A warm welcome to the students and the teachers who have chosen to study or to work at the University of Padova eight centuries after its foundation.

The University of Padova has taught many generations of young people to respect different views, freedom of thought, opinion and research. The University’s historic motto – Universa Universis Patavina Libertas – is a declaration of love for humanity and for human thought, untainted by discrimination, prejudice or censure.

Studying in Padova means becoming part of this historical tradition of learning, accepting its values of freedom and pledging to cultivate and to pass them on. Those who do so are rewarded with a chance for personal and cultural growth by teachers and researchers of national and international acclaim and by first-class educational facilities and support.

Studying in Padova means joining one of Europe’s most qualified learning and research communities and living in a city that brims with culture, artistic beauty and hospitality.

Giuseppe Zaccaria
University Rector

Flavio Rodeghiero
ESU Extraordinary Commissioner
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University of Padova

The University of Padova is one of Europe’s oldest and most prestigious seats of learning; it is a multi-disciplinary university that aims to provide its students with both professional training and a solid cultural background. A qualification from the University of Padova is a symbol of having achieved an ambitious objective, one that is recognised and coveted by both students and employers alike.

The University of Padova offers its potential students 13 faculties, 91 first cycle degree courses, 78 second cycle degree courses, 8 single cycle degree courses, as well as a vast array of Postgraduate courses. Although Padova is where the vast majority of teaching takes place, a number of off-campus sites are located in the towns around Veneto.

Courses at the University of Padova are constantly updated in order to meet the ever-changing needs of the labour market. Its Healthcare degrees, for instance, cover a wide range of new courses such as Pediatric Nursing (Medical School), or Neuroscience and Neuropsychological Rehabilitation (Psychology). Its degrees also reflect today’s needs to safeguard both the environment with courses in Environmental Sciences and Technology (Agriculture Sciences), and consumers with Safety and Hygiene of Food Products (Veterinary Medicine). Research into pharmaceuticals is also covered with Pharmaceutical Biotechnologies (Pharmacy), as is research into hi-tech products with a course in Materials Science (Sciences). Great emphasis is also placed on Humanities, such as History and Conservation of Artistic and Cultural Herit-

Since 1222

The University of Padova was established in 1222 after a group of students and teachers decided to come here from Bologna. They set up a free body of scholars that was divided by place of origin into nations, in which students approved statutes, elected the rettore (rector, or chancellor) and chose their teachers, who were paid with money the students collected. Defending freedom of thought in study and teaching became a distinctive feature which today lives on in the University motto: Universa Universis Patavina Libertas. The introduction of empirical and experimental methods alongside the teaching of theory marked the dawn of a golden age. In the 16th and 17th centuries, Padova became a
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workshop of ideas and the home of figures that changed the cultural and scientific history of humanity. These figures included Andrea Vesalio, who founded modern anatomy, as well as Copernicus, and Galileo, who observed the skies here. Padova also vaunts the world’s first University botanical garden and permanent anatomy theatre, which was built by Girolamo Fabrici d’Acquapendente. William Harvey, who became famous for describing how blood circulated, studied in Padova, and in 1678 Elena Lucrezia Cornaro Piscopia was the first woman in the world to be awarded a degree.

The fall of the Serenissima Republic of Venezia marked the dawn of a dark age. Padova fell under the rule of first the French and then the Austrians, passing through Italy’s tumultuous Risorgimento, which also shook the University.

Figures

60,000 students
2,396 teaching staff
12,000 graduates every year
65 short specialisation degree courses
52 specialisation schools
34 doctoral degree schools
12,000 students on work experience and apprenticeships every year

64 departments
47 libraries
44 research and service centres
1 hospital
1 farm
Between the late 19th and early 20th centuries, the University expanded to include the faculties of Engineering, Pharmacy, and Political Sciences alongside its traditional faculties of Law, Medical School, Arts and Philosophy, and Sciences.

The advent of Fascism curtailed the University’s values of free thought and cultural independence. Its professors swore allegiance to the regime, after which the approval of Italy’s racial laws and the expulsion of Jewish professors opened one of the darkest periods in the University’s history. Rector Concetto Marchesi awoke the University from its slumber and at the height of the Nazi occupation made a courageous appeal to the students to fight for the freedom of Italy. For its sacrifices in the name of the Liberation, the University of Padova was awarded a gold medal for military valour, the only university to receive one.

ESU - Padova

The University of Padova is home to 15,000 students from outside Padova, and about 22,000 students commute every day, making Padova the largest university in North-east Italy. This makes “living the University of Padova” both a slogan and the raison d’être behind the facilities and support services that ESU, the Regional Organisation for the Right to University Education, provides for the city’s students.

ESU has 14 halls of residence and 4 guesthouses near University buildings in Padova and Vicenza, making it one of Italy’s leading providers of student accommodation. ESU houses 1,600 students every year and provides services that include Internet, sports facilities, laundries and porter services. The University also has agreements with non-profit institutes around Padova which provide students with a further 900 places.

ESU, Padova City Council and the University also promote special rent agreements for students, which aim to ensure securer and cheaper conditions for those who rent from private citizens.

Although the daily life of a student is made up of lessons, libraries and fun, there is one occasion on which ESU behaves like the perfect host: meal times. Students can have lunch in one of ESU’s four university canteens, or in one of fourteen affiliated canteens throughout the region. About 1.5 million meals are served every year. Prices are low, but the menu varied and quality high. Indeed, all four of ESU’s canteens have a certified quality system, as do four of the affiliated canteens.
During the post-war period, the University opened faculties of Education, Agriculture Sciences, and Psychology, and, in the 1990s, faculties of Veterinary Medicine, and Economics and Business Administration. In the 20th century, the University of Padova produced great literati such as Diego Valeri and Concetto Marchesi; engineers such as Giuseppe Colombo, the “master of celestial mechanics”; mathematicians such as Tullio Levi Civita; jurists such as Alfredo Rocco and Livio Paladin; philosophers such as Luigi Stefanini and Enrico Opocher; and doctors such as Vincenzo Gallucci, who carried out the first heart transplant in Italy. This new millennium opened with some important discoveries, in particular in medicine, biomedicine, engineering and aerospace technology.

Figures

- 1,500,000 meals served 2008
- 1,600 bed places
  - 900 bed places in affiliated residences
  - 168 guesthouse places
- 10,000 people helped by the information and guidance centre
- 30,000 presences in the library consultation room
- 250 employees

Nowadays ESU plays a part in every aspect of student life, including information and advice to high school students, individual guidance and careers advice, support for students in need, book discounts and book-loan services, support for cultural events and organising the welcome for Erasmus students.
**The city**

Surrounded by the Euganean Hills and crossed by waterways, Padova is a city that blends historical tradition and culture with burgeoning business and service industries. Its central position makes it perfect for reaching Venezia and its beach resorts, the Dolomites, Lake Garda and the spa resorts of Abano and Montegrotto Terme. Almost 500,000 tourists visit Padova each year to marvel at its art and fine heritage of architecture and museums. Its squares, porticoes and old cobbled streets tell the story of a wealthy, beautiful medieval town that was renowned for its art and culture. Over the last few years, the city’s economy has taken off and its trade, logistics, infrastructure and large-scale distribution have grown alongside its already well-developed network of small and medium enterprises. Padova is at the heart of North-east Italy and is the powerhouse behind one of Europe’s largest economic and industrial areas with more than 7 million inhabitants and 600,000 firms.

**Padova**

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Veneto: seven provinces to discover

Padova is just one of Veneto’s seven provinces, each of which is home to beautiful natural scenery and internationally renowned works of art. Venezia is about 30-40 minutes by train and so it is within easy reach of Padova, making it the perfect destination for a day trip or even a special night out. Once you have seen Venezia’s old town, you should also take a trip to its stunning lagoon islands, which are just a short water-bus ride from the S. Zaccaria stop in St. Mark’s Square, or from Fondamente Nove. The province of Venezia also includes a host of coastal resorts with great beaches and nightlife.

Rovigo is another of Veneto’s ‘cities on water’; it is the major centre in Polesine, the area at the mouth of the River Po and one of the region’s stunning natural parks. It is the perfect place for excursions through reed-beds, lagoons and fishing valleys where you can see and photograph a wide variety of plants and more than 370 species of birds.

From the plains of the Po, we head towards the mountains: Belluno has historical palazzos, a major art gallery and is also a gateway to the Dolomites. This mountain range in the Eastern Alps is famed for its colours and shapes, which teem with walkers in summer and skiers in winter.

Treviso stands at the heart of Veneto and has a beautiful historic centre, but the surrounding area is also studded with gems, such as the old hilltop town of Asolo, and Possagno, which is a shrine to the neo-Classical sculptor Antonio Canova. Further west, Vicenza vaunts works by Andrea Palladio, one of the greatest architects of the 16th century. His style is on display throughout the town, as well as in villas in the local countryside.

Verona has its Arena, which is one of Italy’s most breathtaking examples of Ancient Roman architecture; in summer, its steps throng with people from all over the world who come to listen to the opera festival held there. Nearby Lake Garda, which sits on the border between Veneto and Lombardy, is home to yet more beautiful landscapes and scenery.
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Course organisation

Laurea / First Cycle Degree
This assures students a basic theoretical preparation and an adequate command of general scientific methods and content, in addition to the acquisition of specific professional know-how. Students are admitted if they have a secondary-school leaver’s diploma or a recognised foreign qualification. A first cycle degree requires 180 credits, which can generally be accumulated within three years. Graduates are awarded the qualification of dottore.

Laurea Magistrale or Specialistica / Second Cycle Degree
A laurea magistrale affords a more sophisticated level of education. This second level qualification is open to graduates with a first cycle degree and requires an additional 120 credits, which can be accumulated over two years. A minimum degree level and specific curricula may be required for admission. Graduates are awarded the qualification of dottore magistrale.

Laurea Magistrale or Specialistica a Ciclo Unico / Single Cycle Degree
This degree runs on a single level and is awarded at the end of a course that lasts five or six years. It requires 300 or 360 credits and applies to degrees in Medicine and Surgery, School of Dentistry, Veterinary Medicine, Chemistry and Pharmaceutical Techniques, Pharmacy, Law and Jurisprudence, Building Engineering and Architecture. Graduates are awarded the qualification of dottore magistrale.
MASTER UNIVERSITARIO / SHORT SPECIALISATION DEGREE
A short specialisation degree can be obtained both after a first cycle degree (1st level short specialisation degree) and after a second cycle degree (2nd level short specialisation degree). These courses last at least one year and involve the acquisition of 60 credits for each academic year. Their purpose is to build on a student’s knowledge and to convert it into specific professional skills.

DIPLOMA DI SPECIALIZZAZIONE / SPECIALISATION DEGREE
This diploma enables graduates to practice their chosen profession and to use the title Specialista (Specialist). Applicants must have been awarded a second cycle degree and are required to attend a course that lasts a maximum of six years. It applies to the Medical School in particular.

DOTTORATO DI RICERCA / DOCTORAL DEGREE
This Doctorate confers the skills required to conduct research at universities and within the private and public sectors to high levels of professionalism. Applicants must be in possession of a Laurea Specialistica or Magistrale. They are also required to pass an entrance examination and to attend a course that generally lasts three years.

Glossary

APPELLO AND SESSIONE D’ESAME / EXAMINATION REGISTRATION AND SESSION
The academic year is divided into periods in which examinations may be taken. Each period is called a sessione (session). During each session, students may choose to sit the examinations on different dates. These dates are known as an appello (registration).

AVVISO DI AMMISSIONE / ADMISSIONS BULLETIN BOARD
Students wishing to apply for courses at the University of Padova should consult the avviso di ammissione as it contains information about the number of places available, deadlines and pre-enrolment application requirements, dates and examination subject-matter.

CLASSI DI STUDIO / DEGREE COURSE CLASSIFICATIONS
These classifications define the educational aims of degree courses common to all universities, i.e. the contents that ensure the knowledge needed to attain a given degree has been acquired. Each university is free to decide the name of its degree course and the teaching activities within the study plan of each classification. Classi di studio enable universities to call their degree courses as they see fit whilst respecting a shared national curriculum.

CORSI AD ACCESSO LIBERO - ACCESSO PROGRAMMATO / COURSES WITH UNRESTRICTED PLACES OR LIMITED PLACES
Courses ad accesso libero have an unrestricted number of places. Students wishing to attend these courses still need to sit a compulsory assessment test, but may attend these courses regardless of the result. Courses ad accesso programmato, however, have a limited number of places. Only students who pass an entrance examination may attend these courses.
CORSI INTERATENEO / INTER-UNIVERSITY COURSES
These inter-university courses are run jointly with Faculties at both Italian and foreign universities.

CORSI INTERFACOLTà / INTER-FACULTY COURSES
Some courses are run jointly other faculties as they encompass a wide range of overlapping disciplines.

