

## ADMISSION ANNOUNCEMENT – A.Y. 2024/2025

**Collegio di Milano** is an inter-university campus of merit, legally recognized and accredited by Italy's Minister of University and Research (MUR), and it is committed to the growth of students who are accepted into the Collegio thanks to their merit and motivation.

Collegio di Milano is an initiative of the **Fondazione Collegio delle Università Milanesi**. Its activities are directed towards the diffusion and promotion of the **college experience**, fostering a **meritocratic culture**, the **internationalization** of the university system and the integration of local entities. Through the study of dynamics relative to temporary accommodation within multicultural contexts, this system acts as a means of incentivizing **social mobility** and **active citizenship**.

The Members of the Fondazione are: Università degli Studi di Milano, Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore, Università Commerciale Luigi Bocconi, IULM, Università degli Studi di Milano-Bicocca, Politecnico di Milano, Università Vita-Salute San Raffaele, Humanitas University, Comune di Milano, Regione Lombardia, Assolombarda, Camera di Commercio di Milano, Aspen Institute Italia, Bracco, Edison, Intesa Sanpaolo, Mediaset and Pirelli & C.

The goal of the Collegio di Milano is to enhance and encourage the talent of its students and to allow them to experience a lifestyle focused on improving their personal and professional growth. Nestled in a 30,000 sqm park, Collegio di Milano manages 3 residential buildings, one historical, designed by Architect Marco Zanuso, and two new ones. In addition to accommodation, it also offers a rich program of high-quality Cultural and Training Activities as well as several services, all within a **vibrant and international environment**.

The Collegio di Milano offers:

- Accommodation in a **single room with** bathroom, air conditioning and balcony
- **Meal service**, with breakfast and dinner every day and lunch on week-ends
- **Room cleaning service** with weekly bedsheet changing
- 24h opening with reception service and video-surveillance
- **Cultural and Training Activities**, complementary to the university curriculum, with the goal of providing the tools to understand the complexity of reality, experimenting with multiculturalism interdisciplinarity and internationally-minded topics, in addition to the goal of **promoting** the development of *soft skills* (e.g. teamwork, communication, leadership)
- **Tutorship** to accompany the students during their stay in the Collegio, encouraging their talents and supporting their personal and professional development
- **Career service** for assisting in understanding the professional world, and how to enter into it
- **International relations** for developing an international network of connections and identifying study and work opportunities abroad
- **Communal areas, such as:**
  - fully equipped **gym and sports fields** (basketball, volleyball, soccer pitch in artificial turf)
  - library, study spaces for individual and group activity open h24, auditorium
  - **communal kitchen, dining room**, and break areas
  - music room and art room
  - play room
  - living room
- **Medical assistance**
- **Wi-Fi** available in the whole campus

## Admission Procedure

For the A.Y. 2024/2025 the available spots for **resident students** with admission to the Collegio from September 1<sup>st</sup> 2024, are **60**, with the availability of other spots for **non-resident students**, i.e. students who attend the Cultural and Training Activities and have access to the facilities and provided educational services without residing in the Collegio.

### ➤ *Applicant requirements*

Candidates who fulfill the following requirements may submit an application:

- enrolled at one of the following Universities: Università degli Studi di Milano, Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore, Università Commerciale Luigi Bocconi, IULM, Università degli Studi di Milano-Bicocca, Politecnico di Milano, Università Vita-Salute San Raffaele, Humanitas University;
- enrolled, within the month of September 2024, in a three-year undergraduate program (Laurea Triennale), a Master of Science program (Laurea Magistrale), a Single Cycle Degree Program (Laurea a Ciclo Unico), or a first level post-graduate Master Program (Master universitario di I livello). Students enrolled in a Second Level post-graduate Master Program (Master universitario di II livello), PhD program, Scuola di Specializzazione, students participating in an international exchange (i.e. Erasmus+) and researchers can refer to the Admissions Office ([admissionsoffice@collegiodimilano.it](mailto:admissionsoffice@collegiodimilano.it)) for further information;
- be under the age of 30;

Applications from students enrolled in one of the following institutions may also be considered: Conservatorio G. Verdi, all'Accademia di Belle Arti di Brera, NABA, IED, Civica Scuola di Cinema Luchino Visconti, Civica Scuola Interpreti e Traduttori Altiero Spinelli, Civica Scuola di Musica Claudio Abbado, Civica Scuola di Teatro Paolo Grassi and SPD.

### ➤ *Application: Deadlines and Procedure*

**The application must be filled out online** at [www.collegiodimilano.it](http://www.collegiodimilano.it) in the section "Admissions" **by July 7<sup>th</sup>, 2024 (July 24<sup>th</sup>, 2024 only for those students who are enrolled in the first year of a Laurea Triennale or Laurea a Ciclo Unico)**, even if they have not yet completed their high-school exit exams)

It is necessary to complete the application and attach the following documents:

- curriculum vitae with a photo. If already obtained, please indicate the final score of your high school exit exam and three-year undergraduate program (Laurea Triennale);
- a document which verifies the grades from the last two years of high school (requested only from those students enrolling in the A.Y. 2024/2025 at the 1<sup>st</sup> or 2<sup>nd</sup> year of a Laurea Triennale or Laurea a Ciclo Unico);
- a document issued by the University that certifies the enrolment and/or the exams taken and the ECTS/CFU earned;
- self-presentation;
- a valid identity card or passport;
- a valid tax code.

## Selection Process

The following are evaluated:

- curriculum of the candidate;
- requested documents;
- results of the selection process.

