

Interuniversity Department of Regional and Urban Studies and Planning (DIST) (Italy)

Institutional Information (Last update at: 27/03/2018)

School/Department name (Native language)	Dipartimento Interateneo di Scienze, Progetto e Politiche del Territorio (DIST)
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AESOP Member Status	Full Member
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School Information

Full time academic staff members	36
Part time staff members	45
Staff members engaged in research	40
Staff members engaged in professional activities	10

Degree Programmes and Educational Provision

Undergraduate/first cycle degree(s) offered at School/Department

Territorial, urban and environmental planning

Number of years normally used to complete this degree(FT)

3

Part time option

Yes

Number years usually required for completing the degree part-time (PT)

5

Delivery mode

On campus

Number of ECTS

180

Teaching languages

Italian

Total studentsNational studentsEU studentsNon EU students

Number of students graduated 200619

19

Number of students graduated 200718

18

Number of students graduated 200821

21

Specialisation within in this Degree/the curriculum

No

The degree requires an assessed period of work in practice

Yes 250 hours

Programme accreditation by a professional body/other institution

There is not an accreditation, but the graduated students can be associated to a professional body (Ordine degli Architetti, pianificatori, conservatori e paesaggisti) after having passed a state exam

Curriculum/approach description

The course aims at forming a "technician of the territory", endowed of a multi-disciplinary training allowing him to take an interest in all activities linked with territorial, urban, landscape, strategic and environmental activities, carrying them out in institutional bodies, teams, companies or professional offices, or as an independent professional.

(Post)Graduate/masters or second cycle degree(s) offered at School/department

Territorial, urban and environmental planning

Number of years normally used to complete this degree(FT) 2

Part time option Yes

Number years usually required for completing the degree part-time (PT) 3.5

Delivery mode On campus

Number of ECTS 120

Teaching languages Italian

Total studentsNational studentsEU studentsNon EU students

Number of students graduated 20064
Number of students graduated 20077
Number of students graduated 200819

Specialisation within in this Degree/the curriculum no

The degree requires an assessed period of work in practice Yes 200 hours

Programme accreditation by a professional body/other institution There is not an accreditation, but the graduated students can be associated to a professional body (Ordine degli Architetti, pianificatori, conservatori e paesaggisti) after having passed a state exam

This is an Erasmus mundus programme No

Curriculum/approach description The Course aims at forming a "planner" able to co-ordinate design groups, carry out activities related to territorial, urban, landscape, strategic and environmental planning and to design, implement and manage regeneration programmes either in public bodies or in private professional offices.

Doctoral/PhD education offered at School/department

urban and regional development

Number of years normally used to complete this degree(FT) 3

Part time option No

Delivery mode On campus

Number of ECTS 180

Teaching languages Italian / English

Total studentsNational studentsEU studentsNon EU students

Number of students graduated 20063

**Specialisation within
 in this Degree/the
 curriculum**

The programme is designed to train highly-qualified specialists in urban and territorial development, while promoting the appropriate exploitation of their individual talents, to develop a distinctly multidisciplinary figure, a professional able to adapt to a wide variety of scientific knowledge and areas in a flexible and dynamic way.

**Curriculum/approach
 description**

The offered training will therefore give to PhD students the possibility to exploit specific skills acquired, to effectively interact with other professionals participating in urban and regional planning projects. Based on multi- and inter-disciplinary PhD skills, the programme intends to move fluidly through the conventional boundaries that separate social sciences from applied technical, engineering, physical-natural sciences.

In order to train specialists who are able to effectively navigate in the global context, the doctoral programme should adopt also a strong international nature, both in the sense of attracting young motivated and qualified scholars from abroad, as well as offering to students a training which corresponds to the highest academic and professional standards, also thank to the contribution of foreign scholars and the organisations of internships in highly qualified institutions. To stay coherent with the adopted approach the training activity is also developed entirely in English.