CREDITO FORMATIVO UNIVERSITARIO / CREDITS
A Credito Formativo Universitario (CFU) is the unit of measurement which defines the amount of study, above all individual study, and effort required on the part of the student before they can take an examination. One credit corresponds to 25 hours spent studying. One year corresponds to 60 credits.

IMMATRICOLAZIONE / ENROLMENT
Immatricolazione means registering for the first year of a course. Each student is assigned a numero di matricola, or student number, a university booklet, and a magnetic swipe card that enables them to use university canteens and facilities. Students are also given a personal email address.

OBBLIGHI FORMATIVI AGGIUNTIVI / ADDITIONAL STUDY REQUIREMENTS
Additional study requirements indicate that there are gaps in a student’s initial knowledge; requirements are decided on the basis of the entrance or compulsory assessment tests. Any gaps need to be bridged by the end of the first year in accordance with the degree course regulations.

PRE-IMMATRICOLAZIONE / PRE-ENROLMENT
Students wishing to enrol at the University of Padova are required to pre-enrol. This entails applying for admission and payment of a pre-enrolment fee.

PROVA DI AMMISSIONE / ENTRANCE EXAMINATION
Students are required to pass an entrance examination if they wish to enrol in a degree course with a restricted number of places. Information about deadlines and examinations are posted on the Admissions bulletin board.

PROVA DI ACCERTAMENTO OBBLIGATORIA / COMPULSORY ASSESSMENT TEST
Degree courses with a compulsory assessment test require students to sit an examination that tests their knowledge, but failure will not bar them from enrolment. If the examination is not passed, any shortfalls in their instruction will have to be made up during the first year. Information about deadlines and examinations are posted on the Admissions bulletin board.

SEGRETERIE STUDENTI / STUDENTS SECRETARIAT
The Students Secretariat deals with the administrative side of a student’s university career. It provides services and information regarding enrolment, certificates, fees, transfer applications to and from other faculties/universities, course-change applications, study plans and graduation.
Its thirteen faculties

Agriculture Sciences

This range of courses blends traditional teaching with research carried out at the University’s own farm. Its courses cover Biotechnologies, Environmental Sciences and Technology, Agricultural, Animal and Forestry Sciences, as well as Food and Enology Sciences. The Faculty is based at the Agripolis campus, a University complex at the gateway to Padova.

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First cycle degree courses

- Agricultural Biotechnology / Biotecnologie agrarie
- Agricultural Science and Technology / Scienze e tecnologie agrarie
- Food Science and Technology / Scienze e tecnologie alimentari
- Forestry and Environmental Technology / Tecnologie forestali e ambientali
- Land and Landscape Restoration and Enhancement / Riassetto del territorio e tutela del paesaggio
- Viticulture and Enology Science and Technology / Scienze e tecnologie viticole ed enologiche
- Animal Science and Technology (Inter-Faculty with Agriculture Sciences, Veterinary Medicine) / Scienze e tecnologie animali
- Development Cooperation (Inter-Faculty with Agriculture Sciences, Arts and Philosophy, Education, Political Sciences, Statistical Sciences) / Cooperazione allo sviluppo
- Environmental Sciences and Technology (Inter-Faculty with Agriculture Sciences, Sciences) / Scienze e tecnologie per l’ambiente
- Science and Culture of Gastronomy and Catering (Inter-Faculty with Agriculture Sciences, Economics and Business Administration, Arts and Philosophy) / Scienze e cultura della gastronomia e della ristorazione
Second cycle degree courses

Agricultural Science and Technology / Scienze e tecnologie agrarie
Animal Science and Technology / Scienze e tecnologie animali
Food Science and Technology / Scienze e tecnologie alimentari
Forestry and Environmental Sciences / Scienze forestali e ambientali
Biotechnology Applied to Food Security and Nutrition (Inter-Faculty with Agriculture Sciences, Medical School, Veterinary Medicine) / Biotecnologie per l’alimentazione
Land and Environment Science and Technology (Inter-Faculty with Agriculture Sciences, Sciences) / Scienze e tecnologie per l’ambiente e il territorio
Marine Biology (Inter-Faculty with Agriculture Sciences, Veterinary Medicine, Sciences) / Biologia marina
Viticulture, Enology and Winemaking Marketing (Inter-University with Agriculture Sciences, University of Padova and Agriculture Sciences, University of Udine) / Viticoltura, enologia e mercati vitivinicoli

Arts and Philosophy

This Faculty runs traditional humanities courses (Arts, Philosophy, History and Languages) alongside professional training courses for Tourism and the Conservation of Cultural Heritage, and the Visual and Performing Arts. Its inter-faculty courses also cover Communication and Gastronomy.

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First cycle degree courses

Archeologia / Archaeology
Lettere / Arts and Humanities
Progettazione e gestione del turismo culturale / Cultural Tourism Planning and Management
Geografia / Geography
Storia / History
Storia e tutela dei beni culturali / History and Conservation of the Artistic and Cultural Heritage
Lingue, letterature e culture moderne / Modern Languages and Literatures
Filosofia / Philosophy
Discipline delle arti, della musica e dello spettacolo / Visual and Performing Arts
Comunicazione / Communication
Cooperazione allo sviluppo / Development Cooperation
Mediazione linguistica e culturale / Linguistic and Cultural Mediation
Scienze e cultura della gastronomia e della ristorazione / Science and Culture of Gastronomy and Catering
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<td>History and Management of Archival and Bibliographic Heritage (Inter-University with Arts and Philosophy, University of Padova and Arts and Philosophy, Ca’ Foscari University of Venezia) / Storia e gestione del patrimonio archivistico e bibliografico</td>
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Economics and Business Administration

The Faculty of Economics and Business Administration has always had a close working relationship with professional businesses as proven by its vast range of first-class seminars, workshops, job placements and apprenticeships. Furthermore, it offers international business training with its Dual Degree Award and its International Summer Program in Management, which is run jointly with the University of Michigan (USA).

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First cycle degree courses

Economics and Management / Economia e management
Science and Culture of Gastronomy and Catering (Inter-Faculty with Agriculture Sciences, Economics and Business Administration, Arts and Philosophy) / Scienze e cultura della gastronomia e della ristorazione

Second cycle degree courses

Economics and Finance / Economia e finanza
Business Administration / Economia e direzione aziendale
Law and Economics / Economia e diritto
Education

It is thanks to Giuseppe Flores d’Arcais, Dean of the Faculty of Education from 1955 to 1967, that Padova developed into one of Italy’s foremost centres for pedagogical research. The courses offered by this Faculty aim mainly to prepare people wishing to operate as trainers, educators, and consultants in schools and businesses, as well as in social and cultural services.

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Single cycle degree courses

Primary Education / Scienze della formazione primaria (Qualification that enables the holder to teach in nursery schools and elementary/primary schools)

First cycle degree courses

Educational Sciences / Scienze dell’educazione e della formazione (Padova)
Educational Sciences / Scienze dell’educazione e della formazione (Rovigo)
Social Work / Servizio sociale
Development Cooperation (Inter-Faculty with Agriculture Sciences, Arts and Philosophy, Education, Political Sciences, Statistical Sciences) / Cooperazione allo sviluppo
Human Movement Sciences (Inter-Faculty with Engineering, Medical School, Psychology, Education) / Scienze motorie
Professional Health Education (Inter-Faculty with Medical School, Psychology, Education) / Educazione professionale
Childhood and Pre-adolescence Teacher Training Sciences (distance learning) / Scienze per la formazione dell’infanzia e della preadolescenza (teledidattica)
Vocational Training Sciences (distance learning) / Scienze della formazione professionale (teledidattica)

Second cycle degree courses

Management of Educational Services / Programmazione e gestione dei servizi educativi, scolastici e formativi
Sciences of Social Work / Scienze del servizio sociale
Pedagogical Sciences / Scienze umane e pedagogiche
Media Education and e-learning Theory and Methodology (distance learning) / Teorie e metodologie dell’e-learning e della media education (teledidattica)
Preventive and Adopted Physical Activity (Inter-Faculty with Engineering, Medical School, Psychology, Education) / Scienze dell’attività motoria preventiva e adattata
Life-long Education Sciences (Inter-University with Education, University of Padova and Arts and Philosophy, Ca’ Foscari University of Venezia) / Scienze della formazione continua
Engineering

The University of Padova’s engineering school is one of Italy’s largest. It offers 29 courses that cover Civil, Industrial, and Information Technology Engineering, all of which combine teaching and research. The Faculty is a multi-faceted centre of excellence with more than 10,000 students, plus campuses in Padova and Vicenza.

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**Single cycle degree courses**

Building Engineering and Architecture (5 years) / Ingegneria edile - architettura

**First cycle degree courses**

- Aerospace Engineering / Ingegneria aeroospaziale
- Biomedical Engineering / Ingegneria biomedica
- Civil Engineering / Ingegneria civile
- Computer Engineering / Ingegneria informatica
- Engineering of Industrial Processing and Materials / Ingegneria dei processi industriali e dei materiali
- Electronic Engineering / Ingegneria elettronica
- Energy Engineering / Ingegneria dell’energia
- Engineering and Management / Ingegneria gestionale
- Environmental and Land Planning Engineering / Ingegneria per l’ambiente e il territorio
- Information Engineering / Ingegneria dell’informazione
- Mechanical Engineering / Ingegneria meccanica
- Mechanical and Mechatronic Engineering / Ingegneria meccanica e meccatronica
- Science and Technology for Cultural Heritage (Inter-Faculty with Engineering, Arts and Philosophy, Sciences) / Scienze e tecnologie per i beni culturali
- Human Movement Sciences (Inter-Faculty with Engineering, Medical School, Psychology, Education) / Scienze motorie

**Second cycle degree courses**

- Aerospace Engineering / Ingegneria aeroospaziale
- Automation Engineering / Ingegneria dell’automazione
- Bioengineering / Bioingegneria
- Chemical and Process Engineering / Ingegneria chimica e dei processi industriali
- Civil Engineering / Ingegneria civile
- Computer Engineering / Ingegneria informatica
- Electrical Engineering / Ingegneria elettrica
- Electronic Engineering / Ingegneria elettronica
- Energy Engineering / Ingegneria energetica
- Engineering and Management / Ingegneria gestionale
- Environmental and Land Planning Engineering / Ingegneria per l’ambiente e il territorio
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### Law

The Faculty of Law is the modern-day equivalent of the universitas iuristarum (University of Jurists), which was founded in 1222. It has a traditional reputation as a school for jurists and men of state, with famous alumni including Baldo degli Ubaldi, Livio Paladin and Enrico Opocher. Today, the Faculty provides training for a range of law professionals and is also home to a Specialisation school.

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The University of Padova started to teach medicine during the 13th century and counts William Harvey, who discovered blood circulation, and Giambattista Morgagni, the father of modern anatomy, among its alumni. Today its traditional courses are run alongside 17 courses for healthcare professionals, with campuses throughout the region. Teaching is closely combined with the daily running of its modern University clinics, and graduates have a vast range of Specialisation schools from which to choose.
### Second cycle degree courses (Medical School)

| Medical Biotechnologies / Biotecnologie mediche |
| Nursing and Midwifery Sciences / Scienze infermieristiche e ostetriche |
| Rehabilitation Health Professional Science / Scienze delle professioni sanitarie della riabilitazione |
| Technical Diagnostics for Health Professions / Scienze delle professioni sanitarie tecniche diagnostiche |
| Biotechnology Applied to Food Security and Nutrition (Inter-Faculty with Agriculture Sciences, Medical School, Veterinary Medicine) / Biotecnologie per l'alimentazione |
| Preventive and Adapted Physical Activity (Inter-Faculty with Engineering, Medical School, Psychology, Education) / Scienze dell’attività motoria preventiva e adattata |

### Pharmacy

Padova’s old School of Pharmacy became a University Faculty in 1935, and since then it has built an excellent reputation for research. Alongside the conventional courses designed to train pharmaceutical industry professionals, it also has courses on Biotechnologies and Applied Pharmaceutical Sciences.

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#### Single cycle degree courses

| Chemistry and Pharmaceutical Techniques (5 years) / Chimica e tecnologia farmaceutiche |
| Pharmacy (5 years) / Farmacia |

#### First cycle degree courses

| Applied Pharmaceutical Science / Scienze farmaceutiche applicate |
| Health Biotechnologies (Inter-Faculty with Pharmacy, Medical School, Veterinary Medicine) / Biotecnologie sanitarie |

#### Second cycle degree courses

| Pharmaceutical Biotechnologies / Biotecnologie farmaceutiche |
Political Sciences

This Faculty opened its doors in 1924, and today trains professionals in International Relations, Administration, Sociological Sciences, and Economic Law. Lecturers have included jurists Francesco Carnelutti and Norberto Bobbio, historian Gabriele De Rosa, and economist Marco Fanno.