The selection process, coordinated by a team of psychologists and professors of the Fondazione Collegio delle Università Milanesi, the Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore di Milano and the Università degli Studi di Milano-Bicocca, consists of four online moments:

1. Evaluation of the application and of the relative documents. Screening of the candidates admitted in the subsequent selection steps
2. Individual assessment of soft skills through filling out a questionnaire
3. English language test by the British Council
4. Individual interview

It is also possible to take part in the selection process before completing the High School State exams.

The following constitute preferential consideration:

- good grades on the report cards of the last two years of high school and on the exit exam (such grades may be weighed in respect to the average grades of the school in question);
- a grade point average of at least 27/30 on completed University exams, and a curriculum of study in line with the number of CFU required by the plan of study;
- a University graduation grade higher than 100 for those who have already obtained it;
- the potential of the candidate (i.e. in respect to personal and professional development, management of university, collegiate, and extracurricular experience);
- experience in significant extra-curricular activities;
- motivation to participate in the Cultural and Training Activities and life of the Collegio di Milano.

The result of the selection is expressed with a maximum score of 100, awarded as follows:

- 0 to 20 points based on the evaluation of the scholastic/academic CV of the candidate and his/her curriculum vitae;
- 0 to 15 points based on the success of the English Test;
- 0 to 30 points based on the soft skills assessment;
- 0 to 35 points based on the individual interview.

Candidates who achieve a score equal or higher than 60/100 are eligible for admission to the Collegio di Milano.

Every candidate who has undergone the selection process will receive, via e-mail, information regarding their admission. The list of admitted students will not be published and admission is at the discretion of the Committee of Admissions, Fees and Scholarships of the Fondazione Collegio delle Università Milanesi.

## Fees and Terms of Residency for incoming students

The Collegio di Milano is open all year around. The period of residency at the Collegio di Milano must always be at least of one semester and cannot be split up. The first semester of the A.Y. 2024/2025 goes from September 1<sup>st</sup>, 2024 to January 31<sup>st</sup>, 2024; the second semester goes from February 1<sup>st</sup>, 2024 to July 31<sup>st</sup>, 2024 with facultative staying in August.

The monthly cost for the A.Y. 2024/2025 is **€ 1,500.00 for students residing in the Collegio** (full fee).

During the month of August 2024 it will be possible to stay at the Collegio di Milano and, considering the reduction in services, the monthly cost will be € 950.00 (€ 300.00 for weekly stay).

The monthly cost for non-resident students in the A.Y. 2024/2025 is **€ 300.00**, with the exception of the month of August.

The maximum duration of the stay in the Collegio for a student is equal to the number of semesters needed to complete their main course of University study within the set time period.

After having passed the selection process, in order to confirm, admitted students must send the signed agreement with the Collegio di Milano, undersign the Educational Agreement ([www.collegiodimilano.it/en/campus](http://www.collegiodimilano.it/en/campus)) and pay the first monthly fee and the security deposit.

If a student arrives during a semester already in progress, or if they decide to leave the Collegio di Milano before the end of a semester, he/she will still be required to pay the amount covering the entire semester.

Only students who attend the Collegio di Milano for at least two semesters, respect the rules outlined in the Educational Agreement and are up to date on all payments, will be granted a diploma.

## Scholarships and Financial Aid

Fondazione Collegio delle Università Milanesi has always supported the future: to give an opportunity to outstanding students who lack financial resources and to develop social mobility, we have adopted a system of scholarships given as fee reductions for the resident students of Collegio di Milano.

The **scholarships of the A.Y. 2024/2025** (on annual basis) are:

- **€ 10,000.00**
- **€ 7,000.00**
- **€ 5,500.00**
- **€ 3,000.00**
- **€ 2,200.00**
- **“Classic” room in Building Zanuso** (for a total reduction of € 3,300.00 per year)
- **Double room or shared flat** (for a total reduction of € 7,700.00 to € 8,800.00 per year)

Students with an income bracket (ISEE) under 52.000,00€ who passed the selection process can apply for a scholarship by emailing [borsedistudio@collegiodimilano.it](mailto:borsedistudio@collegiodimilano.it) with the following documents:

- ISEE certificate issued in 2024 for support services for the Diritto allo Studio Universitario specifying the student applicant tax code;
- a motivational letter regarding the student's motive for applying for the scholarship;
- self-certification of grants received from public or private institutions or self-certification of absence of any grants received.

Scholarships and financial aid provided by the Fondazione Collegio delle Università Milanesi have a semestral duration; in order to submit an application for the following semester the student must send a new request for the scholarship/aid by the required deadline and must meet the following requirements:

- academic performance in line with the standards required by the Collegio di Milano (achieving an average of at least 27/30 on University exams, and having earned the expected number of credits as required in the student's field of study);
- respecting of the Educational Agreement of the Collegio di Milano, and participating with dedication and motivation in the Cultural and Training Activities;
- not having received any official warnings;
- being up to date with all outstanding payments;
- showing the need for economic support.

Awarding of scholarships is managed by the Committee of Admissions, Fees and Scholarships at its sole discretion.

Students excluded from the possibility of receiving these aids are non-resident students, students who received a scholarship and/or financial aid provided by the Italian Istituto Nazionale della Previdenza Sociale - INPS or by the Italian Ente Nazionale di Previdenza ed Assistenza Medici - ENPAM (those entitled to INPS or ENPAM benefits can obtain more information about the grants and access to these grants through their website: [www.inps.it](http://www.inps.it) and [www.enpam.it](http://www.enpam.it)).

Since the A.Y. 2021/2022 the Fondazione Collegio delle Università Milanesi has participated in the promotion of the scholarship "Andrea Poffe Fellowship for Young Talents". Information is available on the website [www.fondazionepoffe.org/application](http://www.fondazionepoffe.org/application).

### **Contacts**

For any questions or further assistance please contact the Admission Office:

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