

GUIDELINES FOR APPLICATION TO THE INTERNATIONAL MASTER DEGREE IN FOOD SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY BY INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

General information

1. FEES: for international students vary between 170 Euros (developing countries) and 320 Euros (EU or developed countries) Euros + regional taxes (ca. 150 Euro).

2. ENROLLMENT

Two steps:

2.a Pre-enrollment: Applicants have to make a pre-enrollment application via

<https://www.universitaly.it/index.php/> (English version).

This platform links you/the applicant, the Embassy (Italian) in your country, the Italian authorities and the University you are applying to (University of Teramo).

The International Welcome Office (dr Perrotta, eperrotta@unite.it) will find your application in the database and based on this pre-evaluation will accept (based on the preliminary and positive evaluation of your documents against the pre-requisites) your request for enrolment at the University of Teramo. The same applies for the Italian Embassy that will double check all your documents.

The online "Universitaly" platform opens the pre-enrolment at the Italian universities in March-April each year in agreement with the Ministry of University and Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

If, for any other reason, you need a letter of pre-acceptance, dott. Elena Perrotta can provide for

If any doubt you could also contact the Italian Embassy in your country and finalize the VISA request according to its instructions.

2.b Enrollment (based on the results of the admission requirements) at the University of Teramo officially starts 1st August each year (https://www.unite.it/UniTE/Immatricolazione_online). Classes of 1st year start the first week of October with a welcome-pre-courses week to align all enrolled students. Take note of the prerequisites reported in the link here below indicated.

3. VERIFICATION OF CURRICULAR REQUIREMENTS AND THE ADEQUACY OF PERSONAL PREPARATION:

ASSESSMENT TEST

Having fulfilled the pre-requisites and enrollment steps, 1st year students have to do a test to verify the appropriate and adequate knowledge, skills and abilities of the applicants in Food Science and Technology-related disciplines and English level B2.

The test includes a series of questions (up to 40) with answers as multiple choice, true/false or open responses.

The assessment test is carried out in presence and exact dates are reported in the Master degree web page, starting from September each year, and is mandatory.

For international students, the test could be carried out online. For more information please contact the teaching manager of study programs: didatticabioscienze@unite.it

The assessment test includes questions on: **Unit Operations in Food technology, Food processing, Food chemistry, Food microbiology and safety, Food analysis**. The filled test is then evaluated by the Board of Quality Assurance Committee of the Master Degree Programme. According to the results students will be invited to revise some topics of the discipline with negative answers.

To participate at the test, each student has to send a registration according to the instructions reported in the Master degree webpage.

4. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ABOUT THE STUDY PROGRAM

1. Full description of the course:

https://www.unite.it/UniTE/Corsi_di_studio_2022_2023/Food_Science_and_Technology_2022_2023

List of courses:

https://www.unite.it/UniTE/Course_structure_diagram_Food_Science_and_Technology_22_23

2. Admission requirements: https://www.unite.it/UniTE/Admission_Requirements_-_Food_Science_and_Technology_18_19

B2 English level is the minimum language requirement. Please be sure to get the certificate in your country before enrolment.

Preferential: Bachelor degree in Food Science and TEchnology. We don't accept bachelor degrees in Agricultural Science as missing some basic and applied knowledge on Food Unit operations, Food chemistry, physics and food analysis, microbiology and hygiene, food processing which are main disciplines to get the basis to undertake our Int. Master degree.

Cost of living in Teramo: overall ca. 500 Euros for a room in a shared flat (ca. 150-200Euro/month) and rest for food, meals and bus.

Grants: as soon as you are officially enrolled as student at the university of Teramo, you can apply for some grants from the Regional agency for the Studies Rights.

COVID-19 restrictions: Classes and labs are in presence and currently students are asked to hold the Green Pass with vaccines recognized by the EU. We don't know the situation next year.

Italian language courses: for international students and Erasmus incoming the Foreign languages Center of UNITE offers free Italian courses (basic course) in July 2022. Please send email to: cla@unite.it and smazzara@fondazione.unite.it.

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