FACOLTÀ DI SCIENZE POLITICHE
via del Santo 28
35123 Padova

First cycle degree courses

- Economic Law and Governance of Organisations / Diritto dell’economia e governo delle amministrazioni
- International Economics / Economia internazionale
- Political Sciences, European and International Studies / Scienze politiche, studi internazionali ed europei
- Political Sciences, International Relations, Human Rights / Scienze politiche, relazioni internazionali, diritti umani
- Sociological Sciences / Scienze sociologiche
- Communication (Inter-Faculty with Arts and Philosophy, Political Sciences) / Comunicazione
- Development Cooperation (Inter-Faculty with Agriculture Sciences, Arts and Philosophy, Education, Political Sciences, Statistical Sciences) / Cooperazione allo sviluppo
- Linguistic and Cultural Mediation (Inter-Faculty with Arts and Philosophy, Political Sciences) / Mediazione linguistica e culturale

Second cycle degree courses

- Law, Institutions and Policies of the European Integration / Diritto, istituzioni e politiche dell’integrazione europea
- International Economics / Economia internazionale
- International Politics and Diplomacy / Politica internazionale e diplomazia
- Institutions and Politics of Human Rights and Peace / Istituzioni e politiche dei diritti umani e della pace
- Government Sciences and Public Policies / Scienze del governo e politiche pubbliche
- Sociology / Sociologia
- Modern Languages for the International Communication and Cooperation (Inter-Faculty with Arts and Philosophy, Political Sciences) / Lingue moderne per la comunicazione e la cooperazione internazionale
- Strategies in Communication (Inter-Faculty with Arts and Philosophy, Political Sciences) / Strategie di comunicazione
Psychology

Padova became the first university in Italy, along with Rome, to open a Faculty of Psychology in 1971. The Faculty’s degree courses encompass all psychology disciplines and combine traditional teaching with research of the highest quality. Professional seminars and workshops, as well as laboratories and specialised facilities, round off the services on offer.

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Sciences

The hallmark of this Faculty is its wide variety of courses, which cover traditional degrees in Astronomy, Physics, Biology, Mathematics, and Chemistry, as well as more modern courses in Biotechnologies, Optics, and Technology for Cultural Heritage. The importance of this Faculty is demonstrated by its historical centres, which include the Botanical garden and La Specola, as well as by alumni of the calibre of Pico della Mirandola and Galileo Galilei.

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First cycle degree courses

Astronomy / Astronomia
Biology / Biologia
Biotechnology / Biotecnologie
Chemistry / Chimica
Computer Science / Informatica
Geological Science / Scienze geologiche
Industrial Chemistry / Chimica industriale
Materials Science / Scienze dei materiali
Mathematics / Matematica
Molecular Biology / Biologia molecolare
Natural Science / Scienze naturali
Optics and Optometry / Ottica e optometria
Physics / Fisica
Science and Technology for Cultural Heritage (Inter-Faculty with Engineering, Arts and Philosophy, Sciences) / Scienze e tecnologie per i beni culturali
Environmental Sciences and Technology (Inter-Faculty with Agriculture Sciences, Sciences) / Scienze e tecnologie per l’ambiente

Second cycle degree courses

Astronomy / Astronomia
Chemistry / Chimica
Computer Science / Informatica
Evolutionary Biology / Biologia evoluzionistica
Geology and Technical Geology / Geologia e geologia tecnica
Industrial Biotechnology / Biotecnologie industriali
Industrial Chemistry / Chimica industriale
Materials Science / Scienze dei materiali
Mathematics / Matematica
Molecular Biology / Biologia molecolare
Natural Science / Scienze della natura
Physics / Fisica
Sanitary Biology / Biologia sanitaria
Second cycle degree courses (Sciences)

Marine Biology (Inter-Faculty with Agriculture Sciences, Veterinary Medicine, Sciences) / Biologia marina

Science and Technology for Archaeological and Artistic Heritage (Inter-Faculty with Engineering, Arts and Philosophy, Sciences) / Scienze e tecnologie per i beni archeologici e artistici

Land and Environment Science and Technology (Inter-Faculty with Agriculture Sciences, Sciences) / Scienze e tecnologie per l’ambiente e il territorio

Statistical Sciences

This Faculty has an excellent reputation on account of the topical content of its courses, which encompass Demographic and Social Sciences, Information Technology, Economics, and Finance, plus Business Management. Its lecture theatres, libraries and laboratories are based at the heart of the city on the Santa Caterina campus, which is equipped with the latest research and teaching facilities.

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First cycle degree courses

Statistics and Information Technologies / Statistica e tecnologie informatiche
Statistics and Management / Statistica e gestione delle imprese
Statistics, Economics and Finance / Statistica, economia e finanza
Statistics, Population and Society / Statistica, popolazione e società
Development Cooperation (Inter-Faculty with Agriculture Sciences, Arts and Philosophy, Education, Political Sciences, Statistical Sciences) / Cooperazione allo sviluppo

Second cycle degree courses

Statistical Sciences / Scienze statistiche
Veterinary Medicine

Although this Faculty was opened only in 1992, it already has a reputation for high quality teaching and research. The Faculty is based on the University’s modern Agripolis campus, which vaunts a research farm and a cutting-edge veterinary hospital.

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**Single cycle degree courses**
Veterinary Medicine (5 years) / Medicina Veterinaria

**First cycle degree courses**
Safety and Hygiene of Food Products / Sicurezza igienico sanitaria degli alimenti
Health Biotechnologies [Inter-Faculty with Pharmacy, Medical School, Veterinary Medicine] / Biotecnologie sanitarie
Animal Science and Technology [Inter-Faculty with Agriculture Sciences, Veterinary Medicine] / Scienze e tecnologie animali

**Second cycle degree courses**
Marine Biology [Inter-Faculty with Agriculture Sciences, Veterinary Medicine, Sciences] / Biologia marina
Biotechnology Applied to Food Security and Nutrition [Inter-Faculty with Agriculture Sciences, Medical School, Veterinary Medicine] / Biotecnologie per l’alimentazione

**School of excellence**

**Scuola Galileiana di Studi Superiori**

Scuola Galileiana di Studi Superiori (Galilean School of Higher Education) is a school of excellence that combines traditional university education with a series of special in-house courses comprising seminars and lectures by visiting professors of international acclaim. The School is divided into two classes, Moral Sciences and Natural Sciences, and has places for 24 students each year. Its students are chosen by competition and are entitled to particular privileges, both educational and financial.

www.scuolagalileiana.unipd.it
Postgraduates

SHORT SPECIALISATION DEGREES / MASTER
To be eligible for a Short specialisation degree, students must have a first cycle degree (1st level Short specialisation degree) or a second cycle degree (2nd level Short specialisation degree).
Short specialisation degree courses last at least one year, including 300 hours of lectures, and require students either to do work experience or to work on a project. Information at www.unipd.it → Studenti → Dopo la laurea → Master

PROFESSIONAL COURSES / CORSI DI PERFEZIONAMENTO
These are geared towards students with a degree who wish to engage in further training. At the end of the course students receive a certificate of attendance. Information at www.unipd.it → Studenti → Dopo la laurea → Corsi di perfezionamento

PROFESSIONAL REFRESHER COURSES / CORSI DI AGGIORNAMENTO
These courses are for students with a middle-school diploma or a degree who would like to complete their professional training. Information at www.unipd.it → Studenti → Dopo la laurea → Corsi di aggiornamento

HIGHER TRAINING COURSES / CORSI DI ALTA FORMAZIONE
These courses are geared towards people who already work, or who have embarked on a career. To take these courses students must have a degree (a traditional five-year degree or a newer “3+2” degree) or a high-school diploma. Information at www.unipd.it → Studenti → Dopo la laurea → Corsi di alta formazione

SPECIALISATION SCHOOLS / SCUOLE DI SPECIALIZZAZIONE
Specialisation Schools aim to provide students with the necessary skills and knowledge to be able to work in certain professional fields, for example Medicine or Law. Entry to all Specialisation Schools is through competition, and applicants must have a second cycle degree or a traditional five-year degree. Specialisation Schools last from two to five years and include in-depth theory and practical training. At the end of the school, students receive a specialisation diploma. Information at www.unipd.it → Studenti → Dopo la laurea → Scuole di specializzazione

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Tue also 3 pm – 4.30 pm
Thu 10 am – 3 pm

Short specialisation - Courses Secretariat
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049.8276386
Mon – Fri 10 am – 12.30 pm

Specialisation - Schools Secretariat
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049.8276370
Mon – Fri 10 am – 12.30 pm
BECOMING
A STUDENT
Information

Call centre ■ 049.8273131
The Call centre provides general information about the University; it is open from Monday to Friday from 9 am to 5.30 pm.

Operators provide information on:
• Faculty degree courses
• pre-enrolment and enrolment
• University fees, exemptions and reductions
• study grants, extraordinary subsidies and other financial support
• ESU halls of residence and canteens

Information is also available on:
• services for disabled students
• apprenticeships and state exams
• professional courses, short specialisation degrees, specialisation schools and doctoral degrees

Enrolment

Students wishing to enrol at the University of Padova are required to pre-enrol; so they can sit an examination that tests their knowledge. Students can enrol after they have taken a compulsory assessment test or passed an entrance examination.

Any foreign citizen may enrol at the University of Padova and the qualification requirements for admission are identical for everyone. There are, however, some differences for certain countries as a limited number of places may be available and an Italian language test is sometimes required. Students with dual citizenship, i.e. Italian and foreign, will be treated as Italians.

Limited places and Italian language test
A limited number of places on each degree course are available for non-EU citizens (see relevant sections). If no more places are vacant, students may enrol for another course or at another university. Should this happen, the Sezione titoli esteri (Foreign Qualification Office) at the Segreterie studenti (Students Secretariat) will help students with their applications. These students are also required to sit an Italian language test. Students who do not pass this test will not be able to enrol in any Italian university in 2009, but they may apply again the year after.
Common requirements

FIRST CYCLE OR SINGLE CYCLE DEGREE COURSES
A foreign secondary-school leaver’s diploma enables students to enrol in a first cycle degree course or in a single cycle degree course provided that they have had at least twelve years of schooling. For shorter periods of schooling, the diploma will be taken into consideration alongside other qualifications or examination certificates from a foreign university. Length of schooling and recognition of secondary-school qualifications are certified by a document called Dichiarazione di valore.

SECOND CYCLE DEGREE COURSES
Students wishing to enrol in a second cycle degree course must have a university degree that is acceptable to the University of Padova. Qualifications are assessed by applying for prior assessment and recognition of credits to the Sezione titoli esteri at the Students Secretariat.

DICHIARAZIONE DI VALORE / DECLARATION OF VALUE
A Declaration of value states a student’s overall time in education, the type of school they attended, their qualification and final mark. Prospective students should apply for this document at the Italian Embassy or Consulate in the country they went to school.

Applications

Citizens from EU and equivalent countries
This section applies to citizens from EU countries, Norway, Iceland, Liechtenstein, San Marino and Switzerland; to non-EU citizens resident in Italy with a permit of stay for work, family, religion or asylum; to refugees; and to Italian citizens with foreign qualifications. Candidates are not required to sit an Italian language test; they are not competing for places reserved for non-EU citizens resident abroad (limited number of places).

Applications are to be delivered personally to Sezione titoli esteri at the Students Secretariat. All documents must reach the University by the appropriate deadline.

REQUIRED DOCUMENTS
The documents to be enclosed with the application form are:
• original secondary-school leaver’s diploma (translated into Italian and authenticated)
• applications for a second cycle degree course must be accompanied by the original university certificate, and an academic transcript detailing examinations and the content of courses (translated into Italian and authenticated)
• a Dichiarazione di valore for both qualifications (apply to the Italian Embassy or Consulate of the country where the student was awarded the qualification)
• a copy of the permesso di soggiorno (permit of stay) or carta di soggiorno (residence permit), non-EU citizens only.

**Non-EU citizens not resident in Italy**

Non-EU citizens who are resident abroad may only apply to enrol at the Italian Embassy or Consulate of the country in which they were awarded their qualification. The Embassy or Consulate will send the application to the University by post or by fax, and will issue a study visa.

In general candidates are required to sit an Italian spoken language test and compete for the places reserved for non-EU citizens resident abroad (limited number of places).

**REQUIRED DOCUMENTS**

The Embassy must forward the following documents for enrolment:

• original secondary-school leaver’s diploma (translated into Italian and authenticated)
• applications for a second cycle degree course must also include the original university certificate, with an academic transcript detailing examinations and the content of courses (translated into Italian and authenticated)
• a Dichiarazione di valore for both qualifications (apply to the Italian Embassy or Consulate of the country where the student was awarded the qualification)

All documents must reach the University by the pre-enrolment deadline.

