



POLITECNICO
MILANO 1863

LESSON ZERO

EVERYTHING YOU NEED TO KNOW A.Y. 2026_27

1st year Laurea Magistrale Programmes

(Equivalent to Master of Science)

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Politecnico History

1863



SCHOOL OF
ENGINEERING

1926



SCHOOL OF
ARCHITECTURE

2000



SCHOOL
OF DESIGN

An international excellence

According to the **QS World University Rankings 2026**, based on academic reputation, employer reputation and research impact, Politecnico di Milano is confirmed as a global excellence in the **Art & Design** category.

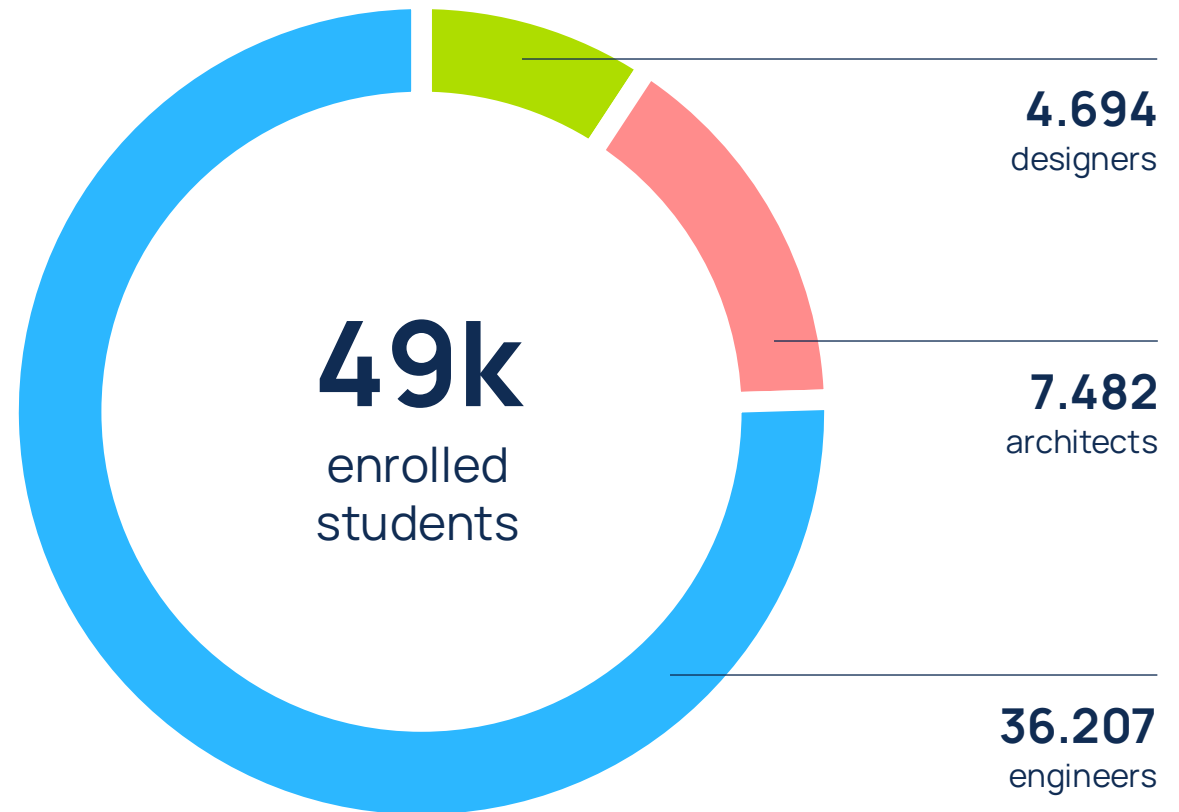
1st
in Italy

7th
in the world

How many?

Politecnico di Milano is a large community with over 49.000 enrolled students and 2000 PhD students. **International enrolled students are more than 8.230.**

Students numbers upd. November 2026



Polimi Governance

The University has a complex structure and carries out its activities through the following **central bodies**:

- [Academic Senate](#)
- [Board-of-governors](#)
- [Board-of-auditors](#)
- [guarantee-act-committee](#)
- [Confidential-counsellor](#)
- [Prevention-and-protection-service](#)
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- [Guarantor-of-transparency](#)
- [data-protection-officer](#)
- [student-ombuds-office](#)
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- It consists of several structures:
 - **The Campuses** represent the physical locations of the university spread across different cities.
 - **The Schools** are responsible for teaching, organizing, and managing degree courses and study programs.
 - **The Departments**, on the other hand, are focused on research; they coordinate and promote advanced research activities in various scientific and technological fields.
- It also participates in **consortia and foundations** together with other entities and companies for the development of joint projects, sharing of resources and knowledge.

Central Bodies

with students representatives

Academic Senate

23 Members:

- Rector pro-tempore – President
- 12 Elected representative and Head pro-tempore of the Departments
- 4 Elected representative of the Faculty
- 2 Elected representative of the staff
- **4 Elected representative of the students**

Role:

It is the body that directs and programs the University's development, with special regard to teaching and research and supervises the overall institution's operation. Si riunisce una volta al mese.

Board of Governors

11 Members:

- Rector pro-tempore – President
- 4 Elected representative of the Faculty
- 1 Elected representative of the staff
- 3 external constituents;
- **2 Elected representative of the students**

Role:

It is the body that operates coherently with the policy choices and use of resources' criteria established by the Academic Senate. It has regulatory functions, of guidance and control of the administrative, economic and property management of the University

4 Schools at Politecnico

School of Civil, Environmental and Land Management Engineering



3 Bachelor & 4 Master
ingcat.polimi.it

School of Industrial and Information Engineering



17 Bachelor & 19 Master
ingindinf.polimi.it

School of Architecture Urban Planning Construction Engineering



3 Bachelor & 13 Master
auic.polimi.it

School of Design



5 Bachelor & 7 Master
design.polimi.it

The Dean and Vice-Dean

The Dean represents the School and acting as the guarantor of its educational project oversees the quality of the teaching, promotes and coordinates the School's activities through the School Council. He is assisted by the Vice Dean.



Dean

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Vice Dean

Prof.ssa Anna Meroni
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Programme Boards (CCS)

Each Programme Board (Consiglio di Corso di Studio, or CCS) pools together professors in charge of courses or teaching modules delivered as part of the Programme, as well as a number of elected **student representatives**.

Each Programme Board is chaired by a **Coordinator**, elected from among the professors who are members of the Board itself and is a Referent for all the students; the Coordinator is supported by one or more **Secretaries**.

