

AN INTERNATIONAL
UNIVERSITY IN THE
HEART OF ROME

Come to
LUISS



LUISS, actionable social science

Located in the capital of Italy, LUISS specializes in the field of social sciences, providing a diverse learning environment based on openness, inclusiveness, responsibility, sustainability and entrepreneurship as a mindset.

At LUISS we inspire and enable a better world, believing that social sciences play - and will play - a role in the emerging digital society.

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I really liked that even a highly ranked, modern business university such as LUISS managed to stay authentic and truly Roman, conveying the real Italian dolce vita: a campus that looks like a holiday villa of an ancient Roman family with palm trees and statues. The bar where you can sit in the sun, enjoying your espresso and cornetto, listen to Radio LUISS, play foosball or chat with your friends. The LUISS Language Café is an international meeting point and sometimes a peaceful island where you can relax and have a break from university projects. The course offering is very diverse and the classes I took were all really interesting, different from the ones my home university provides: Fashion Management, Luxury Management and Tourism Management. I believe LUISS offers a great balance for business students wanting to study in Rome: the university is modern and the courses are up-to-date but they are undeniably related to Rome; I mean, where else should someone study fashion, luxury or tourism than in the Eternal City, famous for all three fields?

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Dora Jokkel

Vienna University of Economics and Business



IDENTITY

The LUISS method is strengthened by a *lifelarge* learning approach which challenges students' intellectual curiosity, inspires individual effort and self-discovery while encouraging independent and critical thinking.

OBJECTIVES

LUISS University is committed to high quality research, global engagement and sustainable growth.

EDUCATIONAL MODEL

The University's educational model combines academic rigor with practical relevance.

Research-led – LUISS faculty members are major experts in their fields, actively engaged in their research communities as well as in the professional and management communities.

Experience-led – LUISS relies upon a highly selected pool of top executives, chartered consultants and diplomats to discuss topics that they experience systematically.

Problem-driven – programs require student to engage in projects and research, in which they are expected to develop solutions to real-world problems.

NETWORK

LUISS enjoys a privileged relationship with the business community and international networks as well as with the legal practice, institutions of government, and civil society.

Key Facts

1977

Private University,
founded in 1977

1:7

Teacher - student ratio

4

Department

Business and Management,
Economics and Finance,
Political Science, Law

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Schools for post
graduate education

Business School, School of
Government, School of European
Political Economy, School of Law,
School of Journalism

8,664

Students

40%+

Programs taught
in English

50+

Visiting professors
in 2017/2018

190+

Agreements
in 42 countries

30+

Double degrees
and structured
partnerships

80%

Of students graduating in 2018 would enroll in LUISS again

(*Studies and Analysis area, 2018)

720+

Outgoing exchange students in 2018/2019

600+

Incoming exchange students in 2018/2019

2.3

Months between graduation and first job

(*LUISS average rate)

5

LUISS Alumni Chapters worldwide

Brussels Desk

An open window on European institutions

LUISS EnLabs

Startup factory, hosting 40 startups

Milano LUISS Hub

For makers and students - a digital manufacturing lab in the heart of Milan's startup scene

Why LUISS?





INTERNATIONAL ACCREDITATION

The LUISS Business School and the Department of Business and Management gained EQUIS Accreditation in October 2015, becoming the first Italian university to have all its programs accredited.

REPUTATION

LUISS is ranked first among Italian universities.¹ Our Political Science program is considered the best in Italy² and among the top 100 in the world.³

EMPLOYABILITY

The University boasts privileged connections with national and international recruiters. LUISS is listed in the Financial Times Master in Management ranking, and holds eighth place worldwide for Career Progress.

ENTREPRENEURSHIP

The LUISS startup accelerator, LUISS EnLabs, currently hosts more than 40 startups.

LUISS University has also created the Milano LUISS Hub for makers and students, the first digital manufacturing laboratory in the heart of Milan's startup scene.

INTERDISCIPLINARY SKILLS

LUISS teaching programs aim at facilitating the emergence of new skills for key roles in the economic, business and social worlds as well as soft skills that strengthen students' leadership abilities.

ETHICS, RESPONSIBILITY, SUSTAINABILITY

LUISS aims at shaping tomorrow's leaders into socially responsible citizens.

