Perugia mi fa... Perugia mi fa imparare, Perugia mi fa conoscere Perugia mi fa conoscere musica, l'arte, le persone Mi fa ridere e mi fa piangere, Perugia... Mi fa più grande

Perugia, strongly fortified by art and nature, on a lofty eminence, rising abruptly from the plain where purple mountains mingle with the distant sky, is glowing, on its market-day, with radiant colours.

Charles Dickens, "Pictures from Italy", London 1846

The Università degli Studi di Perugia, founded in 1308, is one of the oldest universities in Italy, offering a wide variety of courses in all fields of education.

Today it is organized in 16 Departments and several Centres of excellence. It has about 23,000 students, 1,100 professors and researchers and 1,100 staff members.

The goal is to provide students with the finest quality degree programmes and academic opportunities, within a multicultural environment.

The high level of research, education and services has been certified by the 2018/19 CENSIS ranking (Italian Centre for Studies on Social Investments), with the University holding the first position, for the fifth year in a row, among all the large Italian Universities.



All Departments are located in **Perugia**, a middle-sized town located at the centre of the Umbria region.

Perugia is a university town, rich in art and culture.

There are also Science Campuses located in other towns of Umbria: Terni, Assisi, Foligno, Città di Castello and Narni.

For more information on the Università degli Studi di Perugia, please visit:

www.unipg.it/en/







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International Relations

The Università degli Studi di Perugia is strongly committed to the internationalization of its activities. It is part of an extended network with other Italian and foreign Institutions, with the aim of carrying out advanced theoretical and applied research, sharing a high level of education and promoting cooperation for cultural, economic and social development.

The University has signed up more than 400 Erasmus bilateral agreements with European universities and more than 140 bilateral agreements with non-European universities. In order to be eligible to take part in the exchange programmes, students must be enrolled in an under- or post-graduate degree course, including master and Ph.D. programmes and Schools of Specialization.

The International Relations Area informs, supports and assists initiatives to promote and facilitate international mobility of students, staff and researchers.

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Departments

CHEMISTRY, BIOLOGY AND BIOTECHNOLOGY

The Department of Chemistry, Biology and Biotechnology focuses its scientific activity on living and non-living matter, at different stages of their organization. Activities are aimed at increasing basic knowledge and their technological transfer so that what is understood can be used for innovation to promote the well-being of society and safeguard the environment. The research activities are carried out in collaboration with public and private national and international Institutions. In the area of technology transfer, deep interactions with Companies are developed. The Department is a reference centre for education in Chemistry, Biology and several Biotechnology fields, as well as in their practical applications, including the fields of the environment, energy, innovative materials and bio-medical research. www.dcbb.unipg.it

ECONOMICS

The Department of Economics embodies scientific-educational activities and competences, that are culturally homogenous, regarding the economy, business administration, law and quantitative disciplines, such as financial mathematics and statistics. The main objectives of the Department are, on one hand, the coordination and promotion of research in these areas, thanks to national and international research funding, and on the other hand, the development of high level educational courses strongly linked to these research areas.

PHILOSOPHY, SOCIAL AND HUMAN SCIENCE AND EDUCATION

The Department of Philosophy, Social and Human Science and Education encompasses commitments to research and culture that have long been hallmarks of the Università degli Studi di Perugia. It was recently enlarged by the addition of social science and psychology. The mission is to investigate and develop humanist studies to understand and explain the complex dynamics of modern society. www.fissuf.unipg.it









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PHYSICS AND GEOLOGY

Physics and Geology share common approaches and methodologies, both in research and teaching, mainly relying on experimental techniques, data analysis, and complex models development. The Department of Physics and Geology of the University of Perugia is intrinsically characterized by these commonalities between the two disciplines, which represent its main added value. The Department was founded in 2013, when the former Physics and Earth Science Departments merged together, joining their well-established and ancient scientific traditions.

LAW

The Department of Law places the student at the centre of the educational project. Reasoning interaction, analytical skills and practical application are the key words of this approach. The idea of legal education combines the solidity of classical teachings and strong elements of innovation such as legal clinics and workshops on legal writings, international mobility and pre and post-graduate internships. Law is taught in a dynamic and global dimension, courses are bound to shape global lawyers at ease both in national and international context. The globalization that involved legal studies led to a redefinition of legal education with the intent to broaden the range of opportunities for the students who receive a solid education that can be used in a variety of different workplaces.

www.giurisprudenza.unipg.it

ENGINEERING

The Department of Engineering is located both in Perugia and in Terni. The main interest is applied engineering and it conducts lines of research that proceed from its original member departments. The Department aims to identify common denominators in similar visions of research, methodological approaches, modalities for translation to technology and to local links as it serves industrial production. Thanks to several agreements, the Department of Engineering closely collaborates with Italian and international institutions, particularly in the European Union as well as with public and private research agencies. Over the years, the involvement in basic and applied research has translated into a long series of spin-offs. www.ing.unipg.it







