

2026/2027 ACADEMIC YEAR

Economics and Statistics: degree courses with limited access

Call for applications for non-EU students residing abroad

This document is an unofficial translation of the most relevant portions of the official call for admission. In the event of any discrepancies, the Italian version shall prevail

Duration: 3 years (180 ECTS)

Location: Milan, Italy

Selection: non-EU candidates residing abroad<sup>1</sup>

Deadlines: from 18 February 2026 to 31 March 2026

Undergraduate degree course	Course structure	Places reserved for visa applicants
Business Economics and Management	<a href="https://en.unimib.it/undergraduate/business-economics-management-ema">https://en.unimib.it/undergraduate/business-economics-management-ema</a>	2
Economics and Business Administration	<a href="https://en.unimib.it/undergraduate/economics-and-business-administration">https://en.unimib.it/undergraduate/economics-and-business-administration</a>	3
Economics, data analysis and management	<a href="https://en.unimib.it/undergraduate/economics-data-analysis-management">https://en.unimib.it/undergraduate/economics-data-analysis-management</a>	3
Economics, banking and finance	<a href="https://en.unimib.it/undergraduate/economics-banking-finance">https://en.unimib.it/undergraduate/economics-banking-finance</a>	10
Economics and Science for Environmental Sustainability	<a href="https://en.unimib.it/undergraduate/economics-science-environmental-sustainability">https://en.unimib.it/undergraduate/economics-science-environmental-sustainability</a>	20
Marketing, Business Communication and Global Markets	<a href="https://en.unimib.it/undergraduate/marketing-communication-global-markets">https://en.unimib.it/undergraduate/marketing-communication-global-markets</a>	5
Statistics, Machine Learning and Economics	<a href="https://en.unimib.it/undergraduate/statistical-economic-sciences">https://en.unimib.it/undergraduate/statistical-economic-sciences</a>	2
Statistics and Information Management	<a href="https://en.unimib.it/undergraduate/statistics-information-management">https://en.unimib.it/undergraduate/statistics-information-management</a>	3

<sup>1</sup> This call for applications does NOT concern the following categories of students, who must refer to the selection procedures for EU and equivalent citizens:

- candidates with EU citizenship, including dual citizenship (non-EU and EU), and citizens of Iceland, Liechtenstein, Norway, Switzerland, the Republic of San Marino;
- non-EU candidates holding a valid Italian residence permit that allows them to enrol at a university in accordance with the regulations in force, or an EU residence permit for long-term residents;
- candidates with an Italian qualification, regardless of their nationality.

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## 1. Admission Requirements

- Upper secondary school diploma, with at least 12 years of schooling, eligible for access to university education and to be obtained by 31 July 2026. More information is available at: <https://en.unimib.it/study/information-international-students>;
- Knowledge of Italian: level B2 (CEFR) or equivalent to be achieved by 31 July 2026;
- Knowledge of English (only for Economics and Science for Environmental Sustainability): B2 level (CEFR) or equivalent to be achieved by 31 July 2026;

The complete list of accepted certificates and how to meet the language requirement can be found at the link:

<https://www.unimib.it/internazionalizzazione/informazioni-studenti-internazionali/studenti-italiani-titolo-estero/studenti-comunitari-equiparati-e-stranieri-gia-residenti-italia>.

## 2. Entrance test

- TOLC-E (for Business Economics and Management; Economics, Data Analysis and Management; Economics and Science for Environmental Sustainability; Economics, Banking and Finance; Marketing, Business Communication and Global Markets; Statistics, Machine Learning and Economics; Statistics and Information Management)
- CEnT-S or English TOLC-E (only for Economics and Science for Environmental Sustainability)

From 1 January 2024, until 27 March 2026.

More information on the minimum scores required can be found in the *Selection Criteria* section.