1. According to Il Sole 24 Ore

2. Among private universities according to Censis

3. According to the 2018 QS World University Rankings

A boutique university in a global capital

LUISS is located in Rome, a World Heritage City, where beauty, history and culture provide an amazing environment. As the capital of Italy, Rome is an inspiring city and a business hub open to networking.

LUISS is a relatively small university in a vibrant capital. This particular feature shapes our international students' experience, as they are able to live in a breathtaking metropolis, while studying in a service-oriented environment with a strong sense of community.





Cost of living

HOUSING & UTILITIES (PER MONTH)

Shared Room: €350
Single Room: €450 - €550
Studio: €700 - €1000
Utilities: €50 - €70

LEISURE

Cocktails: €6 - 20
Aperitivo (happy hour): €8 - €15
Cinema: €4.50 - €10
Restaurant: €15 - €40
Pizzeria: €10 - €25

GROCERIES (PER MONTH)

Food and household
items: €150 - 200

PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION

Single ticket:
€1.50 (100 minutes)
Monthly pass: €35

Our campuses, high tech Roman villas

The University is situated in one of the most remarkable, historic and artistic parts of Rome. Our buildings mirror the atmosphere and the beauty of the city, while offering the latest technology.



VIALE POLA

The historic LUISS campus and the University's headquarters. The campus is home to the LUISS Schools of Journalism and Law and hosts some courses of the Department of Law.



VIA PARENZO

Housing the Department of Law, this building from the 1930s is considered one of the best examples of the period's architectural trends, structured into various spaces and terraces. Studying here means living in a community.



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LUISS Guido Carli offered me the best university atmosphere I have ever had or dreamt of. Not only did it make me feel incredibly comfortable, free, confident and satisfied, but it has also made me become more ambitious, challenged, passionate about my field of study, proactive, creative and, best of all, aware of my own capabilities. I was always smiling when I was at the campus. I found myself when at LUISS Guido Carli.

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Laura Blanco Cava
Universidad de Cantabria



VIALE ROMANIA

Completely renovated in 2007, the campus is home to the Departments of Economics and Finance, Business and Management and Political Science. The grounds of over 33,000 m² are set in a park in the center of Rome with advanced technology and services.



VILLA BLANC

An architectural jewel of the 19th century, Villa Blanc is home to the LUISS Business School, ensuring students a unique learning experience thanks to a combination of digital technologies and a prestigious historical setting.

A wide range of global programs

Through lectures with world-renowned professors and hands-on training with corporate leaders and professionals, LUISS Bachelor's and Master's programs constitute a valuable tool to kick-start an international career in entrepreneurship, business, finance, and international organizations.

LUISS offers four Bachelor's programs and eight Master's programs, nine of which are either taught entirely in English or have at least one major in English.

The list of courses is available on our web site. An average workload for an exchange student consist of three or four courses per semester for a total of 24/30 ECTS credits .

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LUISS University is a human-sized university, very well located in a nice area of Rome. The staff has been very helpful all year long and everything is well organized. The university puts students in the best conditions to study, with places such as the Language Café or the LOFT that stimulate initiatives and innovation in a modern and inspiring environment.

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Aurelie Birnecque
IAE Lyon 3 Université Jean Moulin

BACHELOR'S PROGRAMS TAUGHT IN ENGLISH (3 YEARS, 180 ECTS CREDITS)

ECONOMICS AND BUSINESS

MANAGEMENT AND COMPUTER SCIENCE

POLITICAL SCIENCE

Major in:

- Politics, Philosophy and Economics

MASTER'S PROGRAMS TAUGHT IN ENGLISH (2 YEARS, 120 ECTS CREDITS)

MANAGEMENT

Majors in:

- Innovation and Entrepreneurship
- International Management
- Luxury, Fashion and Made in Italy

MARKETING

Majors in:

- Market Relationship and Customer Engagement
- Marketing Analytics and Metrics

ECONOMICS AND FINANCE

Majors in:

- Economics
- Finance

CORPORATE FINANCE

INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

Majors in:

- Global Studies
- European Studies

GOVERNMENT AND POLICIES

Major in:

- Public Policies

SINGLE-CYCLE MASTER'S PROGRAM IN LAW (5 YEARS, 300 ECTS CREDITS)

Major in:

- EU Law and Regulation taught entirely in English

Exchange students can select courses from different programs and departments, both at the Bachelor's and Master's level, as long as they have the necessary prerequisites and do not have timetable clashes.

