

## **Call for applications for 100 scholarships for university students holding international protection - A.Y. 2024/25**

*N.B. This English translation is not legally validated; any legal concerns should be referred to the Italian version.*

### **Art. 1 - Subject**

The Ministry of University and Research, in agreement with the Conference of Italian Universities Rectors (CRUI), in implementation of the Convention signed on 07/01/2025, for the realization of the project: "*Capacity building of the Italian higher education system (Universities, Institutions of Higher Artistic Musical and Coreutic Education and Higher Schools of Linguistic Mediation) for the reception and integration of migrants in tertiary education*", Asylum Migration and Integration Fund, FAMI 2021-2027, offers to university students holding international protection:

### **100 annual scholarships for the A.Y. 2024/25**

The Ministry of University and Research recognizes a lump sum equal to the minimum amount annually established for scholarships to off-site students, this year quantified at 7015.97 Euros (Directorate Decree no.317 of 14/03/2024), to be increased by a further 15% upon presentation of documentation certifying an ISEE equal to or less than 13,863.40 Euros, as provided by d.m. no.1320/2021. These lump sums are assigned to the universities that provide the scholarships, possibly in agreement with the Entities for the Right to Study and contribute to covering the expenses for the tools and services indicated in art. 6 paragraph 1 of Legislative Decree 68/2012, giving the same treatment as eligible beneficiaries of the right to study scholarship, pursuant to art. 4 paragraph 4 of Legislative Decree 68/2012.

Any additional services may be offered on the initiative of third parties.

### **Art. 2 - Who can apply**

The annual scholarships are reserved for **university students enrolled in the A.Y. 2024/25** who meet **both of the following requirements**:

1. **Hold international protection obtained in Italy**, pertaining to the types of refugee status, subsidiary protection, temporary protection for Ukrainian citizens.
2. **Be enrolled for the first time in a university course in Italy** among those indicated in the following art. 4, that means having no previous enrollments in courses offered by Italian universities other than the one with which they are competing for this call.

In adherence to the purposes of the benefit, as well as in a perspective of guaranteeing the continuity of academic studies of the interested parties, applications from **students who have completed a bachelor's degree in Italy and benefited in 2023/24 from a scholarship provided by the Ministry of the Interior and who enroll in the A.Y. 2024/25 in the 1st or 2nd year of a master's degree course**, provided that the requirement of point 1 above and the conditions set out in the following art. 4 are met, may be evaluated exclusively in subordination and up to the availability of any resources.

For enrollment in the first year of bachelor's and single-cycle master's degree courses, alternatively, the declaration of value in loco or the CIMEA certification on the high school diploma is required. For access to the master's degree, the declaration of value in loco is not necessary, but it is suggested to request the CIMEA certification, issued free of charge to holders of international protection. Universities may also accept the European Qualifications Passport for Refugees as proof of the candidate's qualifications. For more information, visit the CIMEA website at: [www.cimea.it/pagina-riconoscimento-titoli-rifugiati](http://www.cimea.it/pagina-riconoscimento-titoli-rifugiati).

Each University may still proceed with the enrollment and registration of refugee students with an autonomous procedure.

### **Art. 3 – How to apply**

To participate in the selection, candidates must complete both of the following steps by March 3, 2025, at 23:59:

1. Submit a specific application by filling out the form at the address:  
<https://forms.office.com/e/WeFDhm2Cbt>
2. Send the following documentation by email to [refugees@crui.it](mailto:refugees@crui.it):
  - Copy of identity document issued in Italy.
  - Copy of the document certifying the possession of international protection issued in Italy.
  - Copy of the university enrollment certificate for the A.Y. 2024/25.

#### **Art. 4 – Selection process**

Scholarships will be awarded to students holding international protection who have completed enrollment for the A.Y. 2024/25 by 02/28/2025 at an Italian university associated with CRUI, in order and up to the availability of resources, for the following courses:

<b>University course</b>	<b>Course year</b>	<b>CFU needed by 02/28/2025</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Master's degree course</li> <li>- Single cycle master's degree course</li> <li>- Bachelor's degree course</li> <li>- Single courses or Foundation year</li> </ul>	1° year	-
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Master's degree course</li> <li>- Single cycle master's degree course</li> <li>- Bachelor's degree course</li> </ul>	2° year	15
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Single cycle master's degree course</li> <li>- Bachelor's degree course</li> <li>- Master's degree course, 1° year beyond prescribed time</li> </ul>	3° year	60
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Single cycle master's degree course</li> <li>- Bachelor's degree course, 1° year beyond prescribed time</li> <li>- Master's degree course, 2° year beyond prescribed time</li> </ul>	4° year	90
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Single cycle master's degree course</li> <li>- Bachelor's degree course, 2° year beyond prescribed time</li> <li>- Master's degree course, 3° year beyond prescribed time</li> </ul>	5° year	120
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Single cycle master's degree course, 1° year beyond prescribed time</li> <li>- Bachelor's degree course, 3° year beyond prescribed time</li> </ul>	6° year	150

For students enrolled in years subsequent to the first, the essential condition for obtaining the scholarship is having earned the minimum number of CFU indicated in the last column of the table. It is specified that can be considered only CFU obtained during the course of study for which the scholarship is requested: consequently, CFU validated from previous careers, in Italy or abroad, cannot be considered.

Students already enrolled in an Italian university in the A.Y. 2023/2024 as asylum seekers, who have obtained international protection by the deadline of this call, may also compete for the scholarship benefit without CFU constraints.

The provisional ranking, which will contain the personal information of the winners and the chosen university, will be published by March 30, 2025, on the website <https://tirocinicrui.it>. This publication will serve as notification for the interested parties.

International protection status will be verified for all ranked candidates; the absence of this requirement will result in the candidate's automatic exclusion from the ranking and benefits.

The scholarship will be effectively granted upon confirmation by the university of the student's enrollment in the A.Y. 2024/2025.

#### **Art. 5 - Incompatibility**

The scholarship is incompatible with any other scholarship, in cash or services, provided pursuant to Legislative Decree 68/2012.

Students who are already beneficiaries in the A.Y. 2024/25 of scholarships provided by the university for the same purposes as this notice may still participate in the selection, subject to verification with the university itself of the possibility, in case of award, to renounce the initial benefit in favor of the scholarship subject to this procedure.

#### **Art. 6 – Responsible of the procedure**

The person in charge of the procedure is Francesca Romana Decorato, CRUI Foundation: [refugees@crui.it](mailto:refugees@crui.it)

### **Art. 7 - Personal data treatment**

The data controller is CRUI - Conference of Rectors of Italian Universities, represented by the legal representative.

For the information pursuant to Legislative Decree 196/2003 as amended by Legislative Decree 10 August 2018, no. 101 and Article 13 of EU Regulation no. 2016/679, refer to: [www.cruai.it/privacy-cookies.html](http://www.cruai.it/privacy-cookies.html)