## 3. Application procedure

- Register for the TOLC or CEnT test on the CISIA portal [https://tolc.cisiaonline.it/studenti\\_tolc/user\\_test\\_tolc.php](https://tolc.cisiaonline.it/studenti_tolc/user_test_tolc.php) , paying the registration fee set by CISIA
- Apply for the degree programme of interest via the platform for students with a foreign qualification: <https://apply.unimib.it/> from 18 February 2026:
  - ✓ register and/or log in to the portal and complete the application, making sure to fill in all the fields and upload all the necessary documents;
  - ✓ submit the application by clicking on the "Submit" button by 31 March 2026 (12:00 - Italian time);
  - ✓ take the TOLC test by 27 March 2026 and upload the results to the [apply.unimib.it](https://apply.unimib.it) platform by 31 March 2026 at the latest.

Taking the TOLC test and/or completing the application for the degree programme alone do not entitle you to be considered for selection if the application has not been confirmed and submitted via the [apply.unimib.it](https://apply.unimib.it) platform by 31 March 2026 (12:00 p.m. Italian time).

Admission to the course is subject to the fulfilment of the entry requirements and the suitability of the qualification.

Those who do not meet these requirements will not be able to access the course even if they take a TOLC test valid for admission.

## 4. Conducting the TOLC CenT-S test

The TOLC test is delivered through the platform set up by CISIA. For all procedures regarding registration, booking and taking the test, please refer to the website: [www.cisiaonline.it](http://www.cisiaonline.it)

- Test registration:

TOLC-E: [https://testcisia.it/studenti\\_tolc/user\\_test\\_tolc.p](https://testcisia.it/studenti_tolc/user_test_tolc.p)

CEnT-S: <https://cisialonline.it/cent/tutto-sul-CEnT/come-prenotare-un-CEnT>

- Structure of the tests and knowledge required (Syllabus):

<https://www.cisialonline.it/en/cent/cent-s/structure-and-syllabus>

- Dates and locations for the delivery of the tests: <https://testcisia.it/calendario.php?l=gb>
- TOLC and TOLC@CASA Student Regulations: <https://cisialonline.it/en/tolc/all-about-tolc/TOLC-rules>
- CEnT-S and CEnT-S@CASA Student Regulations: <https://cisialonline.it/en/cent/all-about-CEnT/CEnT-rules>
- Contacts and support: <https://helpdesk.cisialonline.it>

The TOLC and CEnT-S can be taken at any CISIA-member university and in any delivery mode (at the universities - TOLC@UNI, CEnT@UNI or at home - TOLC@CASA, CEnT@CASA). There is no requirement that it be taken at Università degli Studi Milano-Bicocca.

## 5. Required documentation

The following documents are required to submit your application:

- High school diploma or certificate of attendance if not yet graduated
- Report cards from the last two school years
- Any additional documentation relating to the qualification obtained, such as: AP levels for US high school diplomas, A-levels for British diplomas, Academic qualifications such as Gaokao for China or ENEM for Brazil
- Identity document (passport or ID card)
- English TOLC-E access test certificate
- Certification of Italian / English proficiency, level B2, among those recognised by the University, if already possessed.

The complete list of accepted certificates and how to meet the language requirement can be found at the link: <https://en.unimib.it/study/information-international-students/access-students-international-qualification>.

Certificates of comparability and/or verification of the university degree issued by CIMEA will be required if further verification of the entrance qualification is deemed necessary. In this case, the payment receipt for the request must be sent via the [apply.unimib.it](https://apply.unimib.it) platform by the deadline of 31 March 2026.

## 6. Candidates with learning or other disabilities

Candidates with learning or other disabilities may request accommodations by submitting their certificate upon registering for the TOLC test.

The certificate of disability must be:

- issued by INPS, pursuant to Law no. 118 of 30 March 1971 (civil invalidity);

or

- issued by the territorial public health authority, under Law no. 104/92 as amended (disability certificate).

The diagnosis of SLD must:

- meet the criteria of the Consensus Conference (2011);
- report the condition codes, the explicit description of the SLD in question, and contain the information necessary to understand its individual characteristics with indications of areas of strength and weakness.
- It must also have been issued by national health facilities or institutions or professionals accredited by the Regions and not more than 3 years old if performed before the age of majority of the candidate (Art. 3 Law n° 170/2010 and subsequent State-Regions Agreement of 24/07/2012).