Building partnerships, securing opportunities

With over 190 Erasmus and bilateral student exchange agreements in 42 countries all over the world, LUISS is committed to continuing its global development to provide students with the chance to immerse themselves in a rich environment that complements a high-quality education.

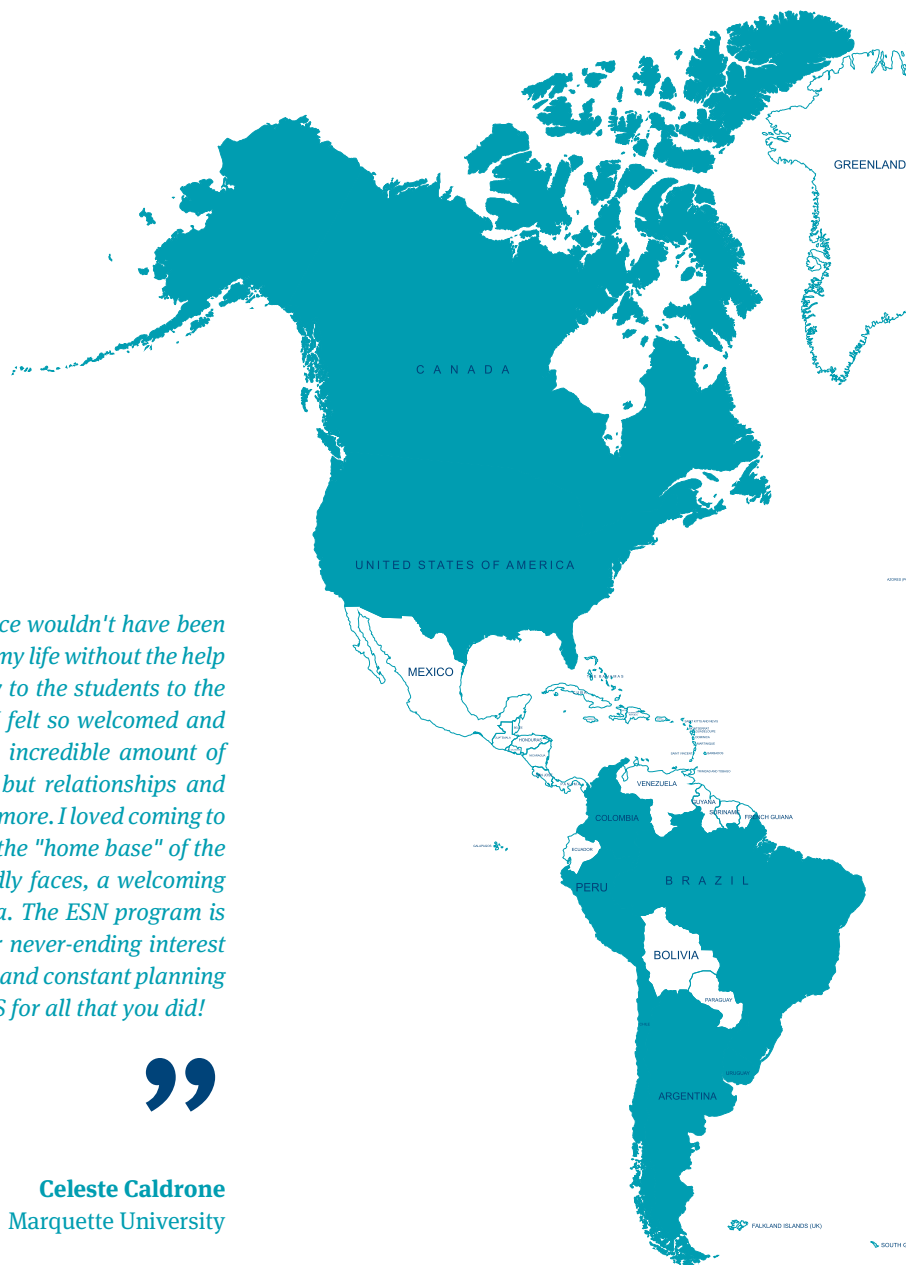


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My study abroad experience wouldn't have been the greatest experience of my life without the help of LUISS. From the faculty to the students to the environment and events, I felt so welcomed and gained more than just an incredible amount of knowledge academically, but relationships and an understanding of much more. I loved coming to the campuses and having the "home base" of the Language Café with friendly faces, a welcoming environment and great tea. The ESN program is also one of a kind in their never-ending interest in their exchange students and constant planning of events. Thank you LUISS for all that you did!