**International Mobility**

**Lifelong Learning Programme / Erasmus**

Through the Erasmus programme students spend time studying at a University (from 3 to 12 months), or on work experience in a company (from 3 to 6 months) in the European Union, Liechtenstein, Iceland, Norway, Turkey or Switzerland. Erasmus students are able to make full use of the host University’s facilities, attend lectures and obtain recognition at home for exams and courses taken successfully, or write their dissertations abroad. Students on first cycle degree courses, second cycle degree courses, professional courses, at specialisation schools, on short specialisation degrees or doing doctoral degree can all participate in the programme. Competitions for places are opened around January or February.

The programme is funded by the European Union and provides mobility grants for students to cover the costs of living abroad. For the 2008-2009 academic year the grant was around 200 euro per month, plus a contribution towards travel expenses. Students who receive a regional study grant (see page 42) also receive further funding depending on their income bracket and on the cost of living in their host country.
**Erasmus Mundus**

Through this programme, European citizens and citizens from other countries who hold at least a first cycle degree can attend integrated second cycle degree or short specialisation degree courses, which require studies to be undertaken in at least two universities in two different countries in the EU. At the end of their studies students receive a double diploma or a joint diploma from the University of Padova and the other foreign university.

**Bilateral agreements**

Students follow three-month, six-month or one-year courses at our partner universities, and when they return they can obtain recognition for exams sat successfully and courses attended. Usually students will receive a partial refund for travel expenses and/or board and lodging. Our partner universities in 2008 were Würzburg and Freiburg in Germany; Boston University, University of California and University of Michigan in the United States; Osaka University in Japan; University of South Wales in Sydney, Australia; Moscow State University in Russia; Zagreb in Croatia; Belgrade in Serbia; plus some Argentine (CUIA – Italy-Argentina University Cooperation programme) and Brazilian universities.

**Vulcanus**

This programme enables students studying in technical or science faculties at universities in the European Union to do a one-year apprenticeship in a Japanese company; Vulcanus is financed by Japanese companies and by the EU-Japan Centre for Industrial Cooperation.

**Top Industrial Managers for Europe (T.I.M.E.)**

This initiative is backed by the most prestigious Polytechnics and Engineering faculties in Europe and enables students in the Faculty of Engineering to spend one year studying in Padova and two years in one of our foreign partner universities (the Grandes Écoles in Paris, Nantes, Lille and Lyon in France, the Universitat Politècnica de Catalunya in Spain and the Technical University of Denmark). Students receive a double diploma from the University of Padova and the other foreign university.

**Leonardo Da Vinci**

This EU programme enables university students and young graduates to do work experience and training in one of the 27 EU Member States and in the EFTA/EEA countries (Iceland, Liechtenstein, Norway). Competitions to win individual mobility grants are usually opened twice a year, in the spring and in the autumn. Information is available at the International Relations Office and on the website www.unipd.it/programmi/leonardo/leo.html. Successful candidates receive a grant (usually around 500-800 euro per month) and a contribution towards mobility costs, such as travel expenses, insurance, and living expenses.

**Agreements between departments or faculties**

Some faculties organise their own exchanges in collaboration with faculties in foreign universities. A list of agreements is available at www.unipd.it/programmi.
Foreign languages

University Language Centre - Centro Linguistico di Ateneo (CLA)
The University Language Centre provides foreign language instruction for the entire University. It has multimedia laboratories where students can learn languages in group lessons or with bespoke self-learning guidance. Its facilities are available to all students free of charge, as well as to students on Masters courses, at specialisation schools and foreign students on exchange programmes. Students can take advantage of the Language Centre’s services by presenting their University card or libretto. Both traditional and multimedia language-learning resources (books, videos, audiobooks, CDs and DVDs) are available in the laboratories and Mediateca, the centre’s very own multimedia library. Bespoke support for self-learning and language learning is also available (reference, training, etc.).
The Language Centre also organises:
• intensive language courses for Italian students leaving on the Erasmus programme
• Italian courses for foreign students on exchange programmes at the University
• basic courses that prepare students for credit examinations in English, German, and Spanish
• fee-paying English courses for students wishing to study outside their course curriculum
• Tandem Learning (conversation between an Italian student and a foreign student)

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Tutor service

The Faculties provide a tutor service that supports students throughout their University career. Tutors help students to manage their study time and to deal with any organisational difficulties, such as completing study plans. They also help them to relate to faculties and departments when planning for examinations. The tutors are students enrolled in second cycle degrees, doctoral degrees or specialisation degrees, and they receive special training so that they can perform their role effectively.

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Studying in Padova

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* tutors also organise study groups for Mathematics A and Mathematics 1. A list of Junior tutors and their office hours is available at www.unipd.it → Studenti → Studenti in corso → Tutorato

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Libraries

University Library System – Sistema Bibliotecario di Ateneo (SBA)
The University Library System encompasses all of the University’s libraries in a single network in order to meet the requirements of students and teaching staff alike. It houses more than 2 million books and 30,000 e-periodicals, and it comprises 47 libraries that are divided by discipline.
The library system enables students to study or borrow all manner of books; consult education databases and academic journals, both electronic and printed; follow courses on information resources; receive assistance to find information and documents; and find out more about the system’s new services.
Students from outside Padova can look for texts online or browse the University’s private e-resources thanks to Auth-proxy, a free remote access service. This service is also available outside library opening times. Another important resource is RefWorks, a programme that helps students to write their dissertations and to conduct research. It enables students to create a bibliography automatically in the required format.
A list of libraries and the services can be accessed at www.cab.unipd.it

ESU library loans service - Biblioteca circolante dell’ESU
This service promotes the distribution of educational and scientific material and provides students with access to books so that they can prepare for their exams. It comprises 11,000 books, including a host of recent works, which students can also consult at the sala consultazione Vittore Branca, a reading room with 96 places. Books can be loaned for private use for up to one month. Membership conditions and a book catalogue can be browsed at www.esu.pd.it; students wishing to look for a specific title can also use the University’s online research system at http://catalogo.unipd.it.
**Work experience, and apprenticeships and employment**

Work experience helps students and new graduates to find work in companies, public bodies, associations and professional orders, and is also a standard feature of degree courses. Students also have the chance to do paid work experience abroad thanks to the Leonardo da Vinci and Erasmus Placement programmes.

The Servizio Stage e mondo del lavoro / Job Placement and Employment service assesses how fruitful a student’s work experience is by sending questionnaires both to businesses and those on work experience. Job Placement helpdesks are open at the University’s offices outside Padova; some Faculties also offer their own service to deal with apprenticeships. Information on job placements can be found at [www.unipd.it/stage](http://www.unipd.it/stage).

**Job placement and employment - University**

**EMPLOYMENT GUIDANCE**

This service organises events and talks that prepare students and graduates for finding employment (e.g. Università e Lavoro). Meeting local companies at events, such as Università Aperta, and company presentations establish a direct link with the professional world. Please make an appointment for free personal advice on any of the following:

- careers guidance and employment prospects
- skills assessment
- preparing a CV or a videoCV, and for an interview

**JOB PLACEMENT**

The Job Placement helpdesk aims to help graduates find work by reconciling supply with demand. Job offers are also available at [www.unipd.it/placement](http://www.unipd.it/placement).

**LOCAL EMPLOYMENT OBSERVATORY - OSSERVATORIO SUL MERCATO LOCALE DEL LAVORO**

This observatory looks at local professional needs in a range of industries via direct contact with businesses throughout Veneto. It also monitors the progress of University of Padova graduates in finding employment and catalogues the competences they use in their work. The results are collected in a set of books called Pharos, while [*Il repertorio delle professioni dell’Università di Padova*](http://www.unipd.it/stage) describes the professions that graduates have joined.

**SERVIZIO STAGE E MONDO DEL LAVORO / JOB PLACEMENT AND EMPLOYMENT**

Palazzo Storione
Riviera Tito Livio 6, 35123 Padova
☎️ 049.8273075
☎️ 049.8273524
✉️ stage@unipd.it
✉️ placement@unipd.it
[www.unipd.it/stage](http://www.unipd.it/stage)
Lavororient@ - ESU

ESU Lavororient@ is a careers guidance centre geared towards high-school and University students as well as new graduates. It has an area devoted to specialist publications, plus computer stations that can be used to consult databases and to look for work. Its one-to-one meetings and talks provide:

- careers guidance
- advice on CV writing
- advice on preparing for interviews

LAVORORIENT@ ON LINE

This section of the ESU site, www.esu.pd.it/orientamento, affords an overview of job-hunting techniques and enables graduates to self-assess their competences and professional aspirations. Students can send an email to lavororienta@esu.pd.it so that they can be added to a mailing list, which will send them the latest information on employment and events.

EVENTS

Lavororient@ organises a range of themed meetings on the employment market, as well as meetings where local businesses outline the kind of people they are looking for. Job Meeting is an event that brings together new graduates and human resource managers.

The University and ESU also organise meetings with high-school students to showcase their degrees and services so that prospective students can make the right choice. Chi voglio diventare provides training that raises student self-awareness and helps them choose their future degree and profession.

PARTNERS

On set days each month, the Guidance centre opens helpdesks for the following organisations:

- The Chamber of Commerce, which provides information on setting up businesses and on the local economy
- The Province of Padova’s employment centre, which promotes local work experience and employment
- Padova City Council’s Informagiovani, which answers questions on international mobility, cultural activities and volunteer work in Europe
- Trade Union organisations, which provide advice on employment contracts

ESU LAVORORIENT@
via Ospedale civile 19, 35121 Padova
★ 049.8235600 - 5603 - 5604
★ 049.8235701
★ lavororienta@esu.pd.it
Mon – Thu 9.30 am – 1 pm and 3 pm – 5 pm; Fri 9.30 am – 1 pm
Financial support

The University and ESU offer a range of financial support and services at special rates, which are made available to bright, hardworking students from disadvantaged backgrounds. The two organisations have separate bodies that provide information about their respective services.

All the details on how to apply for support and on deadlines can be found in the calls for applications, in the Diretto allo studio guide and online at www.unipd.it/dirittoallostudio and www.esu.pd.it

Financial support – University

REGIONAL STUDY GRANTS

A study grant is awarded via a competition to students who show good academic prowess, but come from a disadvantaged financial background. The attestazione ISEE (income statement) must also be handed in by the end of September. The amount of the study grant varies and ranges from 1,700 euro for students from Padova and 4,500 euro for students from outside Padova. The grant comes partly in money and partly in services, such as accommodation and board.

PART-TIME WORK (150 ORE)

Students can also apply for part-time work at the University. They must be in the second year or above and meet the University’s means and merit requirements. Their work mainly involves helping to provide services for students in libraries, study halls, secretary’s offices, dean’s offices, and at ESU. This work is not actual employment as students are asked to work for periods of time that range from a minimum of 30 hours to a maximum of 150 hours per calendar year. Students are paid about 8 euro an hour.

Information on competitions

SERVIZIO DIRITTO ALLO STUDIO
EDUCATIONAL RIGHTS SERVICE
via del Portello 31, 35129 Padova
☎ 049.8275031 - 5032 - 5033
☎ 049.8275030
✉ service.studenti@unipd.it
Mon – Fri 10 am – 12.30 pm
Tue also 3 pm – 4.30 pm
Thu 10 am – 3 pm

Assignments

SERVIZIO ORGANIZZAZIONE
ORGANISATION SERVICE
riviera Tito Livio 6, 35123 Padova
☎ 049.8273593
☎ 049.8273592
✉ organizzazione@unipd.it
**Financial support – ESU**

**STUDY GRANTS FOR STUDENTS OF MUSIC ACADEMIES AND COLLEGES FOR TRANSLATORS**

ESU awards study grants via a competition to students enrolled in the Music Academies of Adria, Castelfranco Veneto, Padova, Rovigo and Vicenza and to those enrolled in the Colleges for Translators in Padova and Vicenza. These grants are identical financially to those awarded to University students, but have specific requirements of merit. Applications should be made within the first ten days of October. The call for applications can be consulted at www.esu.pd.it → Diritto allo studio → Borse di studio or at www.esu.pd.it → Residenze → Concorso alloggi.

**EXTRAORDINARY SUBSIDIES**

Extraordinary subsidies are awarded via a competition that is also open to students at Music Academies and at Colleges for Translators. They may be granted only once during a student’s University career, and the amount, which is based on where the student is resident, may not exceed the regional study grants. Applications must arrive by February. The call for applications can be consulted at www.esu.pd.it → Diritto allo studio → Sussidi straordinari.

**CONTRIBUTIONS FOR NON-MEDICAL GRADUATES**

The Veneto Region awards financial benefits to encourage non-medical graduates to specialise in a profession within the healthcare sector. These benefits are awarded via a competition based on merit and income and are paid annually for the entire legal duration of the specialisation course. ESU manages the awarding of these contributions to students enrolled at the Universities of Padova and Verona. The call for applications can be consulted at www.esu.pd.it → Diritto allo studio → Contributi regionali.