Candidates may be admitted to the test with the medical certificate in their possession, subject to requesting additional documentation at a later date.

For any additional support arranged by the University, candidates will be contacted directly by Spazio B.Inclusion. Failure on the part of the applicant to confirm by e-mail will be considered as renunciation of the requested support.

For further information, please contact Spazio B.Inclusion well in advance of the chosen test session by writing to the e-mail address [supporti.tolc@unimib.it](mailto:supporti.tolc@unimib.it).

## 7. Selection criteria

The ranking of each degree course is drawn up on the basis of the score achieved in the TOLC test, taken from 1 January 2024 and by 27 March 2026

Degree course	TOLC and TOLC SECTIONS considered for ranking purposes	SCORES valid for inclusion in the ranking
Business Economics and Management	TOLC-E; Mathematics, Logic, Verbal Comprehension	minimum total score of 13 in the 3 sections, with a minimum threshold of 4 in the mathematics section
Economics and Business Administration		
Economics, data analysis and management		
Economics, banking and finance		
Statistics and Information Management		
Economics and Science for Environmental Sustainability	CEnT-S; Mathematics and Reasoning on texts and data	minimum total score of 28 in the 2 sections of Mathematics and Reasoning on texts and data, with the minimum threshold in the Mathematics section equal to 13.5*
	TOLC-E or English TOLC-E; Mathematics, Logic, Reading Comprehension	minimum total score of 13 in the 3 sections of Mathematics, Logic, Verbal Comprehension, with the minimum threshold in the mathematics section of 4**
Marketing, Business Communication and Global Markets.	TOLC-E: Mathematics, Logic, Verbal Comprehension	a minimum total score of 13 in the 3 sections of Mathematics, Logic, Verbal Comprehension with a minimum score of 4 in the mathematics section ***
Statistics, Machine Learning and Economics		

\* Additional training obligations (OFA) will be provided, to be fulfilled within the first year of the course, if in the Mathematics section the candidate has achieved a score of less than 15.5 and greater than or equal to 13.5. Anyone who fails such tests will not be allowed to sit for any exam for years subsequent to the first year until they pass the Mathematics exam (6 credits) contemplated for Year I.

\*\* Additional training obligations (OFA) will be provided, to be fulfilled within the first year of the course, if in the mathematics section the candidate has achieved a score of less than 5 and greater than or equal to 4. Anyone who fails such tests will not be allowed to sit for any exam for years subsequent to the first year until they pass the Mathematics exam (6 credits) contemplated for Year I.

\*\*\* Additional training obligations (OFA) will be provided, to be fulfilled within the first year of the course, if the candidate has achieved a score of less than 5 and greater than or equal to 4 in the mathematics section.

## 8. Selection results and acceptance

The rankings will be published on the course of study pages by 18 May 2026.

Successful applicants must:

- Obtain an entry visa and arrive to Italy no later than 31 January 2027
- Send the documentation listed in the Enrolment paragraph via the [apply.unimib.it](https://apply.unimib.it) platform
- Accept the offer of admission and pay the deposit by following the instructions received through the [apply.unimib.it](https://apply.unimib.it) portal

## 9. Enrolment

In case of admission to the degree programme, the following documents must be submitted to complete the enrolment:

- High school diploma in original language with legalisation, if not previously submitted
- Translation of high school diploma, if not already available in one of the following languages: Italian, English, French, Spanish or German
- Any additional documentation relating to the qualification obtained, such as: AP levels for US high school diplomas, A-levels for British diplomas, Academic qualifications such as Gaokao for China or ENEM for Brazil
- Italian tax code
- Entry visa and receipt of residence permit application. The entry visa must be issued by 31 January 2027.
- Any additional documentation required by the University credential evaluators via the platform [apply.unimib.it](https://apply.unimib.it)
- Certification of English language proficiency at level B2 among those accepted by the University (only for Economics and Science for Environmental Sustainability)

In the absence of such certification, it will be necessary to pass the Italian language proficiency test through the ITA L-2@CASA test by CISIA. Dates and registration protocols for the test will be posted on the [University Website](#). Information on CISIA test content and administration are available on the [CISIA Portal](#). The deadline for submission of the documents is 31 October 2026, subject to any impediments duly indicated by the applicant.