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Celeste Caldron
Marquette University



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My classes at LUISS were all taught by professors with years of practical experience, thus offering completely new perspectives on issues that other universities teach from a purely theoretical stand-point. This exchange will undoubtedly be an asset for my career!

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Lea Manger
University of Mannheim



ARGENTINA

Universidad Argentina de la Empresa - UADE

Universidad de Belgrano

Universidad Torcuato di Tella - UTDT

Universidad de San Andrés

AUSTRALIA

Queensland University of Technology - QUT

AUSTRIA

Universität Wien

Wirtschaftsuniversität Wien - WU

BELGIUM

Katholieke Universiteit Leuven - KU Leuven

Université Libre de Bruxelles - ULB

Solvay Brussels School of Economics and Management

Université Catholique de Louvain

BRAZIL

Fundação Armando Alvares Penteado - FAAP

Fundação Getúlio Vargas - FGV

Insper Instituto de Ensino e Pesquisa

CANADA

Brock University

Carleton University

HEC Montréal

Queen's University

Université de Montréal

Université Laval

University of British Columbia - UBC

CHILE

Universidad Adolfo Ibáñez - UAI

CHINA

Beijing Normal University

Hong Kong Baptist University

Renmin University of China

University Nottingham Ningbo China

University of Hong Kong - HKU

University of Macau

Fudan University

COLOMBIA

Pontificia Universidad Javeriana

CROATIA

University of Zagreb

CZECH REPUBLIC

Masaryk University

University of Economics, Prague

DENMARK

Aarhus Universitet

Copenhagen Business School - CBS

University of Copenhagen

ESTONIA

Estonian Business School

Tallinn University of Technology

FINLAND

Aalto University

Hanken School of Economics

University of Helsinki

University of Jyväskylä

University of Tampere

FRANCE

AUDENCINA NANTES École de Management

École de Management - EMLyon

École de Management de Grenoble

EDHEC Business School

ESCP Europe Business School

ESSEC Business School

HEC Paris

Sciences Po Aix

IÉSEG School of Management

Sciences Po

Sciences Po Toulouse

NEOMA Business School

Rennes School of Business

Université Catholique de Lille

ICN Artem Business School Nancy

Université de Strasbourg

Université de Tours

Université Jean Moulin Lyon 3

Université Montpellier

Université Paris Dauphine

SKEMA Business School

GERMANY

Bucerius Law School

Christian-Albrechts-Universität zu Kiel

EBS Universität für Wirtschaft und Recht

Frankfurt School of Finance & Management

Freie Universität Berlin

Hertie School of Governance

Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin

Technische Universität München - TUM

Ruhr-Universität Bochum - RUB

Technische Universität Berlin - TU Berlin

Universität Konstanz

Universität Mannheim

Universität zu Köln

Otto Beisheim School of Management - WHU

GREECE

Athens University of Economics and Business

Aristotle University of Thessaloniki

IRELAND

University College Dublin

ISRAEL

Interdisciplinary Center (ICD) Herzliya

