

Master in Cooperation and Development



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University of San Buenaventura, Cartagena de Indias, Colombia • University of Bethlehem, Palestinian Territories.



CURRENT AGREEMENTS AND INSTITUTIONS INVOLVED:

- Cisp, Rome
- Coopi, Milano
- Vis, Rome
- University of Pavia
- CICOPS, Centre for International Cooperation and Development
- Department of Development Studies, Cambridge University
- ECLAC - United Nations Economic Commission for Latin American Countries, Santiago de Chile
- UNCTAD - United Nations Conference on Trade and Development, Geneva
- UNICEF
- UNDP - United Nations Development Program, New York
- OHCHR - Office of High Commissioner of Human Rights, Geneva
- FAO - United Nations Food and Agriculture Organization, Rome
- World Bank, Washington
- OECD - Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development, Paris
- ECDPM - European Centre for Development Policy Management, Maastricht
- European Union
- EADI - European Associations of Development Institutions, Bonn
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COFOUNDERS



THE INSTITUTE AND PAVIA

IUSS

IUSS-PAVIA, Institute for Advanced Study was launched in 1997 under a special "program agreement" with the Ministry of Education, University and Research, inside a unique system in the country, which can claim the historical presence of illustrious academic colleges. In July 2005 it was recognized as an independent and autonomous "Scuola Superiore ad ordinamento speciale" in virtue of the excellent quality of activities carried out, attaining the same status of Scuola Normale and Scuola Sant'Anna di Pisa, and SISSA in Trieste.

Due to the completeness of its education and training fields, which allows a strong interdisciplinary approach, the mission of IUSS is that of contributing to the growth of a small number of selected students by offering them, at any step of their higher education, qualified programs enhancing their capabilities and knowledge.

The Institute is also committed to scientific progress by preparing young researchers and developing scientific research programmes.

IUSS CORE PROGRAMS

- Internal courses offered, on a merit base, to a small number of selected brilliant students of Pavia's University.

- Master degrees characterized by a strong international vocation.
- Ph.D. programs providing an interdisciplinary approach and exposure to cutting edge research.
- Advanced short term courses and seminars.

Professor Roberto Schmid - DIRECTOR OF IUSS

Professor Gianni Vaggi - DIRECTOR OF THE MASTER

Professor Maria Pia Sacchi Mussini - Rector of Collegio Santa Caterina

LOCATION

IUSS premises are located in Pavia, an ancient university town crossed by the Ticino river at 30 kilometres from Milano. According to the different programs the didactic activities take place in academic colleges or at the university structures both in the city centre and at the scientific campus.

The Master in Cooperation and Development is hosted at Collegio Santa Caterina, one of the historical colleges of Pavia. Contact information:

Master in Cooperation and Development Collegio

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GOALS

The Master Program in Cooperation and Development (CD), organized in collaboration with the Italian Ministry of Foreign Affairs - General Directorate for Cooperation and Development (DGCS) the Italian NGOs Cisp, Coopì, Vis and the University of Pavia, aims at training professionals in the field of international cooperation. Students are prepared to work in institutions operating in the area of cooperation and development, such as International Organizations, Governmental Bureaus, firms working in Developing Countries, Public Institutions, Non-Governmental Organizations, and other no-profit organizations.

PROGRAM

The Master lasts 16 months, beginning on October 2012 and ending on January 2014. It is a full time Master Program, entirely taught in English.

The Master is characterized by an interdisciplinary approach to the realm of Cooperation and Development that links the subjects explored in the coursework to three distinct yet strongly interrelated disciplinary areas: Economics, Human and Institutional Studies, Project Cycle Management.

The program is structured into two main parts: a residential period of class work in Pavia - from October to June - and an internship period which will take place between July and December.

Residential part - This part of the curriculum foresees more than 500 hours of classes including workshops and tutorials.

- a preliminary phase of the curriculum, from October to December 2012, provides students with the basic economic and statistical tools for quantitative and qualitative analysis;
- a second phase, from January to June 2013, includes core courses and optional modules in each of the three areas of study mentioned above.