Each Programme Board appoints a **Quality Referent (QA)** and a **Review Group** that annually monitors and controls the progress of the activities of the Course and program actions for improvement; is also appointed a **Commission** that evaluates access to the second level of study.

<https://www.design.polimi.it/en/school/organization/programme-boards>

Programme Boards

Design del Prodotto Industriale & Integrated Product Design

<http://productdesign.polimi.it>

Programme Board Coordinator



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Programme Boards

Design per la Moda

Design for the Fashion System – Design per il sistema moda

www.fashiondesign.polimi.it/

Programme Board Coordinator



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Programme Boards

Design della Comunicazione

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Programme Board Coordinator



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Programme Boards

Design degli interni - Interior and Spatial Design

<https://www.interiordesign.polimi.it>

Programme Board Coordinator



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Programme Boards

Interaction Design and Digital Interaction Design

<http://www.digitalinteractiondesign.polimi.it>

Programme Board Coordinator



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Programme Boards Design & Engineering

<http://design-engineering.polimi.it>

Programme Board Coordinator



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Programme Boards

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<http://www.pssd.polimi.it>

Programme Board Coordinator



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School bodies: Joint Committee – School Council

Joint Committee

10 members:

- 5 members of the Faculty – nominated by the Dean;
- **5 Elected representative of the students**

Role:

It sets out to monitor the training offering and the quality of the teaching and student services, as well as to identify indicators for evaluating results. Moreover, it confers on the establishment and closure of Programmes, and draws up proposals for their improvement

School Council

Members:

- The Dean and the Vice- Dean
- The Departments Directors
- The Programme Boards' Coordinators
- **2/5 representative of the students members of the Joint Committee**

Role:

It coordinates the study programmes and provides general guidance to the school. The total number of members varies from school to school.

Joint Committee

The School's Student-Professor **Joint Committee** monitors the training offering and the quality of the teaching and student services, making proposals for their improvement.

It takes care of:

- **Monitoring** the training offering, the quality of the teaching and of the student services;
- **Identifying** indicators for the evaluation of the monitoring results;
- **Processing** proposals for the improvement of the Study Programmes to be addressed to the Dean and the evaluation unit

The Faculty members of the Joint Commission are:

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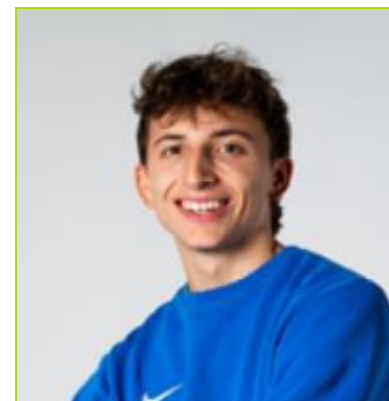
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Questionnaire on students' opinion

It is compulsory for students to submit a **survey** on the teaching they have received, prior to registering for their exams.

The answers are then reviewed and taken into consideration by the different bodies of the School and the Central Administration, such as the Dean, the Programme Board, the Joint Student-Professor Committees, the Director of Department, the Evaluation Core and the Academic Senate.

Responding to the survey each student has the possibility of contributing to the improvement of the courses.

For these reasons it is very important for the students to express their own opinions responsibly, in the interest of the entire community of students and teachers who attend the University.

Student Ombuds Office

The University has opened a Student Ombuds Office.

All students who wish to complain about any behaviour that violates the university regulations and the rights and duties of students of Politecnico (as stated in the relevant [University Regulations](#)) may contact the Ombudsman.

Please, review the [The code of ethics and conduct of Politecnico di Milano](#) and the [Carta diritti e doveri Studenti universitari Politecnico di Milano](#), that state the rights and the duties of all Politecnico's students.

The Ombuds acts following a non-anonymous (signed) complaint.

The Ombuds and the University undertake to ensure that the student is guaranteed against any for of retaliation.

The Ombuds is Prof. Maria Vittoria Diamanti.

E-mail: difensoredeglistudenti@polimi.it

University Career

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Credit System

CFU are the Italian equivalent of **ECTS**
(European Credit Transfer System):
1 CFU = 1 ECTS.

1 CFU = 25 hours of workload

- lectures and other forms of instruction
- assignments and independent work

120 CFU

Required to graduate

~60 CFU

usually achieved in 1 year
(30 CFU per semester)

Grading System

Exams in Italy are graded using a **scale of 30**, where 18 is the minimum passing grade.

18 minimum
passing grade

30 the highest
you can get
cum laude

Exams sessions

- See the Academic Calendar: [School: Orari, calendari e scadenze \(polimi.it\)](https://polimi.it)
- **1st semester classes**
 - Winter session - January/February (2 dates)
 - Summer session - June/July (2 dates)
 - Autumn session - August/September (1 date).
- **2nd semester classes**
 - Summer session - June/July (2 dates)
 - Autumn session - August/September (1 date)
 - Winter session - January/February (2 dates).
- The Studios (**“Laboratori”**) **have just ONE exam session** at the end of the Studio.
- Only the Professor may authorize a delay to complete the activity and take the exam in a later date, for justified and documented serious reasons.

Registration to exams

To be able to sit an exam session, you must register within the deadlines provided through the [Online Services](#); failure to register means that your grade cannot be recorded.

- Registration to an exam is permitted until midnight on the day of the exam, but late registration (after the dates indicated by the application) are accepted at the discretion of the Professor.
- Cancellation from an exam is permitted until the midnight of the day before of the exam.

Online Services > Exams

Lecture timetable

Displays **lecture dates** for each course in your study plan (duration, professor, dates and timetables, classrooms).

Exams registration

Permits registration for **exam sessions**. For each exam subject, a list of exam sessions is available.

^ Exams

[Lecture timetable](#)[Exams registration](#)[Consultation of exam results](#)[Code of Honour for course proficiency evaluation](#)

Results of the exams

The final evaluation that can be assigned at the end of tests are:

- **PASSED** (with a score expressed in thirtieths, minimum score 18/30, highest score 30/30 with honours)
- **POSTPONED (RM)** to the next exam date
- **REJECTED (RP)**, to a next exam session

Since Workshops and Studios have just one exam session at the end of the activity, the evaluation

- **postponed** or **rejected** implies the need to re-attend the class the following academic year.

Rejecting the grade:

- You will receive an e-mail stating your assessment (publication) and the deadline for requesting to see the written tests, to schedule an interview with the teacher and, if necessary, to reject the assessment.
- After this deadline, the assessment will be recorded and it will no longer be possible to retake the examination.