**FIDUCIARY LOANS**

These loans are granted to students by providing them with credit in a current account. There is a maximum annual withdrawal amount and special conditions for repaying the loan. Good results during a student’s University career are used in place of financial guarantees. Students who have already applied for a regional study grant are not eligible for a loan. Information on merit requirements and on procedures can be found at www.esu.pd.it → Diritto allo studio → Prestiti Fiduciari.

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**UFFICIO BENEFICI E INTERVENTI / FINANCIAL SUPPORT OFFICE**

via San Francesco 122, 35121 Padova

📞 049.8235672 - 5673 - 5674

✉️ 049.8235677

✉️ dirittoallostudio@esu.pd.it

Mon – Thu 9.30 am – 1.30 pm and 3 pm – 4 pm
Fri 9.30 am – 1.30 pm
**Special needs**

Padova’s disabled students can find information and support at the University’s Disability service (Servizio Disabilità). Students are entitled to a reduction in their University fees: anyone who is 66% disabled or higher pays a single fee of 126.12 euro; anyone who is disabled by 50–65%, and does not exceed certain income limits, pays the first instalment only. The University provides someone to accompany students to exams and lessons, as well as assistance with administration.

Students enrolled in the first and second year of a first cycle degree and a single cycle degree are helped by a tutor to select their study plan and to develop an efficient method for exam preparation.

Should students so request, their individual needs will be assessed so that they can take entrance tests and examinations with additional time, IT support, etc. Deaf and hard-of-hearing students can ask for the help of a professional sign-language interpreter, or for a real-time transcription of the lesson with stenotyping.

In conjunction with the Servizio Relazioni internazionali, the Disability service provides information and assistance regarding international mobility programmes. Careers advice is also offered by assessing the students’ abilities as well as the employment and work experience on offer.

The Disability service also has a library with staff who are specialised in book finding, inter-library loans, document delivery, as well as the finding and supply of materials in alternative formats. The Offelli computer room is also available; here students can use disability-friendly stations, as well as borrow computers and technology for the duration of the academic year.

**SERVIZIO DISABILITÀ / DISABILITY SERVICE**

via del Portello 25, 35129 Padova

- 049.8275038
- 049.8275040
- serv.disabilita@unipd.it

Mon – Fri 8 am – 6 pm
Healthcare

EU Member States and affiliated countries
Citizens from EU Member States or countries affiliated with the Italian National Health Service are entitled to the same medical care as Italian citizens. They must, however, be in possession of a European Health Insurance Card, or a temporary replacement certificate should the card not be issued in time or be lost. Students should apply to their local health authority for these documents before coming to Italy. For more detailed information, please visit the International Relations Office (Ufficio Rapporti internazionali) at the Local Health Authority (ULSS 16).

Students from non-affiliated countries
Students from non-EU countries, or from ones not affiliated with the Italian National Health Service, may register for treatment and medical assistance with the Italian NHS so that they receive the same treatment as Italian citizens. They must, however, pay to be registered. On receipt of this payment, their permit of stay for study, Italian National Insurance Number (codice fiscale) and University registration certificate, students may go to the ULSS 16 Local Health Authority where they will be issued with a health card.

ULSS 16
UFFICIO RELAZIONI CON IL PUBBLICO - PUBLIC RELATIONS OFFICE
via degli Scrovegni 14, 35131 Padova
☎ 049.8214050
telephone lines and front office
Mon – Fri 8.30 am – 1 pm

ULSS 16
UFFICIO RAPPORTI INTERNAZIONALI - INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS OFFICE
via degli Scrovegni 12, 35131 Padova
☎ 049.8214069
☎ 049.8214029
Mon – Fri 8.30 am – 12 pm
Mon and Thu also 2.30 pm – 4.30 pm

Insurance
Students enrolled at the University of Padova are insured. Insurance covers damage suffered by or caused to people and things. It also covers all educational and cultural activities, wherever they take place and as long as they are authorised. Information at www.unipd.it → Studenti → Informazioni e servizi → Assicurazione
☎ 049.8273154 (10 am – 1 pm)
☎ 049.8273105
✉ assicurazioni@unipd.it
LIVING IN PADOUA
How to get here

**Plane**
The nearest airports are Venezia (www.veniceairport.it) and Treviso (www.trevisoairport.it). Both can be reached from Padova with SITA coaches (see page 48) or with a taxi service at an established rate (Air Service, www.taxipadova.it, 049.8704425; Landomas, www.landomas.it, 049.8808505).

**Train**
The railway station is a 10-minute walk along corso del Popolo from the old town centre. Most of the city’s buses pass through it. The main rail links go from Padova to Venezia and Trieste, Verona and Milano and Bologna, Firenze and Roma.

**Car**
Getting about

Coaches
Transport across the province is run by SITA. Padova’s coach station is in piazzale Boschetti, which is not far from the railway station. Both stations run a line that will take you quickly to Agripolis, the University campus in Legnaro. During the summer, there are also links to tourist destinations around Veneto.
☎ 049.8206844
www.sitabus.it

Buses
City buses and buses to Abano, Montegrotto and Torreglia are run by APS Mobilità. Tickets can be purchased at newspaper stands (edicole) and tobacconists (tabaccherie); bus passes, which are discounted for students, can be purchased at the APS offices and online (www.apsholding.it). On Sundays and holidays, a teleservice can be booked (7.30 am – 6.30 pm, ☎ 049.662660) for the local hospital or the railway station. There is also a transport service for the disabled; booking required.
☎ 840.001.055, Mon – Fri 7 am – 7 pm.
☎ 049.8241111
www.apsholding.it

Tram
The tram is run by APS Mobilità. Tickets are valid for both buses and trams. The tramline crosses the city from north to south, from the railway station to the Guizza district. This year a tramline will be opened from the railway station to Pontevigodarzere. This line will serve the Arcella - San Carlo area.
www.trampadova.it

Bicycles and bicycle lanes
Padova City Council’s Ufficio Mobilità Ciclabile [Bicycle Mobility Office] provides information on routes, bicycle lanes, parking and special initiatives.
☎ 049.8204883
Tue and Thu, 10.30 am - 1 pm
ufficio.biciclette@comune.padova.it

Piazzale Stazione at the railway station has a bicycle parking lot that is guarded and is always open. It also provides a bicycle rental service.
☎ 049.8759608

A map of the city’s bicycle lanes is available from the city council’s Ufficio Relazioni con il Pubblico (Public Relations office), branches of which are located in the city centre and districts (☎ 049.8205572). The map can also be downloaded from www.padovanet.it → portale mobilità → mezzi di trasporto → biciclette

Taxis
Radiotaxi Padova is available 24 hours a day. It runs a service for the disabled, which requires booking. Prices are fixed on some routes, and discounts for women in the evening and the elderly are available.
☎ 049.651333
www.taxipadova.it

Car parks and Restricted Traffic Areas (ZTL)
The main city car parks are run by APS Parcheggi
www.apsholding.it/parcheggi
For information on Restricted Traffic Areas (ZTL) visit www.padovanet.it → portale mobilità → ZTL
Useful offices

Padova City Council
ANAGRAFE - REGISTRY OFFICE
(certificates, changes of residence, identity cards)
piazza dei Signori
☎ 049.8205724
Mon – Sat 8.15 am - 12.30 pm
Local registry offices are located in every district. Consult:
www.padovanet.it

PROGETTO GIOVANI
Progetto Giovani provides information on issues regarding young people, such as study, work, travel, culture and volunteer work.
c/o Centro culturale Altinate – San Gaetano, via Altinate 71
☎ 049.8204742
Tue, Wed and Fri 10 am - 1 pm and 3 pm - 7 pm
Thu 10 am - 7 pm, Sat 10 am - 1 pm
(not in July and August)
closed Mon
www.padovanet.it/progettagogiovani

UFFICIO INFORMAHANDICAP - DISABILITY INFORMATION OFFICE
via del Carmine 13
☎ 049.8205930
Tue 9 am - 11 am, Thu 9 am - 11 am and 3 pm - 5 pm
Fri by appointment

Emergency services
Police 113
Carabinieri 112
Fire brigade 115
Ambulance 118

Municipal Police
Headquarters
☎ 049.8205100 (emergencies)
☎ 049.8205101 (information)
Call center (deals mainly with fines)
☎ 049.201044
Mon - Fri 9 am - 6 pm

Post offices
Padova’s post offices are open from 8.30 am - 2 pm (Sat 8.30 am - 1 pm).
The Posta Centrale (Main Post Office) is in corso Garibaldi 25
☎ 049.8772209, and is open
Mon - Sat 8.30 am - 6.30 pm.
Other post offices open in the afternoon are:
galleria Spagna 15
Mon - Fri 8.30 am - 7 pm, Sat closed
via De Filippesi 7
Mon - Fri 8.30 am - 6.30 pm,
Sat 8.30 am - 1 pm
via Tiziano Aspetti 156
Mon - Fri 8.30 am - 6.30 pm,
Sat 8.30 am - 1 pm

Emergency doctor
☎ 049.8808325 (weekdays: 8 pm - 8 am; and from 10 am on Saturday to 8 am on Monday).

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Accommodation

ESU provides accommodation for about 1600 students from outside Padova in its 14 halls of residence, which are situated in the city centre or near to the university buildings. Four university guesthouses are also available for short-term stays. Accommodation in halls of residence is governed by competition. All the information about requirements and deadlines can be found every year from the end of June at www.esu.pd.it → Residenze → Concorso alloggi. Prices for a single room range from 65 euro to 265 euro a month and are calculated according to student merit, family means, and the on-site facilities. Prices for a double room range from 52 euro to 210 euro a month, and are subject to the same conditions.

University guesthouses are open from October to the end of July. The prices and quality of the rooms make them a competitive option for students, teachers and researchers in search of short-term accommodation. From the end of August to the end of September the Copernico hall of residence also offers a bed & breakfast service for students and families, which includes reading rooms and internet points.

For further information go to www.sassa.org → Guest lodges
For bookings, write to accommodation@esu.pd.it; you will be asked to provide your personal details and the dates of arrival and departure.

For information about competitions

UFFICIO BENEFICI E INTERVENTI
FINANCIAL SUPPORT OFFICE
via San Francesco 122
35121 Padova
☎ 049.8235672 - 5673 - 5674
☎ 049.8235677
✉ dirittoallostudio@esu.pd.it
Mon – Thu 9.30 am – 1.30 pm and 3 pm – 4 pm
Fri 9.30 am – 1.30 pm

For information about halls of residences and guesthouses

ESU ACCOMMODATION SERVICE
via Tiepolo 46
35129 Padova
☎ 049.8941160
☎ 049.7800187
✉ accommodation@esu.pd.it
Mon – Thu 9 am – 1 pm and 3 pm – 6 pm
Fri 9 am – 1 pm
ESU halls of residence

CARLI
via Martiri Giuliani e Dalmati 25, 35129 Padova
☎ 049.772798
88 places in single rooms with bathroom. Communal areas: kitchen, study room, computer room with internet, library, music room, TV room, games room, gym, laundry, garden, football pitches, volleyball and tennis courts. 24-hour porter service.

COLOMBO
via Ponticello 30, 35129 Padova
☎ 049.7800972
148 places in independent apartments for two people with single rooms with internet access, communal bathroom and kitchen; 4 places for disabled students. Communal areas: two study rooms, meeting room with video-projector system, computer room with internet, gym, laundry, garden, and parking spaces. 24-hour porter service.

COPERNICO
via Tiepolo 54, 35129 Padova
☎ 049.8077970
260 places in single rooms with bathroom shared between two rooms, air conditioning and internet access; 12 places for disabled students. Communal areas: study halls, technical drawing room, computer room with internet, library, music room, TV room, gym, laundry and garden. 24-hour porter service.

CORNARO PISCOPIA
via Curzola 10, 35135 Padova
☎ 049.8647349
100 places in single and double rooms cabled for internet and with bathroom. Communal areas: kitchen, computer room with internet, TV room, gym, garden, and laundry. 24-hour porter service.

EDERLE
via Belzoni 160, 35121 Padova
☎ 049.8071799
110 places in single rooms with bathrooms on corridors. Communal areas: kitchen, computer room with internet, library, music room, TV room, games room, gym, garden, multi-purpose sports playing surface (volleyball, tennis, 5-a-side, basketball), and laundry. 24-hour porter service.

MENEGHETTI
(for women only)
via S. Eufemia 2/a, 35121 Padova
☎ 049.8751311
87 places in single, double and triple rooms with bathrooms on corridors. Communal areas: kitchen, laundry, study room, computer room with internet, music room, TV room, gym, and garden. 24-hour porter service.
MORGAGNI
(reserved for students of the Galilean School of Higher Education)
via San Massimo 33, 35129 Padova
☎ 049.656593
112 places in single rooms with bathrooms on corridors. Each room has an internet access point. Communal areas: kitchen, video-projector room, computer room with internet, library, music room, TV room, laundry, gym and garden. 24-hour porter service.