During the residential part of the program students will be supported by tutorials. Moreover, seminars and conferences will be organized throughout the academic year. At the end of each term students are assessed through means of regular examination.

Internship - At the end of the residential part, students will carry on a practical experience of 3 to 6 months either within NGOs or International Organizations. The master will provide all the students with an offer list and a tutor will help them choosing the most appropriate internship.

Students are also required to draft and discuss a thesis related to topics studied in class and/or internship activities.

Final Degree - The final degree of the Master in Cooperation and Development is jointly delivered by the IUSS - Institute for Advanced Study and the University of Pavia.

ADMISSION • FEE • FACULTY

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS AND PROCEDURES

Each year 30 students of different nationalities are admitted to the Master Program. Applicants can be graduates of any major. A good knowledge of English is required.

APPLICATIONS AND ADMISSION PROCEDURE
For application details see: www.iusspavia.it/master_cd

1st DEADLINE FOR APPLICATIONS

(recommended to foreign candidates): 30th April 2012

FINAL DEADLINE: 31st May 2012

- Pre-selection will be made on the basis of:
- Academic career
 - Evaluation of the curriculum vitae
 - International working and studying experiences
 - Knowledge of English language

FEES

The cost of enrolment for the a.y. 2012-2013 is 7.000,00 euro.

Fees include: • Tuition fee • Attendance to regular program classes and additional seminars • Handout teaching material • Free access to computer rooms and libraries • **A partial contribution to the expenses related to the internship (primarily air ticket and insurance).**

The first instalment of the fees, 1.500 euro, is due at the moment of enrolment. In case of subsequent renunciation this amount will not be reimbursed.

FINANCIAL AID

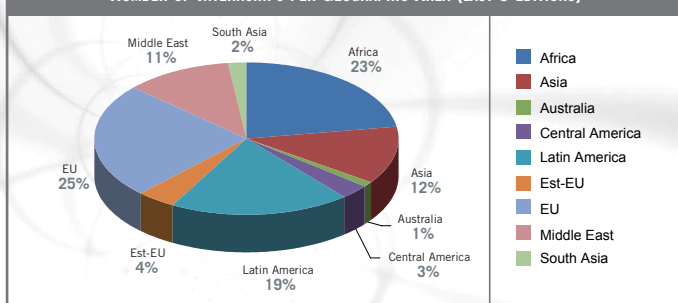
Financial aid will be granted to selected enrolling students on the basis of both merit and assessment of their financial situation. Types of financial aid foreseen: • total waiving of fees • partial waiving of fees • contribution to the accommodation cost in Pavia.

FACULTY

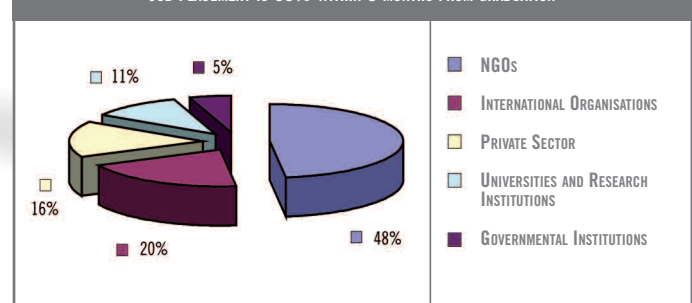
The teaching Faculty involves academics of Italian and foreign Universities and internationally recognized experts coming from worldwide-based developmental institutions, such as United Nations Divisions, Non-Governmental Organizations, and Government Agencies.

INTERNSHIPS AND PROFESSIONAL PROFILE

NUMBER OF INTERNSHIPS PER GEOGRAPHIC AREA (LAST 3 EDITIONS)



JOB PLACEMENT IS 85% WITHIN 6 MONTHS FROM GRADUATION



(DATA COLLECTED SINCE THE BEGINNING OF THE MASTER)