Course Types

DESIGN STUDIOS (LABORATORI)

Project courses; students usually work in teams

from 12 to 18 CFU

MONODISCIPLINARY & INTEGRATED COURSES

Theory and project courses

6 CFU

WORKSHOPS & DESIGN SEMINARS

Design studios held in one full week (February or June)

6 CFU

ELECTIVE COURSES

Interdisciplinary courses available to all the students of the School

6 CFU

INTERNSHIP

Practical activity: from 250 to 300 hours of professional experience

from 9 to 18 CFU

FINAL EXAMINATION THESIS

individual Thesis developed with the guidance of a Professor

from 12 to 18 CFU

Attendance Rules



≥ 80%

Courses are held in presence.

mandatory attendance
required

Attendance Rules

Your Degree Programme and the School's Guide to the study plan states the Attendance rules.

All classes require a mandatory attendance of min. **80% of the didactic activity**.

Studios if you don't attend the 80% , you need to re-attend it the following year

Workshops, intensive project activities lasting one week, max 1 day of absence

Other classes, the Faculty may indicate in the Syllabus the possibility to take the exam, following a program for "non attending students"; in any other case, the general rule applies.

The Professor decides on how to register attendance.

The Weighted Average

What is it?

This is the average calculated on the **average of grades** and the number of **cfu passed**.

When it is calculated? 31 of July

What is IMPORTANT for?

- To be allocated to elective courses according to one's preference
- Gain access to the Erasmus programme
- This is the starting point for calculating your graduation grade (with an impressive 28 you could achieve a 110 cum laude).

Courses Priority

All 1st year Studios (Laboratori) are prerequisite to the Final Synthesis Studio (LSF).

Students who have not passed one or more of the 1st year laboratories will not be able to include the Final Synthesis Studio and the credits (CFU) of the Final Examination in their study plan (i.e. their graduation will be postponed).

Important dates

First Semester

Lessons	14 th September 2026	23 rd December 2026
Christmas Holidays	24 th December 2026	6 th January 2027
Exams Session	7 th January 2027	20 th February 2027
Workshop Week (1st-year Master's in Communication workshop and 'Professional Workshop SWT)	8 th February 2027	12 th February 2027
Workshop Week (2nd-year Master's in Communication workshop and other Master's programmes - any early sessions for Bachelor's programmes)	15 th February 2027	19 ^h February 2027

Check the [School Academic Calendar](#)

Important dates

Second Semester		
Lessons	22 nd February 2027	4 th June 2027
Easter Holidays	26 th March 2027	30 th March 2027
Exams Session	7 th June 2027	24 th July 2027
Workshop Week	7 th June 2027	11 th June 2027

Check the [School Academic Calendar](#)

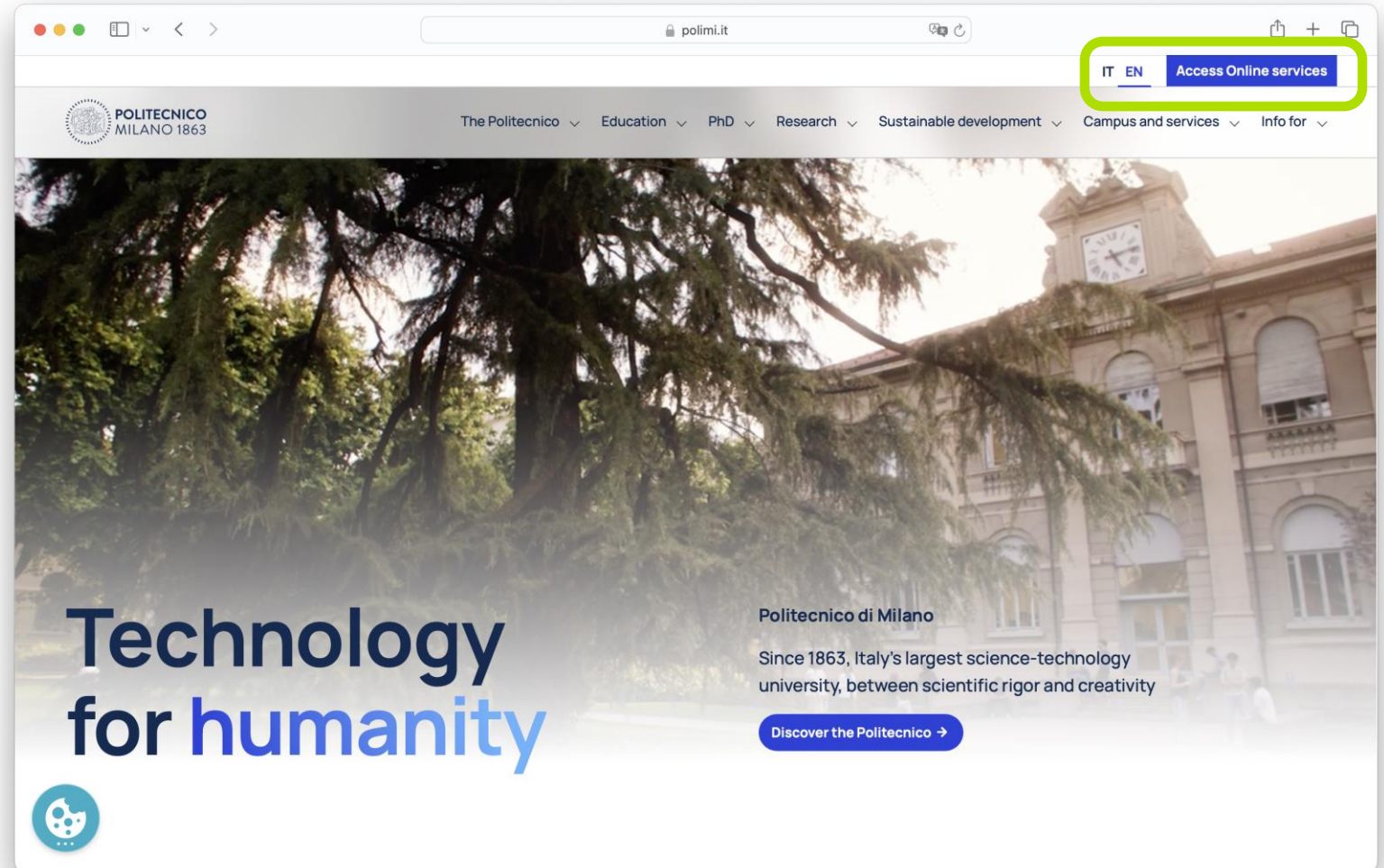
Didactic Tools and Support

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University Website

On the main page you can find the link to access **Online Services**

polimi.it > [Online Services](#)



Online Services > Mail & Career

Webmail

Check your institutional mailbox:
name.surname@mail.polimi.it

WeBeep

Login to WeBeep, the online platform supporting education at Polimi.