LATVIA

Riga Graduate School of Law

LUXEMBOURG

Université du Luxembourg

MALTA

University of Malta

MOROCCO

École de Gouvernance et d'Économie de Rabat

NEW ZEALAND

Victoria University of Wellington

NORWAY

BI Norwegian Business School

Norwegian School of Economics - NHH

University of Bergen

University of Oslo - UiO

PERU

Universidad del Pacífico

Universidad ESAN

POLAND

Kozminski University

Nicolaus Copernicus University in Toruń

PORTUGAL

Universidade Católica Portuguesa

Universidade do Porto

Universidade NOVA de Lisboa

RUSSIA

Moscow State Institute of International Relations - MGIMO

National Research University Higher School of Economics - HSE

SINGAPORE

Singapore Management University - SMU

SLOVENIA

University of Ljubljana

SOUTH KOREA

Yonsei University

SPAIN

IE University

Universitat Ramon Llull

Universidad Complutense de Madrid

Universidad de Alicante

Universitat de Barcelona

Universidad de Cantabria

Universidad de Deusto

Universidad de Murcia

Universidad de Navarra

Universidad de Salamanca

Universidad Francisco de Vitoria - UFV Madrid

Universidad Pontificia Comillas

Universidad Rey Juan Carlos

Universitat Pompeu Fabra - UPF

Universitat de Valencia

SWEDEN

Lund University - School of Economics and Management

Stockholms Universitet

Göteborgs Universitet

Uppsala Universitet

SWITZERLAND

The Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies – Geneva

Universität Zürich

Université de Lausanne

University of St. Gallen

ZHAW School of Management & Law

TAIWAN

National Chengchi University

THAILAND

Chulalongkorn University

THE NETHERLANDS

Erasmus University Rotterdam

Maastricht University

Radboud University Nijmegen

University of Groningen

The Hague University of Applied Sciences

Leiden University

Utrecht University

Tilburg University

University of Amsterdam

TURKEY

Boğaziçi University

Koç University

UNITED KINGDOM

King's College London

Durham University

University of East Anglia - UEA

University of Exeter

University of Leeds

City, University of London

Oxford Brookes University

Robert Gordon University Aberdeen - RGU

University of Strathclyde Glasgow

University of Essex

University of Glasgow

URUGUAY

Universidad de Montevideo

USA

George Mason University

Marquette University

Northeastern University

Suffolk University

University of Florida - Levin College of Law

University of Pennsylvania

University of South Carolina

VIETNAM

Foreign Trade University - FTU

National Economics University



Life at LUISS

Accommodation

LUISS works with an agency to guarantee off-campus accommodation to all exchange student that apply.

Buddy and tandem programs

A peer-to-peer initiative to help integrate international students and enhance their LUISS experience by immersing them in campus life.

Visas and residence permits

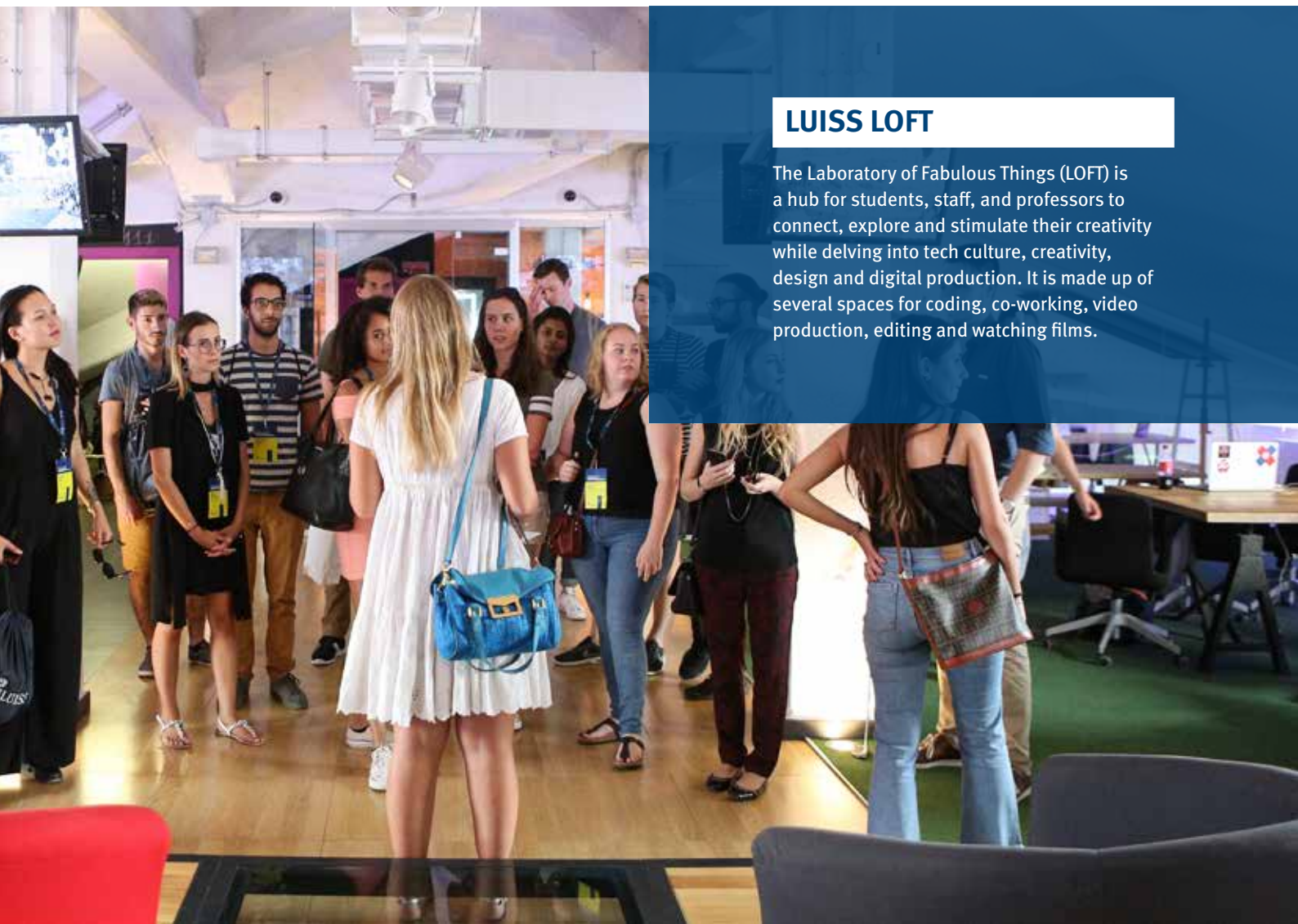
Assistance to non-EU students who need to apply for visas and residence permits in order to study and live in Italy. Special sessions are dedicated to helping students complete the requested documentation.