CIVIL AND ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEERING

The Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering encompasses the scientific fields of civil engineering, environmental engineering, architecture and design. It meets the demands of several industrial sectors: the construction industry and prefabricated buildings, safeguarding heritage buildings and monuments, building and maintaining infrastructure, managing hydrological resources and protecting from risks of natural disasters. The Department educates experts in the field of seismic zone building and reconstruction projects.

www.ing.unipg.it

HUMANITIES, ANCIENT AND MODERN LANGUAGES, LITERATURE AND CULTURE

The Department's main mission is to develop advanced research in all humanist fields that are linked to history, arts, archaeology, languages, philology, literature and geography by means of collaboration with several institutions and agencies. Furthermore, in the modern world that requires more critical thinking and cultural flexibility, the Department is developing professional and research opportunities by opening up to the expanding field of humanist studies. The Department today is facing up to new challenges to exploit the values of the humanist tradition and its consolidated critical methods. www.lettere.unipg.it

MATHEMATICS AND INFORMATICS

with the advancement of computer science and the growth of computing power, math has found, even more, new applications in many different areas, such as finance, biology, meteorology, medical diagnostics and image processing. Thanks to this, math degree holders now have new employment opportunities. The Department focuses on research and teaching about the technological translation of mathematics and informatics. www.dmi.unipq.it







MEDICINE

The Department of Medicine is organized in homogeneous research areas. It includes teachings in the single-cycle degree course in Medicine and Surgery, in degree courses in health and in other degree programmes concerning medical and biological areas. The activities of the Department range from internal medicine to specialized clinics, pharmacology, medical therapy and prevention, promoting harmonization of educational, care and scientific research related to all fields of clinical medicine. www.dipmed.unipg.it

EXPERIMENTAL MEDICINE

The Department of Experimental Medicine aims at organizing and conducting the teaching activities of the various scientific sectors as well as at integrating their research projects. These aims are developed by means of a scientific-technological platform with marked cross-section links with other departments and/or researchers. www.dimes.unipg.it

VETERINARY MEDICINE

The Department of Veterinary Medicine focuses on teaching and research in many fields of applied veterinary science. It acts as an interface between scientific discoveries and their application in clinical activities and care of animals, zootechnics, food safety, diagnostics and biotechnology. The Department houses its lectures in the veterinary teaching hospital, an educational centre with twelve multi-media lecture halls, library and the modern Food Science centre. The Zootechnical Teaching Farm, located a few kilometres out of town, raises many species of animals. www.medvet.unipo.it

POLITICAL SCIENCE

The mission of the Department of Political Sciences is to study politics in all its different aspects and developments. This research area calls for a plurality of approaches, from political science to history, sociology, law, economics and linguistics. It is through the dialogue and effective interaction between these disciplinary fields that politics can be interpreted and acted upon. The Department is part of a network of similar institutions in Europe. With regard to the object of their studies, the political sciences concern themselves with the transformations of contemporary societies as well as with international relations, offering research, data and tools which contribute to their interpretation and governance. www.scipol.unipq.it









AGRICULTURAL, FOOD AND ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES

The Department of Agricultural, Food and Environmental Science is housed in the prestigious 1,000 year old St Peter's Abbey. It originated as the Institute of Experimental Agriculture founded in 1896, transformed into the Faculty of Agriculture in 1936. The Department's wide range of scientific disciplines ensures a strong interdisciplinary study approach which is crucial for innovative analysis of complex challenges. Many advanced research activities that are known for their excellence are conducted both in dedicated laboratories and in didactic-experimental field stations for agronomy, herbaceous crops, fruit trees, forestry, applied genetics, water management, economics and appraisal as well as food processing.

SURGERY AND BIOMEDICAL SCIENCES

The Department of Surgery and Biomedical Sciences supports and pursues scientific research and knowledge transmission by means of a translational-type educational and clinical approach so as to achieve maximum integration of basic and experimental research and clinical practice. Besides this continuous cross-over between research and clinical activities, the Department's objectives are to transfer acquired knowledge and new methodologies that emerge from scientific research into routine teaching and education.

www.scb.unipg.it

PHARMACEUTICAL SCIENCES

The main research objectives of the Department of Pharmaceutical Sciences are planning, designing, synthesizing and analysing new bioactive molecules as well as developing novel pharmaceutical formulations that improve pharmaco-kinetic and dynamic properties of drugs. These studies are based on cutting-edge skills and technologies in fields such as organic synthesis, which includes the development and application of innovative methodologies and techniques, molecular modelling and analytical chemistry. Other research interests include phytochemistry, food chemistry and microbiology. The Department coordinates the degree courses in Pharmacy, Pharmaceutical Chemistry and Technology, Pharmaceutical Biotechnologies, Human Feeding and Nutrition Sciences, together with a Master in Pharmacetical Sciences. www.dsf.unipg.it