Career

Displays the **study plan** approved or being approved, indicating courses you've registered in and exams results.

Services

Find a Service...

▼ Requests and assistance

^ Mail and other Cloud services

Webmail, storage and other cloud services

Mailboxes and mailing lists

Cloud services - User situation

WeBeep

Recordings Archive

▼ Administration

^ Career

Career

Study Plan - Presentation

Study Plan - semester Changes

Transfer request, waiver, suspension

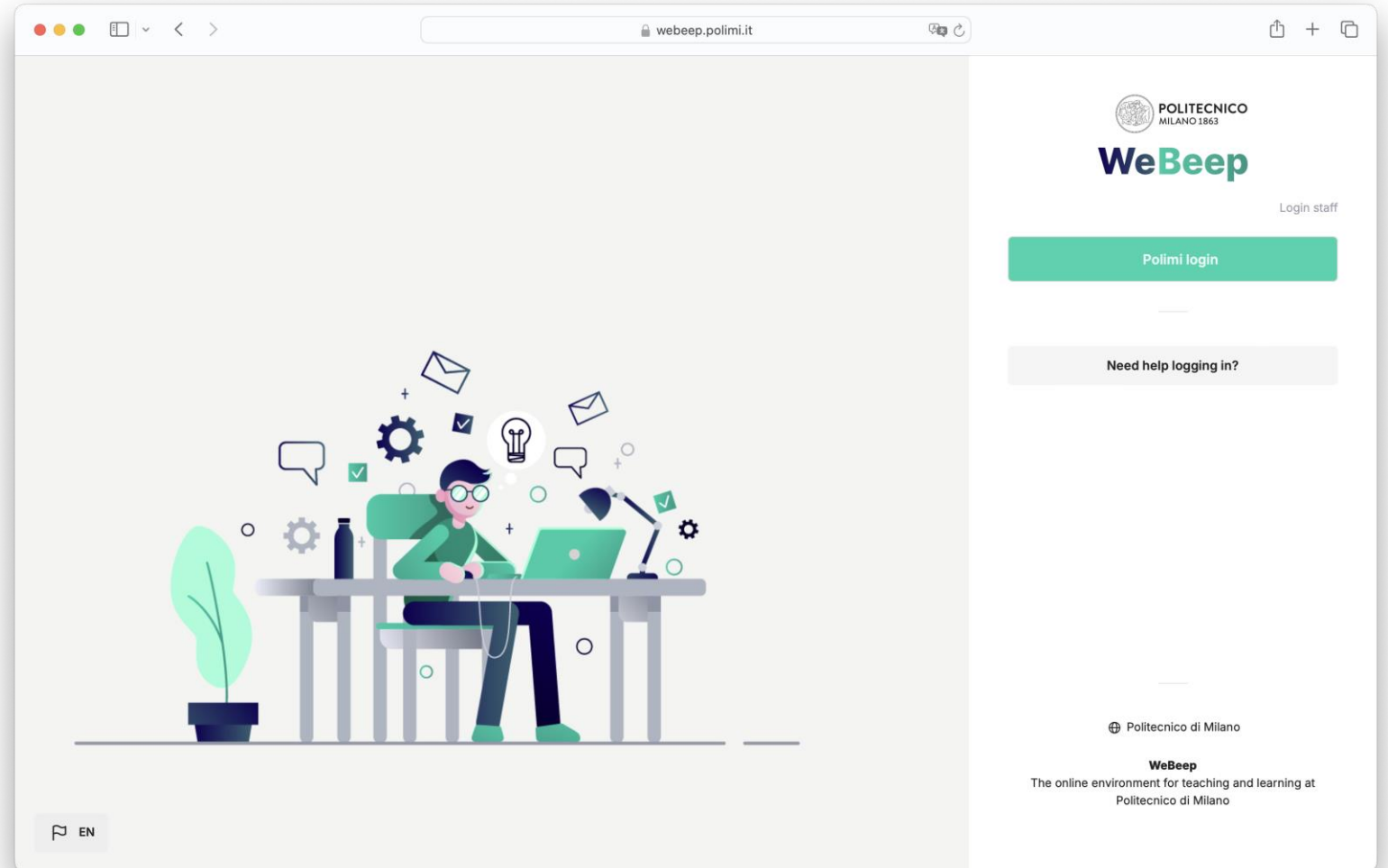
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Digital badges - MyOpenBadge

Simultaneous enrolment declaration

WeBeep

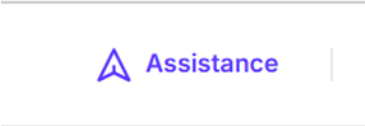
Use your Polimi credentials to log in to **WeBeep**, the online platform for study and exchange used by faculty and students.



WeBeep

After logging in, you'll see an **overview of the courses** you've registered in.
For each course, you'll have access to the following tools:

- **NOTICE BOARD**
Check course announcements written by professors and tutors
- **MATERIALS**
Check the materials provided by professors
- **RECORDINGS**
Rewatch the recorded course lectures (if available)
- **ASSIGNMENTS**
Submit required documents for exercises set up by professors



Assistance

Needing Assistance?
Enter Webeep and
Click on the icon up right

Online Services > Data

Edit personal data

Enables to view and update your own **personal** and **contact data**

Training courses

Offers a range of **online courses**, including **safety course**



^ Data	
University Address Book	 
Policard: activation, status and reissue	
Tesserino Policard - Attivazione Servizi Bancari	
Certificate and self certification request	
Edit personal data	
Management of payment methods	
Compilation questionnaires	
University fees and economic benefits	
Training courses	
Application form - exemption from all-inclusive contribution	
POLIPSI	
Identità e benessere	
Converting files into alternative and accessible formats	 

Training Courses › Safety Courses

To access the **Basic Course on Safety** follow this path:

Online Services › Data › Training Courses › Courses on Safety.

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← Online services > Training courses

Available functions

› Available courses

Certificates list

Available courses

› Courses on Safety

› Polimi open knowledge

› Online course on Privacy and GDPR

› Sustainability online courses

› Formazione per referenti tecnici siti web

Training courses v. 2.5.0 / 2.5.0

• Basic Course on Safety:

Recipients: teaching staff, contract professors, temporary research fellows, undergraduates and PhD students, technical-administrative personnel and collaborators.