NIEVO
via Moro 4, 35141 Padova
☎ 049.8718688
72 places in single and double rooms with bathrooms on corridors. Communal areas: kitchen, study room, computer room with internet, TV room, garden, 5-a-side pitch, and laundry. 24-hour porter service.

ESU apartments

AGRIPOLIS
viale dell’Università 12, 35020 Legnaro (PD)
☎ 049.8837168
24 places in independent apartments for two people and 1 place for a disabled student. Communal areas: study room, internet access, gym, and laundry.

CECCARELLI
via Monte Cengio 19, 35138 Padova
☎ 049.8712658 - 2533 - 2511
118 places with double rooms in apartments with internet connection and bathroom, kitchen with TV, washing machine and microwave. Communal areas: study halls on corridors, computer room with internet, gym, bar, garden, and sports field. 24-hour porter service.

FACCIOlati
(for women only)
via Facciolati 96, 35126 Padova
☎ 049.754683
33 places in 11 apartments with single and double rooms, bathroom, kitchen, and terrace. Communal areas: computer room with internet, garden, and laundry.

goito
via Goito 70, 35143 Padova
☎ 049.8804355
108 places in independent apartments for two people with single rooms, bathroom, kitchen and small terrace. Communal areas: study room, computer room with internet, TV room, garden, and laundry. Porter service from 8.30 am to 10.30 pm from Monday to Saturday.
TARTAGLIA
(for women only)
via Tartaglia 9, 35136 Padova
\[ 049.8713606 \]
110 places in independent apartments (up to 7 people per apartment) with bathroom and kitchen. Communal areas: study room, internet access, TV room, games room, gym, and garden. Porter service from 8.30 am to 10.30 pm from Monday to Saturday.

ESU outside Padova

SAN SILVESTRO
contra’ San Silvestro 69, 36100 Vicenza
\[ 0444.545823 \]
57 places in independent apartments with suites, single and double rooms. Communal areas and services: study room, internet access, gym, garden, and laundry. Porter service from 8 am to 11 pm, and nighttime security service.

University guesthouses

COPERNICO
via Tiepolo 54, 35129 Padova
11 places, single rooms with bathroom shared between two rooms, mini-fridge, TV, air-conditioning, and internet access; suite with bathroom and kitchen, TV and air-conditioning. Prices* from 150 euro per week and from 350 euro per month.

GALILEO GALILEI
via Magarotto 16, 35136 Padova
88 places, apartments with double room, living room/kitchenette, bathroom and air-conditioning. Prices* from 600 euro per month per apartment.

LUZZATI
via Luzzatti 9/16, 35121 Padova
36 places for professors and academics only in single and double rooms with bathroom, TV, mini-fridge, internet access, communal kitchens and laundry; two apartments with kitchen and bathroom. Prices* from 140 euro per week and from 320 euro per month.

VILLA LIBERTY
via Tiepolo 46, 35129 Padova
15 places in single and double rooms with bathroom, TV, air-conditioning and mini-fridge. Prices* from 35 euro per day.

* Prices are subject to change
Private colleges

Last year ESU signed an agreement with a number of the city’s private colleges. Students participating in the ESU halls of residence competition will also be able to apply to these residences. Each has different prices and conditions.

COLEGGIO FEMMINILE FORCELLINI E COLEGGIO MASCHILE MURIALDO
[FORCELLINI COLLEGE FOR WOMEN AND MURIALDO COLLEGE FOR MEN]
Both these colleges have double and triple rooms with a bathroom either en-suite or on the corridor. All University students can lunch at the colleges’ canteens thanks to an agreement with ESU. The colleges have study halls, wi-fi, and a park. Murialdo also has a soundproof music room for rehearsals.

via Forcellini 172  
☎ 049 8033100  
✉ info@collegioforcellini.it  
www.collegioforcellini.it

via Grassi 42  
☎ 049.7720111  
✉ info@collegiomurialdo.it  
www.collegiomurialdo.it

CUAMM
CUAMM is a key part of the non-governmental organisation Medici con l’Africa and has operated in Africa for more than 50 years. It is a mixed college that provides accommodation for 60 students in single rooms. It also has a canteen, libraries, study halls, internet access and recreational areas.

via San Francesco 126  
☎ 049.8751649 - 1279  
✉ cuamm@cuamm.org  
www.mediciconlafrica.org

DON NICOLA MAZZA
This organisation has two halls of residence in Padova: one for men, “Giuseppe Tosi”, which is at via Savonarola 176, and one for women, “Isabella Scopoli”, which is at via Belzoni 146. Both halls are in an excellent location near to University faculties and offer a wide range of cultural and recreational facilities. Admission is governed by a competition and prices vary according to a student’s family’s means.

☎ 049.8734411 – 049.8066111  
✉ info@collegiomazzia.it  
www.collegiomazzia.it

FONDAZIONE CENTRO UNIVERSITARIO PADOVANO
This foundation runs a hall for young graduates, especially doctoral degree students, medical post-grads, and University scholarship holders.

via Zabarella 82  
☎ 049.8764688  
www.centrouniversitariopd.it
MARIANUM
This hall is for women only and has 80 places for students and 11 doctoral degree students in double and single rooms with bathroom. It has study halls, library and newspaper library, computer rooms, wi-fi, conference rooms, music room, TV room, gym, recreation room, and chapel.
via Giotto 33  049.654225
info@collegiomarianum.com
www.collegiomarianum.com

SORELLE DELLA MISERICORDIA
This hall of residence is for women only and is run by nuns. It is in one of the most central and beautiful locations in the city. It has 22 double rooms and 16 single rooms, all with bathroom, air-conditioning and internet connection. It also has study halls, kitchenette, living rooms with TV, library, gym, multipurpose room, music room, laundry, ironing room and chapel.
Prato della Valle 103  049.8750857
misericordiacoll@ismpadova.it

University canteens
ESU canteens are near to the city centre or to the main University buildings. A wide choice of food is available including three first courses, five second courses, side dishes, drinks, desserts or coffee. A light meal or pizza can also be purchased using a University card that can be topped up at prepayment machines located in the canteens. The charges normally vary from 2.30 euro to 4 euro, depending on the student’s financial situation and merit. Additional discounts are available for students eligible for or awarded study grants and for people accompanying disabled students (only if eligible for or awarded study grants). The ESU also guarantees this service to students at the University’s satellite sites (Castelfranco Veneto, Conegliano, Feltre, Rovigo, Treviso, Portogruaro, Vicenza) thanks to agreements with local restaurants and other self-service caterers.

ESU University canteens in Padova*
RistorESU SAN FRANCESCO
via San Francesco 122
RistorESU MARZOLO
via Marzolo 4
RistorESU PIOVEGO
via Colombo 1
RistorESU AGRIPOLIS
viale dell’Università 16
Legnaro (PD)
University affiliated canteens*

MURIALDO     FORCELLINI     ACLI (PIO X)
via Grassi 42 via Forcellini 172 via Bonporti 20

Opening times

Mon - Fri 11.45 am - 2.30 pm   evening opening times:
Sat and weekday holidays      Mon - Fri 6.45 pm - 9 pm
11.45 am - 2.30 pm            (San Francesco canteen)
(Marzolo, San Francesco, Piovego
operate in shifts)
Sun 11.45 am - 2.30 pm        Latest information at www.esu.pd.it
(Murialdo and Acli operate in shifts)

University-affiliated canteens outside Padova

CONEGLIANO (TV)
Self service casa Toniolo
via Galilei 32
Mon - Fri 12 pm - 2 pm

PORTOGRUAO (VE)
Portogruaro Campus
via Seminario 34/a
Mon - Fri 12 pm - 2 pm

ROVIGO
S.R. Servizi Ristorazione
c/o CUR viale Porta Adige 45
Mon - Fri 12 pm - 2.15 pm

TREviso
ristorante Break
corso del Popolo 25/27
Mon - Sun 11.30 am – 3 pm
and 6.30 pm – 10 pm

VICENZA
Self service
Serenissima Ristorazione
contrà Barche campus
Mon - Fri 12 pm - 2.30 pm

The University has affiliated canteens at the local health authorities in Feltre (BL), Castelfranco Veneto (TV) and Treviso.

For information on prices and discounts
UFFICIO BENEFICI E INTERVENTI / FINANCIAL SUPPORT OFFICE
via San Francesco 122, 35121 Padova
☎ 049.8235672 - 5673 - 5674
✉ 049.8235677
✉ ristorazione@esu.pd.it
Mon – Thu 9.30 am – 1.30 pm and 3 pm – 4 pm; Fri 9.30 am – 1.30 pm

For information on University canteens
UFFICIO RISTORAZIONE UNIVERSITARIA / UNIVERSITY CATERING OFFICE
via San Francesco 122, 35121 Padova
☎ 049.8235686
☎ 049.8235684
✉ ristorazione@esu.pd.it

* Quality System certified according to UNI EN 9001:2000 (VISION 2000)
Padova’s University Sports Centre (CUS) was founded in 1946. Since then, its ranks have been filled with international champions such as Olympic gold medal winners Irene Camber, Livio Berruti, Eugenio Monti, Francesca Bortolozzi and Rossano Galtarossa. The CUS enables students to take part in both competitive and non-competitive sports at the two facilities in via Giordano Bruno and via Jacopo Corrado. The CUS participates in a number of competitions, including the Ludi del Bo, the University Games, which involve both students and employees competing in a range of disciplines. It is also involved in national University leagues. University students receive a card that enables them to use sports facilities free of charge, such as football, rugby and hockey pitches, basketball, volleyball and tennis courts, plus an athletics track. The card also entitles students to a discount on a whole host of courses including martial arts, dance, yoga and many others.

CUS PADOVA
via Giordano Bruno 27
35124 Padova
☎ 049.685222
☎ 049.681761
✉ info@cuspadova.it

FACILITIES
via Giordano Bruno 27
☎ 049.8801551
via Jacopo Corrado 4
☎ 049.8076766
The word Bo, without accent or apostrophe, derives from the medieval Latin Hospitium Bovis, the Inn at the Sign of the Ox, which gave the University one of its oldest symbols: its bucranium. The University decided to purchase the building in 1539; since 1222 privately owned rooms had sufficed for the professors to give their lessons. On entering the Cortile Antico (Old Courtyard), there is an almost overwhelming sense of history and tradition; here hundreds of stone coats of arms commemorate the professors and students who devoted part of their lives to the University. There is also a statue of Elena Lucrezia Cornaro Piscopia, the first woman ever to be awarded a degree and one of Padova’s most famous graduates. Galileo’s original desk stands in the entrance to Aula Magna; and just a few steps away is the original Anatomy Theatre, but this deserves a section to itself.

In the 1930s and 1940s architect Gio Ponti used his rationalist experimental style to rework the old heart of Palazzo Bo. With the consent of Rector Anti, Ponti gave the University a new look by commissioning high calibre artists such as Campigli, Pendini, and Severini to decorate the Rector’s Office and academic halls. At the entrance to the Cortile Nuovo (New Courtyard) stands a statue of a pensive Palinurus, Aeneas’ helmsman, by Arturo Martini. This work is dedicated to a partisan, Masaccio, in commemoration of Italy’s contribution to the Resistance movement. The statue seems to be gazing at words that had been written many years before: qui vivono, qui vegliano e si rinnovano nei secoli le anime di tutti caduti in guerra (here lie, here keep vigil and here find new strength down the centuries the souls of all those who fell in war).

Palazzo Bo via VIII febbraio 2
free guided tours for University of Padova students
information  049.8273047
www.unipd.it  → l’Ateneo → patrimonio artistico e culturale
Who knows what young inexperienced physicians in the 17th century must have felt as they entered the anatomy theatre for the first time. They were shepherded into a dark room by massari, older students who helped the professor with the dissections, and lessons were conducted by candlelight. The young men took up their places in this large wooden structure, the air heavy with stench and darkness. At the centre of the theatre was the autopsy table; the atmosphere was so eery that musicians had to be called in to add a touch of life. Legend has it that once a body had been dissected, a trapdoor on the autopsy table fell open, dropping the body into the river that flowed beneath the building.

