



UNIVERSITÀ
CATTOLICA
del Sacro Cuore

MEDICINE & SURGERY

6-Year English-Taught Single-Cycle Degree Programme
AY 2024/2025 | Rome

Bolzano



Get more information about the campus

Double Degree

Thomas Jefferson University (USA)



Rome campus

Exceptional faculty-student ratio

for class of Medicine (only 100 students on the programme)

3,008

International Students currently enrolled in all campuses

4

Highly cited researchers: Bernabei, Gasbarrini, Ianiro, Landi (according to Clarivate)

27

Doctors ranked in the World's Top 2% Scientists (list by Stanford & Elsevier for career-long citation impact)

14

Study abroad destinations for the Medicine and Surgery programme

20+

Nationalities on the Medicine and Surgery programme

45

Faculty members listed among the TOP ITALIAN SCIENTISTS



Università Cattolica Policlinico Gemelli University Hospital is the

best hospital

in Italy and the

top 50

worldwide based on the

World's Best Hospital 2023

Ranking

by Newsweek



How to Apply



1

Apply online (Link available as soon as applications open › international.unicatt.it)

Create an account

2



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Fill out the online application form

Upload the following documents:

- Copy of your passport/s
- Official High School transcripts (in English or Italian) scanned as one document only
- High School Diploma (if already graduated)
- Evidence of language proficiency, where needed (if already available)

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Pay the €200 application fee to start the evaluation procedure

Submit your application

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After submission, Università Cattolica's International Admissions Team will **evaluate eligibility** to access the **Entrance exam**. Only candidates whose eligibility has been confirmed will be officially **assigned to one of the applicant rankings** (EU or non-EU).

Cost of living

TOTAL LIVING EXPENSES PER YEAR

Rome campus: €12,000 - 14,000

The School is
affiliated
with the
**Policlinico
Gemelli
University
Hospital**
which opened in 1964

Medicine and Surgery

Single-Cycle Degree Programme in Medicine and Surgery

School: Medicine and Surgery

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Campus: Rome, Italy
Next Intake: Sept 2024
Duration: 6 years

Total ECTS: 360
Edition #: 12



In order to achieve formative goals, the Medicine and Surgery programme is organised to offer a total number of 360 European Credit Transfer System (ECTS), spread over a 6-year course. 60 credits consist of activities aimed at acquiring specific professional skills. Each ECTS corresponds to 12 hours of teaching. In case of professional training, each credit corresponds to 17 hours.

YEAR 1

- Basic sciences
- Biomedical sciences I
- Biomedical sciences II
- Organic and functional systems I: bones and muscles
- First aid and nursing practice I
- Residency in health centre
- Introduction to Christology and scriptures
- Optional project I
- Vertical domain I/Electives I
- Italian language

YEAR 2

- Organic and functional systems II
- First aid and nursing practice II
- Methodology of research I
- Organic and functional systems III
- Bioethics and medical humanities
- Introduction to theological anthropology and ecclesiology
- Informatics
- Optional project II
- Vertical domain II/Electives II

YEAR 3

- Biopathology and introduction to medical therapy I
- Biopathology and introduction to medical therapy II
- Epidemiology and biostatistics
- Public health
- Introduction to clinical medicine
- Methodology of research II
- Introduction to ethics and Christian ethics
- Scientific English
- Italian language
- Optional project III
- Vertical domain III/Electives III

YEAR 4

- Clinical centre residency I
- Medicine residency I
- Maternal and child health residency
- Clinical neurosciences
- From clinical to molecular biology I
- International foundation of medicine (IFOM) test
- Optional project IV
- Theology (seminarial course)
- Vertical domain IV/Electives IV

YEAR 5

- Clinical centre residency II
- Public health residency
- Medicine residency II
- Surgery residency I
- Surgery residency II
- From clinical to molecular biology II
- Optional project V
- Vertical domain V/Electives V

YEAR 6

- Health centre residency - Final training
- From clinical to molecular biology III
- Hospital residencies - Final training
- Practical-evaluation training general medicine
- Optional project - Final project
- Final test

CAREER PATHS

- The programme is designed for students who wish to become qualified medical practitioners. A various range of careers are open to medical graduates. Due to the innovative curriculum, you will be able to start a career in both basic and clinical scientific research.
- Università Cattolica's Degree Programme in Medicine and Surgery is valid academically in all of the EU and many other countries for residency study or professional activity (you need to monitor local regulations for getting a license to practice).

Admission information - general requirements

High School Diploma

Your high school qualification has to:

- Be conferred after min. 12 years of previous global schooling
- Satisfy the requirements for access to university in the awarding country

If, in your home country, admission to university-level studies is subject to a special exam (e.g. ENEM/ Vestibular in Brazil, YKS in Turkey, Gaokao in China, etc.), you must give evidence to have passed such selection with the required scores.

You are not required to have any specific science subjects or grades, but are strongly advised to refer to the "List of topics to study for the scientific questions" document on the website to prepare adequately for the entrance exam.

More details on entry requirements at international.unicatt.it › [Admission and tuition](#) › [Entry requirements](#)

The curriculum refers to the academic year 2023-24 and may be subject to variations. Details and updated info › international.unicatt.it

Admission requirements

Entrance exam
content and
preparation

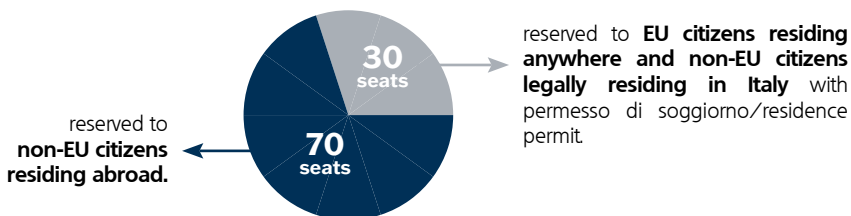


Entrance exam

Admission to the Single-Cycle Master's Degree Programme in Medicine and Surgery is subject to the applicant's performance and subsequent ranking in Università Cattolica's very own entrance exam.

EU ranking	NON-EU ranking
The Entrance Exam will be held in person at suitable test centres in Italy and abroad in multisession mode.	The Entrance Exam will be administered remotely with the use of a proctoring system , allowing candidates to take the exam from home.

The programme has a **maximum capacity of 100 places** divided as follows:



In the case of students with **double nationality**, if one is of an **EU country**, it **will prevail** for the purpose of the final ranking of the Competition Call (art. 19, comma 2, of L. n. 218/1995).

Application timeline

Publication of the Competition Call	Opening of the applications	Application deadline	EU and NON-EU Entrance exam date	Entrance exam results published
Second half of October 2023	Second half of October 2023	Second half of February 2024	Second half of March 2024	Starting beginning of April 2024

Tuition fees and financial aid

Tuition fees **depend on fiscal residency**, not on citizenship. The yearly tuition fee is divided in different instalments. The first instalment of **€4,000** is paid upon confirmation of admission. Fees are based on the 2023/2024 academic year and may be subject to slight variations.

EU residents (or non-EU residents with an EU generated income)	NON-EU residents
From € 7,300 to € 18,200 per annum*	€ 17,100 per annum

*Varies according to the financial background of the student or student's family if dependent

Financial aid opportunities
Provided by EDUCatt . For details please refer to › educatt.unicatt.it

For detailed information and exact dates refer to international.unicatt.it › Admission and tuition › Application timeline

For fees and financial aid opportunities refer to details please refer to international.unicatt.it › Admission and tuition › Tuition fees and scholarships

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