This course - lasting the equivalent of 4 hours - corresponds to compulsory training required to be given to all workers under the H&S regulations. The course is devoted to in-depth analysis of the basic information and presentation of the general concepts regarding prevention of accidents and safety at work. It also includes typical information on the specific training for the majority of the jobs performed in the university, such as the use of equipment with video terminals and the procedures for dealing with emergencies.

Access course in [ITALIAN](#) [ENGLISH](#)

Online Services > Exams

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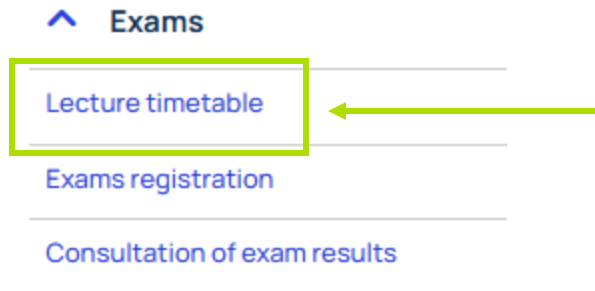
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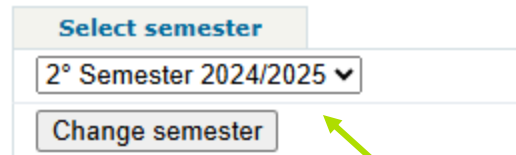
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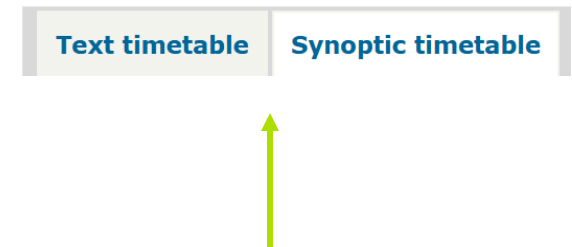
Enter the section Lecture timetable



Select the **semester** you are attending.



Select the kind of **timetable** you want to see.



Lecture timetable

Check here to see where and when the lectures in your study plan are held and to **make sure there are no overlapping classes**.

Text timetable		Synoptic timetable										
Date	Where				09:00		10:00		11:00		12:00	13:00
Monday												
Tuesday	B2.1.16											
Wednesday	B2.3.4											
VISUALIZATION AND PROTOTYPING lesson												
• 22-Feb-23 • 01-Mar-23 • 15-Mar-23 • 22-Mar-23 • 29-Mar-23 • 05-Apr-23 • 12-Apr-23												

Classroom information
(building and classroom number)

Legend	Course name	Professor
	053611 - EFFECTIVE RELATIONSHIPS II - IMPROVE YOUR NTS (NON-TECHNICAL-SKILLS)	
	Virtual classroom - Arrigoni Corrado	Arrigoni Corrado
	Virtual classroom - Spirandelli Alessandro	

Link to enter the
professor's virtual room

Professor's
name

Exams registration

You have to register to an exam **in advance**, in order to have the mark recorded afterwards.

^ Exams

Lecture timetable

Exams registration

Consultation of exam results

← **Exam registration:**
to register to exams

← **Consultation of exam results:**
to see the results of your exams

Important!

**You must register to
sit the exam!**

Exams registration

In this section you'll be able to view and update the following:

- **EXAMS TO BE TAKEN**

Check the exams you can register for and their registration deadlines

- **ENROLLMENTS COMPLETED**

View the exams you've registered for, along with information about the exam location, date and time

- **EXAM RESULTS**

Check your grades (only if they have not yet been recorded in your career)

Exams registration • tips

REGISTRATION FOR THE EXAM IS MANDATORY FOR EACH COURSE YOU ARE ATTENDING.

This is necessary in order to record grades in your career.

Pay attention to deadlines:

- For **courses and laboratories**: exam registration opens approximately **1 month before** each exam session and closes one week before the exam date.
- For **workshops**: registration will be open throughout the workshop's end.
[Specific deadlines will be visible directly in the application].

Before each registration, you'll need to complete the **Questionnaire on students' opinion** on the course.

Exam Sessions

DESIGN STUDIOS AND WORKSHOPS

- **Design Studios** have only **two exam dates**, both scheduled at the end of the semester in which the studio takes place.
- If not passed, **Design Studios and Workshops must be re-attended** in the following academic year.
- Due to the specific nature of these courses, **no retake exams are available** for Design Studios and Workshops.

Italian OFA (Additional Education Obligations)

The Italian OFA is assigned to all international students.

Foreign students will therefore have to prove their knowledge of the Italian language before registering for final exam of their degree.

If you still have an Italian OFA, you can satisfy it by attending **at least 75% of the free Italian course assigned by Politecnico and passing the final test session.**

For more information and how to satisfy the OFA go to the [Italian OFA](#) additional educational obligations page.

Language Courses

ONLINE ITALIAN COURSES

- Polimi sets up **italian courses** addressed to foreign and exchange students. Students interested can get more information and register, whilst the Call is open, through the **Language Courses Catalogue** available within the Online Services.
- You can also join a [free Online Italian Course](#) aimed at beginners, that will guide you into the discovery of Italian language and culture.

PoliPsi

IN TIMES OF DISTRESS AND UNCERTAINTY

PoliPsi is the free counselling and psychological and psychotherapeutic support service for students and PhD candidates at Politecnico di Milano.

The services can be requested at any time -- after registering and in full compliance with privacy legislation -- by accessing the PoliPsi application from your [Online Services](#).

