



CALL FOR ADMISSIONS

The Collegio Ghislieri of Pavia, founded in 1567 by Pope St. Pius V, was expanded with section for female students named after Sandra Bruni in 1966. It operates under the supervision of the Ministry of University, which recognizes it as an institution of high cultural qualification, and under the High Patronage of the President of the Republic.

In its four hundred and fifty years of history it has had as students many important national and international personalities, including Carlo Goldoni.

The sixteenth-century palace of the College is located in Pavia downtown, a few minutes' walk from the University.

1. AVAILABLE PLACES

The following places are to be conferred, with exams-based competition, to students of three-year degree courses or single-cycle degree courses of the University of Pavia:

FOURTEEN student places (males)

FOURTEEN student places (females)

In addition, as indicated in the following issue 8, there are places to be conferred to students who are going to enrol in the first year of a Master Degree course at the University of Pavia:

ONE student place (male)

ONE student place (female)

The Board of Directors reserves the right to use the rankings of the competition to award additional places that may become available at a later date.

Some places will be entitled to: Fondazione Beltrami, Giulio e Alessandro Buzio, Antonio Carini, Fondazione Castiglioni, Fondazione Enea Mattei, Alessandro Pellegrini, UBI Banca, Francesco Carnevali and Anna Clara Lodi.

2. SERVICES AND REQUIREMENTS OF STAY

Students are hosted in single rooms, which are equipped with free internet access via cable and Wi-Fi; room cleaning and linen change services are also provided.

The meal service includes breakfast, lunch and dinner seven days a week.

Students are entitled to use the library (with more than 130,000 volumes), study and recreation rooms, the computer room, the music room, the gym, the tennis court and five-a-side football pitch.

The Collegio promotes and organizes several cultural and educational activities, including some courses of the University of Pavia and numerous events open to a large audience.



The winners of the place will have to sign a "Personalized training project", in line with the objectives pursued by the Conferenza dei Collegi Universitari di Merito, recognized and accredited by the Italian Ministry for Education, University and Research (www.collegiuniversitari.it).

The Collegio promotes and organises multiple cultural initiatives (such as debates, conferences, study seminars, foreign language courses, workshops, etc.) in various disciplinary fields.

Places are subject to annual confirmation, based on the merit requirements and other conditions established by the Collegio Regulations. In order to obtain the annual confirmation of the place, the student must carry out the "Personalized training project" and must pass all the exams required by the study plan approved by her/his Department for the completed academic year by the end of each calendar year. The average mark must be at least 27/30; marks below 24/30 are not accepted.

At the end of the period of stay in the Collegio, The Collegio together with CCUM will issue a "Diploma di Collegio" to certify the training course carried out.

3. ECONOMIC CONDITIONS: FREE PLACES AND PARTIAL REFUNDS

Places are conferred on the base of a maintenance costs reimbursement (€ 10,500 - ten thousands and five hundred Euros), an amount which guarantees a benefit to the student, in relation to the effective cost of maintenance.

In addition, the Collegio recognizes the following benefits, based on the ranking in the competition and considering the economic conditions of the candidates' families:

- a) Candidates with an ISEE indicator of less than or equal to € 17,000 will receive a discount of € 10,500. Candidates interested in this facility are required to apply for an EDiSU (Ente per il Diritto allo Studio Universitario) of Pavia scholarship (for the deadline see the site www.edisu.pv.it); should it be awarded, two thirds of it has to be paid to the Collegio.
- b) Candidates who obtain one of the scholarships provided in Articles 8 and 14 of the call for admissions to the courses of the Scuola Universitaria Superiore IUSS will receive a discount of € 10,500. They are required to pay to the Collegio this scholarship (which will be directly paid by the Scuola Universitaria Superiore IUSS to the Collegio Ghislieri).
If eligible, students are required to apply for an EDiSU (Ente per il Diritto allo Studio Universitario) of Pavia scholarship (for the deadline see the site www.edisu.pv.it); should it be awarded, a fifth of it has to be paid to the Collegio.
- c) The Collegio grants a benefit of € 10,500 to the candidate who has obtained the highest score (in any case at least 285/300); in the event of a tie, the person with the lowest ISEE indicator will be preferred.
- d) Candidates who present an ISEE indicator between € 17,000.01 and € 50,333.33 will be granted a benefit equal to: 8,500 minus 15% of the difference between the ISEE value and € 17,000.
- e) Candidates with an ISEE indicator between € 50,333.34 and € 69,999.99 will receive a discount of € 3,500.
- f) Candidates who present an ISEE indicator between € 70,000 and € 80,000 will receive a discount of € 2,000.
- g) Candidates who present an ISEE indicator between € 80,000.01 and € 90,000 will receive a discount of € 1,000.