Cultural integration

Students are offered a wide range of cultural activities, from exploring unusual and secret places in Rome to contests, competitions and sports events.

LUISS LOFT

The Laboratory of Fabulous Things (LOFT) is a hub for students, staff, and professors to connect, explore and stimulate their creativity while delving into tech culture, creativity, design and digital production. It is made up of several spaces for coding, co-working, video production, editing and watching films.





LUISS Language Café

The LUISS Language Café is a multilingual home for creative collaboration, with three makerspaces and a theater area. Students can meet to read the latest news in different languages, enjoy free coffee, browse the café's international newspapers, magazines and over 700 books or learn to play an instrument.

Sports and medical certifications

Track and field, soccer, rowing, cycling, volleyball, swimming, basketball, rugby, skiing, tennis and other athletic opportunities, plus a free medical check-up and medical certifications for amateur sports.

Tutoring services

University tutors help students build an educational path that meets their job market goals by supporting them in making academic choices. Academic tutors organize study groups on specific subjects and exam workouts through the Academic Gym.

LUISS counseling

A service focused on cultural shock issues, available to students who might need advice on culture-related problems.

Italian language courses for Erasmus and exchange students

Complementary Italian courses, worth 3 ECTS credits, are offered to Erasmus and exchange students to provide them with basic or intermediate knowledge of the language to facilitate everyday communication.

Green mobility

A free shuttle bus service as well as shared electric bikes and cars allow students to move between campuses.

Cafeterias

LUISS offers two cafeterias located on the Viale Romania and Viale Pola campuses. Several menus include functional meals based on health food and gourmet dishes, as well as stations dedicated to Italian, international, vegetarian and gluten-free options.



The Student Exchange Office

The LUISS Student Exchange Office promotes and manages student exchanges within the Erasmus Programme, as well as through bilateral exchange agreements with non-European universities.

The office provides information and assistance to all students participating in these mobility programs. All procedures are based on the ECTS system.

HOW TO APPLY FOR AN EXCHANGE

Students interested in studying at LUISS as an Erasmus or exchange student must first be selected and nominated by the international office of their home university.

After the nomination, they will receive an invitation by email to complete an online application during which students will also be able to apply for accommodation.

From their nomination and throughout their time at LUISS, the Student Exchange Office provides information and assistance on administrative procedures to all incoming students.

Nomination deadline: mid-May

Application period: February 15 to May 31

Application deadline: May 31

LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS

Students selected for an exchange should have a B2 in English or a B1 in Italian.

LUISS student exchange agreements are based on mutual trust in selecting students. With most of our partners, language proficiency is certified by the home university, which confirms a candidate's level is adequate. In these cases, students are not required to submit an official language test certificate to participate in the exchange program.

Please ask your international office whether you are required to submit an official language certificate.

A photograph of a library study area. Several students are seated at long white tables, working on laptops. The room has bookshelves in the background and modern desk lamps. The overall atmosphere is quiet and focused.

Academic calendar

1

First semester

CLASSES
Beginning of September - end of November

MIDTERMS
One week at the beginning of November

EXAMS
One examination date for each course in December and one or two alternative dates in January and the beginning of February.

2

Second semester

CLASSES
Beginning of February - mid-May

MIDTERMS
One week at the beginning of April

EXAMS
Mid-May - beginning of July



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Erasmus+