Find out more at [Psychological Wellbeing](#)

Multichance

If you are a student with a disability or a Specific Learning Disorder, you can request compensatory tools to attend classes/taking examinations by contacting the service by e-mail: Multichance@polimi.it
<https://www.polimi.it/en/campus-and-services/equal-opportunities-and-inclusion/disability-and-spld>

Alias Protocol

Students can request the activation of an alias, by writing to: sgs@polimi.it
See: [Protocollo di gestione alias](#)

Student's Empowerment

- DISABILITY AND INCLUSION
- EDUCATIONAL SUPPORT
- UNIVERSITY CAREER
- CAREER GUIDANCE
- INTERNATIONAL MOBILITY
- UNIVERSITY LIFE
- PHYSICAL WELLBEING
- PSYCHOLOGICAL WELLBEING

- All services can be found on the page

- <https://www.design.polimi.it/studenti/mappa-dei-servizi>



International Experiences

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International Mobility Programs

350

students leaving for an
international experience
every year

145

Universities for
Erasmus EU

73

Universities for
Erasmus Extra EU

7

Universities for **Double
Degree** programs

Polimi Exchange

2 CALLS

- November
- March

[@polimi_exchange](https://design.polimi.it/mobility)

International Double Degree



Find out more

OUTGOING STUDENTS

Discover exchange experiences for
School of Design students

[Outgoing Students - Design](#)

PARTNER UNIVERSITIES

See information materials made available by
the partner offices

[Partner Universities - Design](#)

POLIMI EXCHANGE

Find out all the details on available
opportunities and procedures to follow

[Study Abroad - polimi](#)

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CONTACTS

Contact us if you have any doubts or questions about exchange programmes:

[International Mobility](#)

INSTAGRAM

Follow the page to find out the latest news on international mobility:

[@polimi_exchange](#)

PODCAST

International mobility told by the voice of those who have experienced it:

[Polimi Explorers](#)

Opportunities

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Internal Double Degree

Multidisciplinary program of six semesters (three years) enabling students to earn two Master's Degrees.

Focus: design and management of innovative business models for product-service systems.

Approach: integration of design and management disciplines, immersing students in diverse schools of thought and backgrounds.

Deadline: See relevant call – Early December
On Line Services → Applications form → Selection procedures

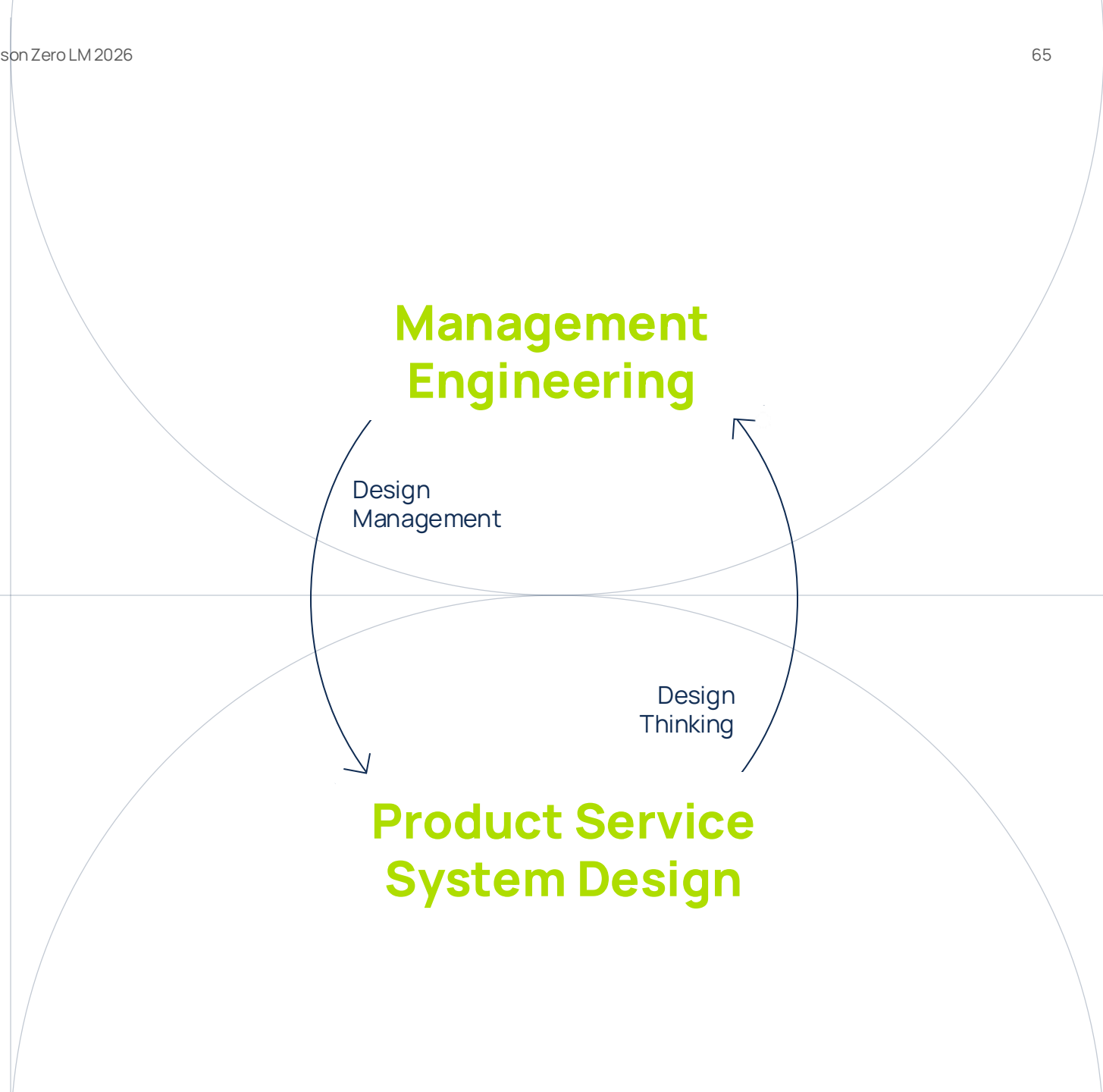
design.polimi.it/double-degrees

**Management
Engineering**

Design
Management

Design
Thinking

**Product Service
System Design**



Foreign Languages

POLITECNICO'S LANGUAGE COURSE CATALOGUE

Politecnico's course catalogue offers courses in

English, Chinese, Japanese, German, Russian, French, Portuguese and Spanish.

Registration via **online services** –international mobility – **language courses catalogue**

polimi.it/language-courses

LANGUAGE TANDEM ENHANCE

The Language Tandem Project, developed within the ENHANCE Alliance offers the opportunity for students to improve their language learning through language exchange and fosters relationships within the ENHANCE community.

Participants in the Language Tandem project will be able to learn/practice the following languages:

German, Spanish, Italian, Swedish, Norwegian, Polish.

https://www.enhance-tandems.pw.edu.pl/enhance_tandems_en

Students remunerated collaboration activities

200 hours, tutoring activities

Every academic year specific Calls for Applications are published to allow students to apply as “student collaborators” in PoliMi’s structures, having the opportunity to be engaged in paid activities, offered by the University.

One or multiple tasks can be assigned for a maximum of **200 hours** per calendar year.

