

UNIVERSITÀ DEGLI STUDI DI MILANO



CENTRO LINGUISTICO D'ATENEO SLAM Ufficio di Lingua e Cultura Italiana per Stranieri "Chiara e Ginseppe Feltrinelli"

The SLAM University Language Centre is organizing an International Course of Italian Language and Culture from 14th July to 2nd August 2025, in the university branch of Gargnano (BS) on Lake Garda, open to all foreign citizens who wish to deepen their knowledge of Italian language and culture.

REQUIREMENTS

- minimum knowledge level of the Italian language: **B1**;
- age between 18 and 40;
- Candidates whose level of Italian proficiency is equivalent to C2 or who teach Italian as a second language will not be accepted.

COURSE DURATION

The course lasts three weeks and will take place in the university branch of Palazzo Feltrinelli in Gargnano (BS), on Lake Garda. It includes 90 hours of teaching of Italian language and culture, and it grants 3 university credits (ECTS).

COURSE PROGRAMME

Daily activities are distributed as following:

- 4 hours of Italian language teaching;
- 2 hours of lectures on topics related to Italian literature, history and culture, given by University professors or experts in the field.

The educational path includes cultural and didactic activities, among which an opera performance at the Arena of Verona, a visit to the ancient lemon house 'La Malora', and a guided tour of the MuSa Museum in Salò.

At the end of the course, students who have regularly attended at least 90% of the course will be issued an **attendance certificate**, which equals to 3 university credits (ECTS). The validation of these credits is at the discretion of the student's University or home institution.

FEE

The amount of the fee will vary depending on the Country of origin (citizenship) with reference to the Tables of Foreign Countries of the Regulations on Tuition and Fees, Waivers and Scholarships of the University of Milan.

- Countries included in Table A: 350 euros
- Countries included in Table B: 550 euros
- Countries included in Table C: 750 euros

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Please refer to the Country list in annex 1 in the footnote of this call.

The fee covers:

- 90-hour course of Italian language and culture;
- Three meals per day: breakfast, lunch and dinner;
- Roundtrip transportation by bus from Milan Central Station to Gargnano, plus a stop at the Milan-Bergamo Orio al Serio Airport;
- Cultural activities.

The fee does NOT cover:

- accommodation;
- travel expenses to and from Italy.

APPLICATION PROCEDURE

Candidates must submit their application by 20th June 2025 by sending an e-mail to the following address: gargnano@unimi.it

The following documents must be attached to the application:

- curriculum vitæ in Italian;
- education/working career;
- motivation letter;
- language proficiency certificate or statement at B1 level or higher;
- one photograph;
- scanned copy of your identification document or passport.

Pursuant to Legislative Decree No.196/2003, please be informed that the University undertakes to respect the confidentiality of the information provided by the candidates:

The Centre's Management of the SLAM Centre will evaluate whether each applicant meets the necessary requirements and will provide a response. In case of acceptance, instructions for the payment of the course fee will be provided according to the tables indicated in the announcement.

Following the payment, the selected applicants will receive an e-mail with further details and useful information.

All participants will have to inquire by themselves about the procedures to be followed to obtain a visa or a residence permit, if necessary, as well as arrange health insurance for their stay.



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WITHDRAWAL AND REFUND

Participants unable to attend the course may request a refund of the participation fee from 1st to 30th September 2025, only in the event of serious and documented impediments. For the refund to be issued, the candidate requesting the refund must be the holder or co-holder of the current account. Should this not be the case, the refund is not guaranteed.

FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information, please contact the *C e G Feltrinelli* Office for Italian Language and Culture of the SLAM University of Milan Language Centre at the address gargnano@unimi.it