Students wishing to enroll

All information concerning tuition fees and procedures can be found at

www.unipg.it/en/international-students/students-wishing-to-enroll

Scholarships Scholarships are offered by the Regional Agency A.Di.S.U. through a public call for applications published every year. Please visit www.adisu.umbria.it





Post-graduate degrees

Post-graduate degrees are offered by Schools of Specialization, as well as through 17 international Doctoral programmes and several master programmes in various disciplines.

Within each of the 17 Ph.D. programmes a **scholarship** is **reserved** to students holding a **non-Italian** second level degree.

All activities are run in English. For more information on Ph.D. programmes visit

www.unipg.it/en/courses/phd-program





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Accommodation

The Università degli Studi di Perugia, through the Regional Agency A.Di.S.U., provides students with a suitable accommodation in one of its Halls of Residence.

For further details regarding the University Residences, please visit the following page: www.adisu.umbria.it



Canteens

All students have the possibility to benefit from the services of the A.Di.S.U. canteens, where food quality is a top priority, whether it is local or international cuisine that is being served. In addition, several other cafeterias and restaurants have signed an agreement with the Università degli Studi di Perugia at its branch campuses in Terni, Assisi, Foligno and Narni.



The University offers a variety of physical and mental health services, completely free of charge. Basic medical services include visits, prescriptions, various laboratory tests, doctor referrals to specialists, and follow-up. Please visit www.unipg.it/en/international-students/generalinformation/medical-facilities

Facilities for special needs students

The University guarantees support and assistance to special needs students during their university career through the adoption of a series of services and initiatives coordinated and monitored by a Delegate appointed by the Rector. Furthermore, each Department has a Delegate that offers guidance and support to students in special needs. Please visit

www.unipg.it/en/international-students/generalinformation/facilities-for-special-needs-students





Medical service

University choir

The choir includes students, lecturers, and other university staff. Its vast repertoire ranges from Gregorian chant to Italian melodrama, spiritual-gospel, swing, blues, musicals, world music, film scores and modern music. The choir performs in diverse official ceremonies. Please visit www.corounipg.eu/it/

Library Service Centre - CSB

The Library Service Centre coordinates the activities of the Central Library and of the specialised libraries located in all Departments.

Further information and updates are available at the CSB portal www.csb.unipg.it







University Language Centre - CLA The Language Centre designs and implements language courses that satisfy the needs of the diverse University degrees. CLA also assesses language skills. At present courses are taught in Chinese, French, English, Portuguese, Russian, Spanish, German and Italian for foreigners. The Centre is involved in research on language teaching and development of original materials for on-line learning.

The CLA offers international certificates in TOEFL for English and DELF/DALF for French and organises specific courses for these examinations.

For more information, please visit https://cla.unipg.it







University Sport Centre - CUS

Perugia University Sports Centre was founded in 1946 and its flag, a symbol of one of the largest sports centres in Umbria, flies over tracks, gyms and sports amenities but above all in the hearts of thousands of students that constitute its real wealth. The Centre encompasses diverse sections: light athletics, volleyball, basketball, football, personal defence, judo, karate, rugby, downhill and cross-country ski, tennis, dance, basketball, 5-a-side football, and many "Open Courses and Activities".

CUS Front office via Tuderte,10 - 06126 Perugia Tel: 075 32120 www.cusperugia.it Email: segreteria@cusperugia.it

Events and Cultural activities in Perugia For information on museums, shows in theatres, cinemas, etc. please visit





www.perugiaonline.com

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The app «UNIPG UNIPASS» is available for both Android and Apple smartphones, and can be used to:

- Access the University libraries as well as borrow books
- Access the student-managed rooms (Aule Studio) and other gathering spaces.

To use the UNIPG UNIPASS app, you must:

- Download the app from the Android or the Apple Store
- Open the app and login with the University «credenziali uniche» (login credentials)
- Use the QR Code displayed on your smartphone to access the aforementioned facilities.

For further information, visit:

https://www.unipg.it/servizi-online/unipass

#libraries



Our Library Service (Centro Servizi Biliotecari – CSB) manages several libraries located both in Perugia and Terni. For more information, please visit:

http://www.csb.unipg.it/

We also provide an on-line resource catalogue that can be accessed directly via:

http://www.csb.unipg.it/risorse





Health Insurance

EU students

EU students must bring their own European Health Insurance Card. This card entitles the holder to public medical assistance during his/her temporary stay (please note that the card cannot be used for private health care services). Medical assistance will be provided in accordance with the Italian legislation.