It is likely that from the 16th century temporary anatomy theatres were built in the coldest periods of the year, only to be dismantled at the end of the courses. Padova’s anatomy theatre, which was built by Gerolamo Fabrici D’Acquapendente in 1594, was the first permanent one of its kind in the world. Many illustrious figures, such as Giovanbattista Morgagni and William Harvey, who discovered how blood circulated, studied and taught there. A motto is engraved at the entrance to the theatre, it reads: Mors ubi gaudet succurrere vitae (Here is where death is happy to help life).
Why are those young people being forced to read a huge poster in public? This poster, or papiro, is celebration of a graduate’s university career, as well as a list of all their ridiculous exploits. The first documental evidence of a papiro dates back to the end of the 19th century, but it is probably a tradition with much older roots, one the city regards with a feeling that borders on resignation and mirth. Visitors to the city must have been taken with the idea because it has spread to other cities in recent years. After graduates have read their papiro, the next stop is Caffè Pedrocchi where you can order its famous mint coffee, which Stendhal so loved, or simply sit back and read a book. Caffè Pedrocchi was finished in 1831, and since opening it has been tradition that students can sit and chat in its sala verde (Green room) without having to buy a drink. A bullet hole was left in the wall of the Pedrocchi’s sala bianca (White room) by an Austrian rifle during the student protests of 1848, taking us back to the days when the coffee house was a popular haunt of students and professors alike.

If you have time, you should also visit Palazzo della Ragione, which was built in 1218. This symbol of a proud and confident city was once the seat of the city’s law courts: the top floor, which is one enormous room popularly called il Salone, is frescoed with a magnificent cycle of works by Giotto, who was later commissioned to fresco the walls with an astrological cycle based on the works of philosopher and alchemist Pietro d’Abano. Below the medieval vaults of the ground floor are shops selling meat, fish, cheese and a whole host of other food. In the surrounding squares, stalls sell fruit and vegetables.
Marcel Proust was to remember his first visit to the Scrovegni Chapel his whole life. He was particularly moved by the mastery and subtlety with which the figures of the Vices and Virtues were depicted, and dedicated some well-known pages of his *Recherche* to them. With Giotto, we can talk about the birth of painting, and perhaps even of modern culture: his figures break away from the conventions of Byzantine and Medieval art for the first time, each one acquiring its own unique and incomparable physiognomy and each one trying to free itself and assert itself in its own space. And oh the colours: that lapis lazuli blue used for the sky! The paintings were commissioned by Enrico Scrovegni between 1303 and 1306 in order to save the soul of his father, a wealthy moneylender.

Just a short stroll away from the Scrovegni Chapel stands the Eremitani Church, which houses one of Andrea Mantegna’s first masterpieces in its Ovetari Chapel. Mantegna was actually from Padova. In 1944 the chapel was hit by an allied bomb, which blew the paintings to pieces; what remains is the result of painstaking restoration work carried out by generations of experts using modern technologies. There’s just enough time then to enjoy the shade of the great trees within the perimeter of the Roman arena before we reach the Eremitani Civic Museums with their collections, which include works by Giorgione, Titian, Veronese, Canova, Tiepolo and many more.

**Scrovegni Chapel**
booking required for tours
- 049.2010020
entrance from Eremitani Civic Museums
opening times 9 am – 7 pm
www.cappelladegliscrovegni.it

**Eremitani Civic Museums**
piazza Ermiteani 8
- 049.8204551
opening times 9 am – 7 pm
closed on Monday

**Eremitani Church**
piazza Eremitani
Padova has a medieval heart, its narrow roads winding between towering houses, through the shadows cast by porticos and beneath small slit-like windows decorated with flowers. This is the Ghetto, an area just off Padova’s main squares which is now also full of young people and osterie (local bars). It is a strange sensation to step out from this web of small streets into the sunny expanse of piazza Duomo; the square’s Cathedral, with its austere terracotta façade, was consecrated in 1075. Next to the Cathedral stands the Battistero, renowned for its geometric shapes and in particular for its 14th century adornments - a masterpiece created by Giusto de’ Menabuoi. Nearby, passing beneath the astrological clock tower, it’s just a few steps from piazza dei Signori to piazza Capitaniato. Once upon a time it was the site of the old palace of the Carraresi, the first lords of the city, who reigned between 1318 and 1405. Little remains today, but we still have the Sala dei Giganti (Hall of Giants), now a part of Palazzo Liviano, the formidable building built between 1937 and 1940 to house the Faculty of Arts and Philosophy. Just like Palazzo Bo, Liviano is a blend of old and modern: Gio Ponti’s 20th century architecture, Massimo Campigli’s great paintings and Arturo Martini’s colossal marble sculpture of Tito Livio standing in the entrance contrast with the Sala dei Giganti, whose frescoes were inspired by Petrarch and created by Altichiero da Zevio and Jacopo Avanzi. The hall was destroyed by a fire, from which only the painting of Petrarch was spared. It was then repainted in the 16th century by Domenico Campagnola and Stefano dell’Arzere, keeping to the Petrarch-inspired theme. The hall has long been bound to the University; throughout the centuries it has played different roles: as a hall for student gatherings and receptions, as a library and even as a University museum. This year, restoration work was completed on all of its frescoes.

**Battistero del Duomo**
piazza Duomo
opening times 10 am – 6 pm
📞 049.656914

**Palazzo Liviano and Sala dei Giganti**
piazza Capitaniato 7
Towards La Specola

Padova was built upon the Rivers Brenta and Bacchiglione and is crossed by the Battaglia, Scaricatore and Piovego canals. In its heyday, an extensive network of canals flowed around and across the medieval city, supplying and defending it. Padova’s waterways were also essential for its industry, which was powered by mills, and for its trade, as goods were transported mainly by water. From Piazza Capitaniato, you can take via Patriarcato and then follow le riviere, the paths that run along the canals, down to La Specola. Castel Vecchio stands where the Bacchiglione divides into two. Ezzelino da Romano, the city’s tyrant, who also appears in Dante’s *Inferno*, built an enormous tower, Torlonga, in 1242 in order to defend the castle. Torlonga remained infamous for centuries after the tyrant’s death for the terrible acts that took place in its dungeons. In 1777, it became home to La Specola, the city’s observatory. A legend over the door reads: 1242 – Questa torre che un tempo conduceva alle ombre infernali, ora sotto l’auspicio dei Veneti apre la via agli astri – 1767 (1242 – This tower, which once led to the shadows of hell, now, under the auspices of the Veneto people, opens the way to the stars - 1767). Today the tower is a museum that exhibits globes, telescopes, and measuring instruments, all of which are in their original position. *Sala Meridiana* (*Meridian room*) is home to the largest meridian line in Italy; other fascinating features include the meridian circle, the *Sala delle Figure*, a high-windowed room where the stars were observed, the historical archive, which contains logs of astronomical observations, and an old library.

**La Specola Museum**

vicolo dell’Osservatorio 5  
 celular 049.8293469 - 3449  
 Guided tour only: winter Sat – Sun, 4 pm; summer Sat – Sun, 6 pm  
 [www.oapd.inaf.it/museo-laspecola](http://www.oapd.inaf.it/museo-laspecola)
After a lengthy stroll around the city, in the words of poet Gabriele D’Annunzio, what could be better than resting on “prato molle, ombrato d’olmi e di marmi, che cinge la riviera e le rondini rigano di strida” (soft grass, in the shade of elms and marble statues that circle the Riviera, swallows filling the sky with their cries). On warm summer days, Prato della Valle is crowded with students, tourists, roller-bladers and people doing all sorts of sports. Local tradition has it that the Prà senza erba (the meadow with no grass) is one of the three “with no’s” in Padova, the other two being the Santo senza nome (St. Anthony, the saint with no name) and the caffè senza porte (Caffè Pedrocchi, the coffee house with no doors). Seventy-eight statues of illustrious people adorn the perimeter of the large grass oval surrounded by a canal; Prato della Valle was given its current appearance in 1775 at the behest of Venetian noble Andrea Memmo, who planned to reclaim what was a marshy, infested part of the city. Across the road stands the majestic basilica of Santa Giustina. The abbey is a national monument; it is 122 metres long and 82 metres wide, which makes it one of the largest in the Christian world; it is home to a host of historical treasures and works of art, including a huge library of 130,000 books. In Paduan tradition, Saint Anthony’s basilica is known locally as Il Santo; like the basilicas of Loreto and St. Francis of Assisi, Padova’s also belongs to the Vatican City, and each year it is visited by millions of pilgrims from all over the world. It contains masterpieces by Donatello, Altichiero da Zevio in the Oratorio di San Giorgio, and Titian in the Scuola del Santo. On 13th June, Padova honours St. Anthony, its patron saint.

**Basilica di Santa Giustina**
opening times 8 am – 12 pm and 3 pm – 7.45 pm

**Basilica del Santo**
winter opening times 6.20 am – 7 pm
summer opening times 6.20 am – 7.45 pm
Studying in Padova

Padova’s beautiful botanical garden is just a stone’s throw from Prato della Valle and Il Santo. “The Botanical garden of Padova is the original of all botanical gardens throughout the world, and represents the birth of science, of scientific exchanges, and understanding of the relationship between nature and culture.” This was the reason why the world’s oldest botanical garden was inscribed on UNESCO’s World Heritage List in 1997. Founded in 1545, the botanical garden was opened to grow medicinal plants known as semplici, which were used by students and professors of medicine to prepare their remedies. In spring, visitors can enjoy the scents and colours of the thousands of different species of flowers to the sound of murmuring water in fountains full of lilies. In winter, visitors can opt to see its library or museum, as well as its greenhouses, which are full of tropical plants, including dozens of beautiful orchids of all shapes and sizes. More than 50,000 people come here each year to see the garden’s numerous rare and precious species. The garden is also famous for Goethe’s palm, which the great poet saw in 1786 and mentioned in his Metamorphosis of plants. One section has descriptions in Braille. Future plans will see the garden expanded with the creation of new areas that represent the different climates across the Planet.

Botanical garden
via Orto botanico 15 | 049.8272127
free admission for University students
summer opening times 9 am – 1 pm and 3 pm – 7 pm
winter opening times 9 am – 1 pm
(closed on Sunday and holidays)
www.ortobotanico.unipd.it
University museums

Centro di Ateneo per i Musei - CAM
University Centre for Museums
The Centre coordinates and promotes the work of the Sistema Museale di Ateneo (University Museums Network).
via Orto botanico 15
Tel. 049.8272135
Fax 049.8272125
Email centromusei@unipd.it
Website www.musei.unipd.it

Museum of Anthropology
This museum dates back to the early 19th century and houses palethnology, osteology and ethnography collections, as well as works of oriental art.
via Orto botanico 15
Tel. 049.8272118
Fax 049.8272125
Email nicola.carrara@unipd.it
Website www.unipd.it/musei/antropologia

Museum of Botany
Founded as a herbarium in 1835, today it is home to collections of dried plants, algae, fungi, moss, lichen, gall, wood, seeds and fruit.
via Orto botanico 15
Tel. 049.8272110
Fax 049.8272125
Email rossella.marcucci@unipd.it
Website www.unipd.it/musei/botanico

Museum of Education
A collection of materials from nurseries, schools and universities, including books, workbooks, photographs, toys and furnishings, gave life in 1987 to the Museum of Schooling, today the Museum of Education.
via degli Obizzi 21 - 23
Tel. 049.8274786
Fax 049.8274791
Email museo.educazione@unipd.it
Website www.unipd.it/musei/educazione

Museum of Geology and Paleontology
Founded in 1734 as the Vallisneri Museum, it houses a range of natural discoveries, collections of rocks and fossils mainly from Veneto, Friuli-Venezia Giulia, and Trentino-Alto Adige, areas also known as the Tre Venezie.
via Matteotti 30
Tel. 049.8272086
Fax 049.8272010
Email mariagabriella.fornasiero@unipd.it
Website www.unipd.it/musei/geologia
“Enrico Bernardi”
**Museum of Machinery**
Opened in 1927, it is home to relics and instruments that trace the evolution of engineering science over the centuries. Exhibits include a three-wheeled car with a petrol engine built in 1894.
via Venezia 1
■ 049.8276775 - 6763
■ 049.8276785
■ guido.ardizzon@unipd.it
www.unipd.it/musei/macchine

**Museum of Minerology**
The specimens on display here are divided into three sections: systematic minerals, genetic minerals and mineral deposits. The Gasser collection (1935) alone contains some 3,000 minerals from Tirol, Trentino and Alto Adige.
via Matteotti 30
■ 049.8272033 ■ 049.8272010
■ alessandro.guastoni@unipd.it
www.unipd.it/musei/mineralogia

**Museum of Archaeology and Art**
This museum is housed in Palazzo Livi-ano and is based on a design by Gio Ponti. It is divided into 14 rooms and comprises three sections devoted to collections from antiquity, to the culture of materials, and to plaster casts.
piazza Capitaniato 7
■ 049.8274611 - 4576
■ 049.8274613
■ alessandra.menegazzi@unipd.it
www.unipd.it/musei/archeologia

**History of Physics Museum**
The museum vaunts a wide collection of scientific instruments used at the University between the 16th and 20th centuries.
via Loredan 10
■ 049.8277153
■ 049.8277102
■ sofia.talas@unipd.it
www.unipd.it/musei/fisica