<https://www.polimi.it/en/campus-e-servizi/lavoro-e-collaborazioni/students-remunerated-collaboration-activities>

Not-compulsory internship

The internship/internship/traineeship is a training experience in the field to be carried out in Italy or abroad, at public and private entities (companies, professional firms, institutions, organisations, other universities, associations, research centres).

The internship carried out by a student may be either **compulsory curricular** (i.e. provided for in the study plan and awarding CFUs (2nd year LM), or **non-compulsory curricular**, i.e. without awarding CFUs, which can always be activated during the course of a student's career.

It is managed by the Career Service.

careerservice@polimi.it

www.careerservice.polimi.it



CAREER SERVICE

Students, Graduates and PhD ^

Sign in to your personal **account** →

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Employment Data - last 5-years' book →

Passion in Action

To develop your passions, soft and social skills

It is a catalogue of free participation educational activities that Politecnico offers to its students.

[Passion in action – polimi](#)

The 'Passion in Action' activity, once completed, will assign the student extracurricular CFUs, that will show in the diploma supplement.

HOME / EDUCATION / PASSION IN ACTION

10 Active courses

Practical activities Awards Competitions Exhibitions Conferences Trips and excursions

CORTALP_MILAN MOUNTAIN SHORT FILM COMPETITION AND FESTIVAL "MANLIO...

Keywords: DESIGN, festival CortAlp, montagna

Language: ENGLISH, ITALIAN

Campus: MILANO BOVISA

Enrollment: from 24-07-2026 to hour 23:59 on 01-11-2026

Enrollment open

[Go to details](#)

Project laboratory Hackathon Experimental laboratory

MOTRIDAL DESIGN CHALLENGE

Keywords: Design Challenge, Machine Design, Mechanical Design

Language: ENGLISH, ITALIAN

Campus: SPAZIO ESTERNO AL POLIMI

Enrollment: from 04-08-2026 to hour 12:00 on 05-10-2026

Enrollment open

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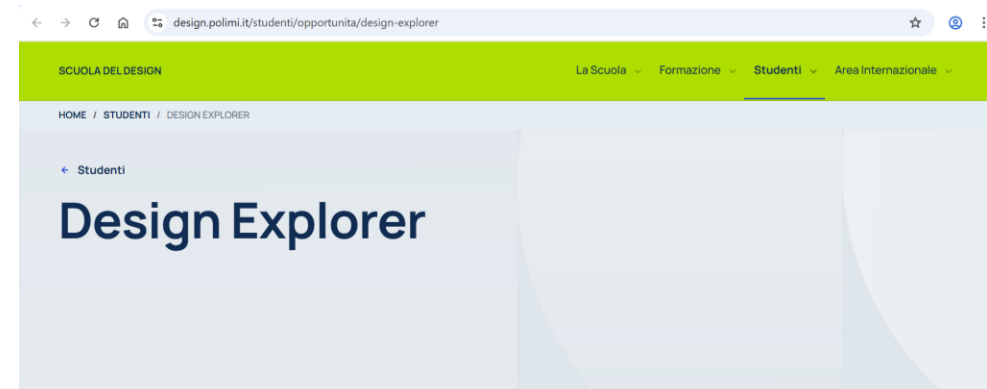
Design Explorer

To develop your passions, soft and social skills

DE is a 'passport' that narrates journeys and experiences undertaken by individual students in different 'territories' of design, valuing their passions and aptitudes.

Students will be able to identify, within a schedule, **DESIGN initiatives and events** in tune with their course of study and specific personal needs and passions.

Upon reaching 100 points, 'Design Explorer' results in the validation of **3 extra-curricular CFUs**



[School: Design Explorer \(polimi.it\)](https://design.polimi.it/studenti/opportunita/design-explorer)

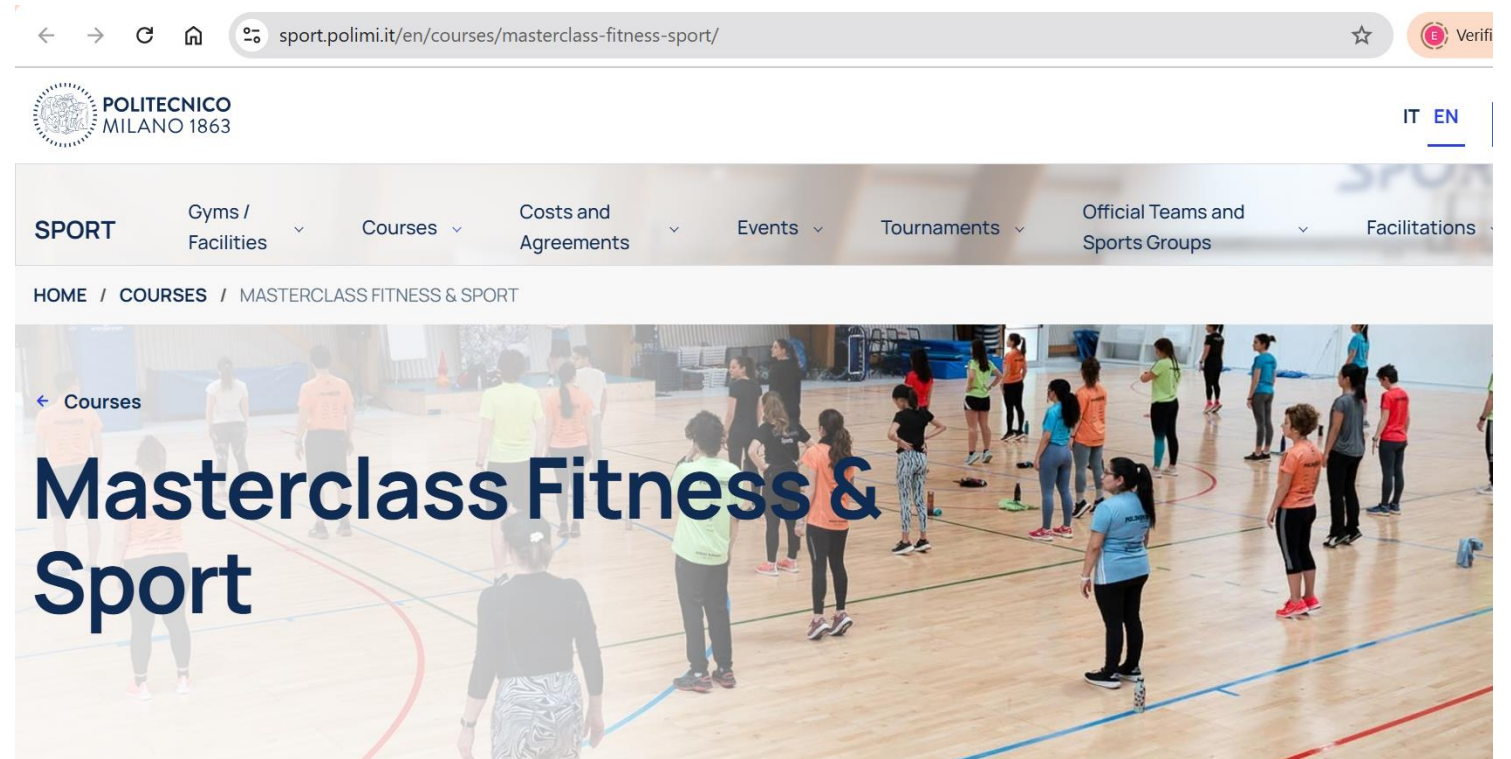
Polimi Sport

Discover and join sport events,
courses and activities at Polimi!