Fore more information on Medical Assistance

Non-EU students

Health insurance is another essential prerequisite. Without a Health Insurance non-EU students cannot obtain a Permit of stay and a Study visa.

Non-EU students should verify that they are getting the correct health insurance coverage by contacting the Italian Consulate/Embassy in their home country, which will proceed to validate and sign it. Should the Italian Consulate/Embassy in their home country not validate their health insurance policy, it will be mandatory for the students to obtain a new policy upon their arrival in Italy.

However, once non-EU students have obtained their permit of stay they can decide to receive full medical assistance by registering to National Health Service(SN) at the ASL (Local Health Agency) that provides coverage until the 31st December of the year in which the registration has been made. Passport, permit of stay and personal income tax information are needed in order to apply. https://www.unipg.it/en/internationalstudents/general-information/medical-facilities



For Non-EU students ONLY

Study Visa

To be eligible, non-EU students must first obtain a study visa. We recommend starting the procedure as soon as possible. Students should directly contact the Italian Consulate or Embassy in their home country to be informed about the steps to be taken in order to obtain the visa. Please note that students must already have their study visa upon their arrival in Italy. For more information visit:

http://vistoperitalia.esteri.it/home/en

To apply for a visa, students must present our Invitation letter, which can be issued only after we receive the students' documents. We therefore strongly recommend students to send us the necessary documentation as soon as possible. Please note that an Accommodation request is also necessary to obtain the Visa.

Should the student decide to change accommodation after arrival to Perugia, he/she must first inform the Incoming Student Mobility Office.

The **Questura** is located in via del Tabacchificio n. 21, 06127 PERUGIA Tel: +39 075 506 2541. Location: https://goo.gl/maps/b9W3h4yaRgL2

A branch Office of the Questura is located at: Piazza Fortebraccio n. 4 within the premises of the Università per Stranieri (Palazzo Gallenga)



Non-EU students who wish to study in Perugia for **more than 3 months** must apply for a permit of stay (in Italian: "Permesso di Soggiorno") within 8 days from their arrival in Perugia. The Permesso di soggiorno" application pack (a yellow-striped envelope) is available at any post office branch with a "Sportello Amico" desk.

The application pack must be properly filled out with your personal data. An English translation of the notes indicated in the Application can be found at this link

https://www.portaleimmigrazione.it/docs/Mod 209/MOD 209 Multilingue.pdf

In order to get your Permit of Stay, <u>within 8 days from your arrival</u>, the application pack has to be presented at the post office together with the following documents:

- An Acceptance letter from the Università degli Studi di Perugia **sealed** by the Italian Consulate of their home country
- A photocopy of a currently valid passport along with the original document entire period of stay requested in the permit
- A photocopy of health insurance policy, valid throughout Italy and for the entire period of stay requested in the permit.

The application pack costs \notin 30 plus \notin 70,46 (to be paid directly to the post office) for the issue of the electronic permit and \notin 16,00 for the revenue stamp (this stamp, called "*marca da bollo*", can be purchased at any local tobacconist shop).



The student is then provided with the credentials to verify the progress of the application procedure at http://questure.poliziadistato.it/stranieri/ and will get their first scheduled appointment at the Questura. The documents that the student must bring with him/her to the appointment are: the registered letter, 4 identical, recent and passport-size color photos (white background), their original valid passport, the *"Permesso di soggiorno"* and the postal office receipt.





See what past Incoming students think about their experience at our University!

#buddy

The University of Perugia, through its «Buddy» program, aims at supporting all Incoming and International students.

The «Buddy» is an Italian student attending your same Department, who will help and support you during your stay.



The University of Perugia also closely cooperates with the Erasmus Student Network (ESN) in Perugia. This is an assocations of former Erasmus and International students with the mission to provide assistance to and enrich the experience of the students who chose Perugia as the city where to spend their studies abroad. See www.esnperugia.it/



Moovit is a useful public transportation app for Android and iPhones. Covering more than 1,200 cities, among which Perugia, it can be used to plan your route around town with public transportation, by selecting your point of departure and your desired destination.

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Download for iPhone:

https://itunes.apple.com/it/app/moovit-app-per-i-mezzipubblici-con-orari-e-avvisi/id498477945?mt=8



Download from Play Store

HFM - Health for Migrants

Information on health care services for foreign citizens living in the Umbria Region: <u>http://ww</u>

Download from Apple

http://www.hfm.unipg.it/



115 Fire brigade

118 Ambulance

EMERGENCY NUMBERS

113 Police

112 Carabinieri



Services offered to students For the full list of services offered to students, please visit www.unipg.it/servizi





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