**Astronomical Instrumentation Museum**
The museum is home to Galileo’s telescope, which is still used to research, teach and raise awareness of science. Another 22 instruments complete the collection.
c/o Osservatorio Astrofisico di Asiago (VI) località Pennar
■ 049.8278228
■ alessandro.pizzella@unipd.it
www.astro.unipd.it/museo

**Museum of Zoology**
This museum houses collections from the Department of Biology that date back to the 19th century. It also has some 18th century artefacts from the collection of Antonio Vallisneri.
via Jappelli 1/a
■ 049.8275410
■ 049.8275475
■ paola.nicolosi@unipd.it
www.unipd.it/musei/zoologia
City museums

CENTRO CULTURALE ALTINATE – SAN GAETANO
via Altinate 71
☎ 049.8205572 (City Council Public Relations Office)

EREMITANI CIVIC MUSEUMS
piazza Eremitani 8
☎ 049.8204551

SCROVEGNI CHAPEL
Booking required
☎ 049.2010020
www.cappelladegliscrovegni.it

MINICI ZOTTI COLLECTION
(MUSEUM OF PRE-CINEMA HISTORY)
Prato della Valle 1
☎ 049.8763838

MUSEUM OF APPLIED ARTS AND BOTTACIN MUSEUM
c/o Palazzo Zuckermann
corso Garibaldi 33
☎ 049.665567

MUSEUM OF THE RISORGIMENTO AND CONTEMPORARY HISTORY
c/o Piano Nobile del Caffè Pedrocchi,
galleria Pedrocchi 11
☎ 049.8205638

LA SPECOLA MUSEUM
vicolo dell’Osservatorio 5
☎ 049.8293469 - 3449

AL SANTO MUSEUM
piazza del Santo 12
☎ 049.8751105

PALAZZO ZABARELLA
via San Francesco 27
☎ 049.8753100

PLANETARIUM
via Cornaro 1/b
www.planetariopadova.it

LOGGIA E ODEO CORNARO
via Cesarotti 37

Monuments

PALAZZO DELLA RAGIONE
piazza delle Erbe

PIANO NOBILE DEL CAFFÈ PEDROCCHI
galleria Pedrocchi 11

ORATORIO DI SAN GIORGIO
AND SCUOLA DEL SANTO
piazza del Santo

ORATORIO DI SAN MICHELE
piazzetta San Michele 2

ORATORIO DI SAN ROCCO
via Santa Lucia

UFFICI DI INFORMAZIONE E ASSISTENZA TURISTICA (IAT) / TOURIST INFORMATION OFFICES
The IAT offices provide detailed information about what’s on in Padova, accommodation, museums and monuments. The offices are in:
galleria Pedrocchi 9
☎ 049.8767927
piazza del Santo
from April to October
☎ 049.8753087
and at the railway station
☎ 049.8752077
www.turismopadova.it
University stores

UP stores are the University of Padova’s own retail outlets. You can find them at Palazzo Bo, the University’s historic main building, and from this year at the Botanical Garden as well. They were opened to introduce the history and people who have made the University of Padova famous worldwide. The stores’ items tell the University’s story and bear the University’s symbols and logos.

University of Padova stationery, clothing, leather goods and much more can be purchased from these stores and also from www.upstore.it. University students are entitled to a 10% discount on all items.

PALAZZO BO
via VIII febbraio 2
35122 Padova
Mon – Fri 9 am – 1 pm and 3 pm – 6 pm
049.8273110
049.8273111
upstore@unipd.it

BOTANICAL GARDEN
via Orto botanico 15
35123 Padova
049.8272122
ortoupstore@unipd.it
University bookshops

DRAGHI
via Santa Lucia 11
049.8751353 - 049.8760306

GALILEI
via Beato Pellegrino 8
049.8755542

GREGORIANA
• via Roma 37
• piazza Duomo 5
• via Vescovado 33
  049.8758455

IL LIBRACCIO
via del Portello 42  049.8075035

INTERNAZIONALE CORTINA
via Marzolo 2  049.656921

PROGETTO
• University Bookshops
  via VIII Febbraio 10
  049.8757244

PANGEA
Via San Martino e Solferino 106
049.8760450

RINOCERONTE
via del Santo 55/A  049.8760516

UPSEL DOMENEGHINI
via Venezia 9/B  049.8078255

Publishing houses

CLEUP
via Belzoni 118/3  049.650261

CUSL NUOVA VITA
via Belzoni 162  049.8073750

Music shops

CRASH RECORDS
via Squarcione 15
049.8753643

DISCOLANDIA
via Roma 98
049.8757275

DISCO SHOP
via Facciolati 136
049.751089

GABBIA
via Dante 8
049.8751166

GREEN RECORDS
piazza De Gasperi 9
049.3006372
via Giotto 10/12
049.8753780

IL VENTITRE
via Barbarigo 2
049.8750689

RICORDI MEDIASTORES
piazza Garibaldi 1
049.8757488
Traditional cuisine

NANE DELLA GIULIA
via Santa Sofia 1
☎ 049.660742
closed on Monday

OSTERIA ALL’ANTICA COLONNA
via Altinate 127
☎ 049.655085
closed on Sunday

OSTERIA AL TRAGUARDO
via Petrarca 13
☎ 049.8789508
closed on Sunday

OSTERIA FRADEI KEMPES
riviera Tito Livio 17
☎ 049.8765599
open everyday at lunchtime
and on Friday and Saturday evening
closed on Sunday

OSTERIA L’ANFORA
via dei Soncin 13
☎ 049.656629
closed on Sunday

OSTERIA LA GIARA
via Facciolati 22
☎ 049.2951741
closed on Sunday

OSTERIA VITANOVA
via Pietro d’Abano 10
☎ 049.650784
closed on Sunday

PIZZERIA DA ANDREA
via Altichieri da Zevio 67
☎ 049.605350

PIZZERIA DA ASPORTO ORSUCCI DAL 1922
corso Vittorio Emanuele II 18
☎ 049.8759313
closed on Thursday

PIZZERIA DA ENNIO
via Santi Fabiano e Sebastiano 51
☎ 049.623734
closed on Monday

PIZZERIA TRATTORIA IL GROTTINO
via del Santo 23
☎ 049.664176
closed on Wednesday

PIZZERIA TRATTORIA PIAVE
riviera Paleocapa 24
☎ 049.8719769
closed on Monday

PIZZERIA TRATTORIA SAVONAROLA
via Savonarola 38
☎ 049.8759128
closed on Monday

RE PORCO
via San Pietro 47
☎ 049.8761289
closed on Monday

TRATTORIA BASSO ISONZO
via Monte Pertica 1
☎ 049.680813
closed on Monday

TRATTORIA GROTTA AZZURRA
via Colleoni 49
☎ 049.756380
closed on Sunday

TRATTORIA TOSCANA LA CARABACCIA
via Cristofori 13
☎ 049.8725673
closed on Saturday
and Sunday lunchtime
International cuisine

Caribbean and Mexican
POSADA DE LA MISIÓN
via Sauro 16
049.8756498
Mexican restaurant
closed on Tuesday

ELEGGUÀ
via Palestro 63
049.723296
Cuban restaurant
closed on Tuesday

BISTRÒ
via dei Livello 11
049.8759203
Mexican restaurant
closed on Monday

Indian
BUDDHA
via Giotto 31
049.8789308
Indian restaurant
closed on Monday at lunchtime

RANGOLI
via Aspetti 116
049.605964
Indian restaurant
open in the evening
and on Sunday at lunchtime

Greek
LA PLAKA (circolo ARCI)
via Euganea 76
049.8724526
closed on Monday

Vegetarian and Organic
LUNANUOVA (circolo ARCI)
via Barbarigo 12
049.8758907
closed on Sunday and Monday

Asian
DARVISH
riviera Mussato 85
049.664048
Persian restaurant
closed on Wednesday

SHANGHAI
via Marsala 6/8
049.652910
Chinese restaurant
closed Monday at lunchtime

KIRIN
via Reni 81
049.8647116
Japanese restaurant
closed on Monday

Arab and African
SAHARA
via fra’ Paolo Sarpi 116
049.8715116
Middle-eastern and Berber
closed on Monday

DAHLAK
via Sorio 73
049.8710924
Eritrean restaurant
closed on Monday

Kebab
RISTORANTINO ALADINO
via Ferrari 1/a
049.8756705
closed on Monday

PANINI DI KEBAB MARRAKESH EXPRESS
via Manzoni 114/b
049.751502
Bars

AI DO ARCHI ENOTECA
via Nazario Sauro 23

AL VECIO BACARO (“AI DADI”) 
via dei Soncin 9

ANIMA
via Vicenza 15

BARABBA OSTERIA
via Vicenza 47

BAR DEL PORTO ENOTECA
via Santa Maria Assunta

BARLUME WINE BAR
via Bonporti 26/28

BERTELLI’S BAR
via Gritti 3/a

BIRRERIA AGLI AMICI
via Belzoni 22

BIRRERIA INDIPENDENTE
via Giotto 16

BIRRERIA LÖWENBRÄU
via Carini 15

CAFÈ MADRID
via Tiepolo 19

CANTINA DEL GUFO
via Santa Lucia 91

CORTE SCONTA
via dell’Arco 8bis

ENOTECA CAUPONA EVOÈ
via Vescovado 85

FLY BAR PIZZERIA
galleria Tito Livio 4

GODENDA
via Squarcione 4/6

IL GOTTINO BAR ENOTECA
via San Martino e Solferino 29

IL TIRABOUCHON ENOTECA
sotto il Salone 23/24

L’ULTIMA OMBRA
via Marsala 23

OLD ENGLAND PUB
via Manzoni 51

PAPARAZZI
via Marsilio da Padova 17

SFIZIO BREAK BAR
riviera Tito Livio 35

TAVERNA DANÈSE
via Barbarigo 3/5

VIZIO PUB
via San Biagio 17

ZANELLATO LOUNGE CAFE
via dei Fabbri 22
**Clubs**

**BANALE**  
[circolo CSEN]  
currently in via Bronzetti 8, moving soon to via d’Avanzo  
(open in winter only)  
via dell’ippodromo 3  
(open in summer only)

**BIG CLUB**  
via Armistizio 68

**EXTRA EXTRA**  
via Ciamician 5

**FAHRENHEIT 451**  
[circolo ARCI]  
via Tommaseo 96/a

**FISHMARKET SHOW BAR**  
(club ENCS)  
via fra’ Paolo Sarpi 37

**CHIOSCO - periodo estivo**  
(circolo Libertas)  
via Ariosto 10

**JAMAICAN CLUB**  
(club ACSI)  
via Tunisi 27/b

**LOVE DISCOTHEQUE**  
via Bernina 18

**MARACAIJO CLUB LATINO**  
[circolo ARCI]  
via Bruno 4/b

**PIXELLE**  
[circolo ARCI]  
via Turazza 19/4

**RANA MARGAUX**  
[circolo ARCI]  
Via Chiesanuova 131

**STOLKER*ELoaded**  
[circolo Altragricoltura Nord Est]  
corso Australia 61

**TUTOR CLUB**  
(club MSP)  
via Vicenza 24

**UNWOUND**  
[circolo ARCI]  
via Fowst 1

**Q BAR**  
vicolo dei Dotto 3
Cinemas

CINECITY MULTISALA
via Breda, Limena (PD)  
ordial: 049.7663400

CINEPLEX MULTISALA
strada Battaglia, Due Carrare (PD)  
ordial: 049.9126168

ESPERIA
via Chiesanuova 90  
ordial: 049.8722711

EXCELSIOR
vicolo Santa Margherita 4  
ordial: 049.8751125

MPX MULTISALA
via Bonporti 22  
ordial: 049.8774325

MULTIASTRA
via Tiziano Aspetti 21  
ordial: 049.604078

PICCOLO TEATRO
via Asolo 2  
ordial: 049.8827288

PORTO ASTRA
via Santa Maria Assunta 204  
ordial: 049.680057

REX
via Sant’Osvaldo 2  
ordial: 049.754116
Theatres

AUDITORIUM CESARE POLLINI
via Cassan 17

049.8750648
www.pvorchestra.org
www.amicimusicapadova.org
www.solistiveneti.it

CARICHI SOSPESI
via Vendramini 16

049.8762216
www.carichisospesi.com

CENTRO UNIVERSITARIO TEATRALE (TPR)
via Sorio 116

049.8725757
www.teatroficipopolare.org

TEATRO AI COLLI
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Brusegana (PD)

049.720298

TEATRO COMUNALE GIUSEPPE VERDI
via dei Livello 32
switchboard 049.8777011
ticket office 049.87770213
www.teatrostabileveneto.it/verdi

TEATROCONTINUO
vicolo Pontecorvo 1/a

049.650294
www.teatrocontinuo.it

TEATRO MADDALENE
via San Giovanni da Verdara 40

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www.tamteatromusica.it
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