Once all documentation has been submitted and confirmation has been received from the offices in charge, students are required to book an appointment at the International Admissions and Credential Evaluations desk to submit the original documentation for review by 28 February 2027.

Enrolment is considered conditional until all required control procedures are completed. Failure to submit documentation, submission of qualifications unsuitable for the level of the chosen degree programme and/or submission of false documentation will result in a report to the Head of the procedure for the adoption of appropriate disciplinary measures.

## 10. Additional Training Obligations (OFA)

*- Degree Course in Economics and Science for Environmental Sustainability*

### CEnT-S Test

Any enrolled student scoring between 13.5 and 15.5 on the MATHEMATICS section of the CEnT-S test will have additional training obligations, which must be completed within the first year of the course. Students will be able to meet the additional training obligations by passing the final exam of the mathematics course that will be organised.

### TOLC-E or English TOLC-E test

Any enrolled student scoring between 4 and 5 on the "Basic Mathematics" section will have additional training obligations, which must be completed within the first year of the course.

**- Degree Course in Marketing, Business Communication and Global Markets and Degree Course in Statistics, Machine Learning and Economics**

Any enrolled student scoring between 4 and 5 on the "Basic Mathematics" section will have additional training obligations, which must be completed within the first year of the course.

### **11. Warnings**

The enrolment application is for all legal purposes a self-certification, within the meanings of Art. 46 of Presidential Decree 445/2000.

Candidates alone shall be responsible for the correct entry of the data required for the admission and registration procedures and are therefore required to check their accuracy. The University of Milano - Bicocca reserves the right to perform appropriate checks, including sampling checks, on statements made. If, as a result of the checking, it emerges that untrue declarations have been made, the registration will be automatically cancelled (Art. 21-nonies of Law 241/90), without prejudice to the penalties provided for under the criminal code and statute law on the subject (Arts. 75 and 76 of Presidential Decree 445/2000).

### **12. Transparency**

This call for applications will be published on the Official Notice Board of the University and posted to the Università degli Studi Milano-Bicocca website ([www.unimib.it](http://www.unimib.it)). The aforementioned publication shall have the value of official notice to relevant parties for all effects and consequences under the Law.

An extraordinary appeal to the President of the Republic, for defects of legitimacy only, may be lodged within 120 days, or a judicial appeal to the Regional Administrative Court, within 60 days from the date of publication on the Official Notice Board of Università degli Studi Milano-Bicocca.

### **13. Information on processing of personal data**

Data will be processed in accordance with Legislative Decree no. 196 of 2003 (Personal Data Protection Code) and its subsequent amendments and additions, as well as EU Regulation 2016/679 (General Data Protection Regulation, the GDPR for short). The privacy policy is available for consultation through the University's website, at <https://www.unimib.it/privacy>. The processing of data by CISIA will be carried out in accordance with the TOLC Regulation, available at: <https://www.cisiaonline.it/en/tolc/all-about-tolc/TOLC-rules>.

### **14. Final provisions**

The person responsible for the administrative procedure and the procedure for access to documents is the Head of the International Affairs Sector. This procedure will be managed in accordance with the TOLC Regulations available at: [www.cisiaonline.it/area-tematica-tolc-cisia/regolamenti/](http://www.cisiaonline.it/area-tematica-tolc-cisia/regolamenti/) and in the TOLC Regulations for participating universities, in compliance with current legislation. For anything not specified in this call for applications, please refer to the applicable Italian legislation.

Milan, date of registration

THE RECTOR  
Marco Emilio Orlandi  
(signed digitally in accordance with Legislative Decree 82/2005)