conference on Trade and Development • UNICEF-United Nations Children's Fund • World Bank

### LOCATION

The residential part of the program takes place in **University of Pavia** and at the [Almo Collegio Borromeo University Campus in Pavia](#).

**The Master C&D is part of the CDN, an International network of post-graduate educational programs active in Italy (Pavia), Colombia (Cartagena de Indias), Palestine (Bethlehem), Nepal (Kathmandu) and Kenya (Nairobi) [www.cooperationdevelopment.org](http://www.cooperationdevelopment.org)**

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