The benefit granted to candidates who live alone or in a family nucleus different from that of origin, or who are children of separated or divorced parents, is determined taking into account the overall economic and financial situation.

In order to avoid cross-currency transactions, the benefits are granted by compensating the student for the maintenance of his or her place (€ 10,500).

The Board of Directors reserves the right to modify the criteria for determining the benefits on an annual basis.

The above-mentioned facilitations are not applicable to students who benefit of other forms of facilitations.

Some places may profit from the benefits granted by INPS, Gestione Dipendenti Pubblici (ex INPDAP), Gestione Assistenza Magistrale (ex ENAM) and Gestione Postelegrafonici (ex IPOST) in favour of candidates who match the requirements indicated by the call (see the website www.inps.it).

Winners of places who match the necessary requirements may apply to the ENPAM Foundation for subsidies (see www.enpam.it).

4. TITLES FOR ADMISSION TO THE COMPETITION

The candidate must have reported a total grade of at least 80/100 in the State Examination; furthermore, if s/he is already a university student, s/he must have passed the exams of her/his study plan with an average annual grade not lower than 27/30 and with at least 24/30 in each exam.

Those who during the year 2020 are twenty-three or more and those who are already in possession of a three-year degree are not eligible for the competition.

If candidates have exams that have not yet been taken at the time of the application submission, they must pass them by 31 October 2020 with the same marks-requirements indicated above.

5. APPLICATION AND DOCUMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO THE COMPETITION

The application for the competition has to be submitted online at www.ghislieri.it/collegio **by 3 pm on Friday, August 28th 2020. For information, please contact the Administration of Collegio Ghislieri, piazza Ghislieri, 4, Pavia (tel. +39 0382 3786217; fax +39 0382 23752; e-mail: concorso@ghislieri.it).**

The ISEE certificate (the Italian Indicator of the Economic Situation) for University benefits must be attached to the application (cf. D.LGS. 31/3/1998 n. 109 and 3/5/2000 n. 130 and subsequent amendments and additions).

In addition to this, Candidates who live alone or in a family unit other than their family of origin or who are the children of separated or divorced parents are also required to file their Income Tax Returns (“Dichiarazione dei redditi”).

Inaccuracies and omissions in the declarations necessary for the issuing of the ISEE certificate may result in the exclusion from the competition or the loss of the place. The Collegio reserves the right to verify with the competent tax offices the regularity of the submitted documentation.

By expressly writing it, it is possible to renounce the envisaged benefits. In this case, the candidate may not attach the required documentation (the I.S.E.E indicator will be presumed to exceed € 90,000).

It should be noted that candidates who wish to be admitted to the Corsi Ordinari of IUSS will have to directly and separately apply to the same Institute, by 12 noon on Friday, August 28th, according to what indicated on issue 5 of Scuola Universitaria Superiore IUSS call for admissions.



Candidates who are already students enrolled at any University must attach the certification of the exams taken with the relative marks.

A detailed *curriculum vitae et studiorum* must be attached to the candidates' application for master's degrees (issue 8 of this call for applications). The candidate can attach also any other relevant document.

A copy of the candidate's ID card or passport must be attached to the application.

6. COMPETITION

The Committee of the exam competition is composed by academic professors and is appointed and chaired by the Rector Magnificus of the University of Pavia.

The competition consists of two tests organized by the Scuola Universitaria Superiore IUSS and two oral tests organized by the Collegio Ghislieri. Candidates must attend all the tests with a valid identity document.

The tests organized by the Scuola Universitaria Superiore IUSS will take place on **Wednesday, September 2nd 2020**, as stated by the issue 6 of the Scuola Universitaria Superiore IUSS call for admissions.

It should be noted that candidates who do not require admission to the Scuola Universitaria Superiore IUSS Corsi Ordinari and who intend to compete only for a post at the Ghislieri Collegio must also take these tests.

The oral tests organized by the Collegio Ghislieri will be assessed online, starting from **Thursday, September 3rd 2020** according to the calendar that will be available on the Collegio website from the afternoon of **Tuesday, September 1st 2020**, with the exception of candidates taking part in the Medicine test, for which the competition tests will begin on **Friday, September 4th**. The technical instructions will be published on the Collegio's website by Tuesday, August 25th.

The oral tests consist of an exam on two subjects chosen by the candidate from:

1. *History, Philosophy, Italian, Mathematics* for students of Economics, Law, Political Science and Communication.
2. *Italian, Latin, History, Philosophy* for students of Literature, Languages, Philosophy, Psychology, Musicology and Cultural Heritage.
3. *Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry, Biology* for students of the Faculty of Medicine and Surgery and for the students in Pharmacy, Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry, Geology, Biological and Natural Sciences, Biotechnologies, Physical Education.
4. *Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Computer Science* for the students of the Faculty of Engineering.

Candidates are examined on the program published on the website www.ghislieri.it/collegio. Starting from these programs, the Commission evaluates the preparation, intellectual maturity and aptitude to the studies to which they are addressed, also considering the university courses already taken.

7. ASSIGNMENT AND ACCEPTANCE OF PLACES

The places are assigned on the basis of four rankings (distinguished for the male and female sections), corresponding respectively: to the study courses in Literature, Languages, Philosophy, Psychology, Musicology and Cultural Heritage; to the study courses in Economics, Law, Political Science, Communication; to the courses of study of the Faculty of Engineering and to the courses of study in Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry, Geology; to the courses of study of the Faculty of Medicine and Surgery, and to the courses of study in Pharmacy, Biological and Natural Sciences, Biotechnology, Physical Education.

The final score results from the sum of the marks obtained in the tests organized by Scuola Universitaria Superiore IUSS (assessed in hundredths overall) and in the oral tests organized by the Collegio Ghislieri



(individually assessed in hundredths). The candidates are included in the rankings of the suitable candidates if they reach the minimum score of 240/300 and if they have obtained in the two tests organized by the Scuola Universitaria Superiore IUSS the minimum overall mark of 70/100.

Candidates who have obtained the minimum overall mark of at least 65/100 in the two tests organized by the Scuola Universitaria Superiore IUSS are considered eligible if they obtain the minimum overall grade of 190/200 in the two oral tests organized by the Collegio Ghislieri.

In the event of a tie, precedence is given to the candidate with a lower ISEE indicator

The rankings of the eligible candidates will be made public on Thursday 10 September.

The winners must confirm acceptance of the place by 1 pm on Monday 14 September, by an e-mail sent to the address rettorato@ghislieri.it (with the exception of those who have taken the test for the access to the MD programme, who will be requested their acceptance at a later date).

8. MASTER'S DEGREE

Admission to the Collegio of students who enroll in the first year of a master's degree takes place on the basis of an online interview, evaluated by a special commission, which takes into account the *curriculum* and any other qualification considered relevant by the candidate, and aims to ascertain her/his motivations and her/his potential within the cultural life of the Collegio.

The places are assigned, separately for the male and female sections, on the basis of two rankings. Each candidate is given a vote in hundredths.

Candidates are considered eligible by obtaining a mark of at least 80/100.

Candidates must follow these requirements: average marks for each year of the three-year degree course not less than 28/30, with at least 24/30 in any exam; bachelor's degree obtained within the three-year period with a minimum mark of 110/110. Candidates who are not yet in possession of the three-year degree at the time of the application must complete it by Thursday, December 31st 2020.

Potential candidates who are twenty-six or more years of age during the year 2020 and those who already hold a master's degree are not eligible for the competition.

The Collegio will communicate, at the email address indicated by the candidate, the date on which the interview will take place, by Thursday, September 3rd 2020.

The services and available facilities offered are indicated on issue 2; the economic conditions applied are indicated on issue 3 (except for issue c).

The application and the documents for admission to the interview must be submitted as explained on issue 5.

Pavia, June 2020

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