Join the Polimi Run:
Milan_Sept. 27th
Lecco_Nov. 8th

PolimiRun Milano 26

sport.polimi.it



Dual Career

The Politecnico di Milano is committed to meeting the needs of our best sports students, to make the commitment of a student compatible with that of a high-level sportsman/woman!

- During periods of recognized sporting activity for courses that are normally compulsory attendance, a **flexible form of attendance** is identified;
- There is the possibility, at the lecturers' discretion, to carry out **exams outside exam dates** if the official exam dates coincide with the recognised sports activities;
- A **Tutor** at each School will assist the student in dealing with the lecturers regarding the application of these measures;
- free access to the University's sports facilities.

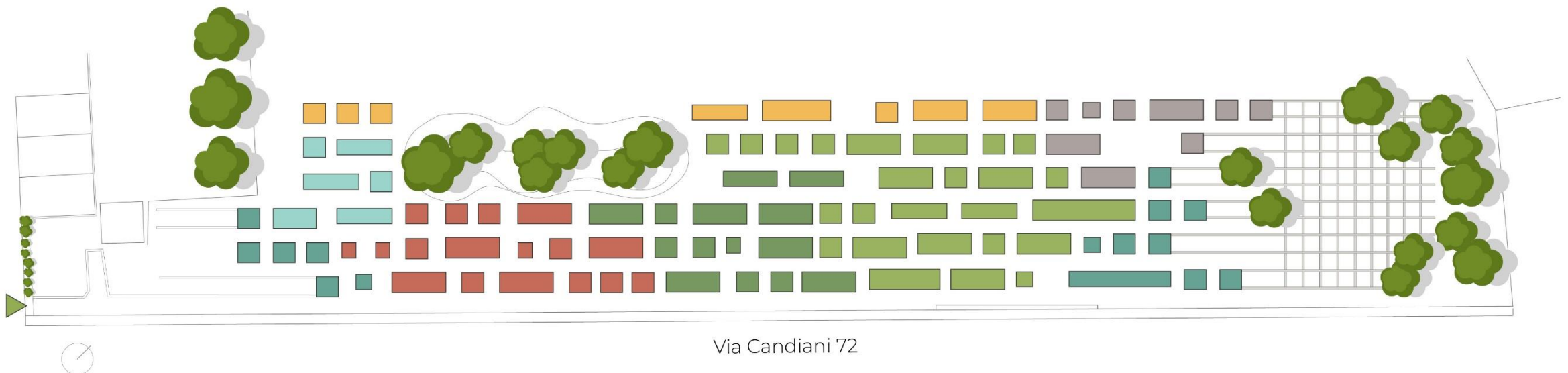
More info at: <https://www.sport.polimi.it/en/dual-career/>

School of Design Dual Career Tutor: [**Dott.ssa Francesca Onofri**](#)

COLTIVANDO, Convivial garden

COLTIVANDO is a shared vegetable garden located in the green spaces of the Candiani campus of the Politecnico di Milano. Developed by the **Polimi DESIS Lab** within the Department of Design/School of Design of the Politecnico di Milano, Coltivando was born from **collaboration of service designers and spatial designers**, who conducted a **co-design process with the local community**.

Contacts: coltivando@polimi.it



Design Department Lab System
DCC – Design Competence Center

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Design Department Lab System

DCC - Design Competence Center



DCC Immagine



DCC Prototipi e Allestimenti



DCC Moda



DCC Pilot

DCC – Design Competence Center

Focus

DCC Imagine

The DCC Imagine is dedicated to the design, production, and management of visual, photographic, and audiovisual communication content, supporting education, research, and technology transfer. It brings together design, creative, and technical expertise to develop communication products and services for both traditional and digital media, managing the entire creative and production process, from concept development to post-production.

Spatial and technological resources available at DCC Imagine:

Level 1 – Open

- **Open Imagine**

Level 2 – Advanced

- **Image Production 1**
- **Image Production 2**
- **Sound & Podcast (coming 2027)**



DCC – Design Competence Center

Focus

DCC Prototipi e Allestimenti

The DCC Prototipi e Allestimenti was established by integrating the expertise and services of the Prototypes Lab and the Exhibit Lab. It is dedicated to the design, development, and testing of projects in the fields of product design, interior design, and exhibition design, supporting education, research, and technology transfer.

Spatial and technological resources available at DCC Prototipi e Allestimenti:

Level 1 – Open

- **Open Prototipi**

Level 2 – Advanced

- **Wood Manufacturing 2**



DCC – Design Competence Center

Focus

DCC Moda

The DCC Moda is dedicated to design, experimentation, and prototyping in the fields of fashion and knitwear. It comprises specialised spaces for tailoring, garment construction, and knitwear, equipped with industrial sewing machines, manual and electronic knitting machines, embroidery machines, linking machines, dress forms, cutting tables, and other professional equipment.

Spatial and technological resources available at DCC Moda:

Level 1 – Open

- Open Moda

Level 2 – Advanced

- Tailoring 1
- Tailoring 2
- Tailoring 3
- Knitwear 1
- Knitwear 2



DCC – Design Competence Center

Focus

DCC Pilot

The DCC Pilot is an interdisciplinary facility dedicated to the design, experimentation, and development of prototypes across a wide range of design disciplines. It provides expertise, tools, and technologies to support projects spanning interior design, product design, communication design, fashion design, and interaction design, fostering dialogue across disciplines, methodologies, and design languages.

Spatial and technological resources available at DCC Pilot:

Level 1 – Open

- Open Pilot 1
- Open Pilot 2
- Open Pilot 3
- Open Pilot 4

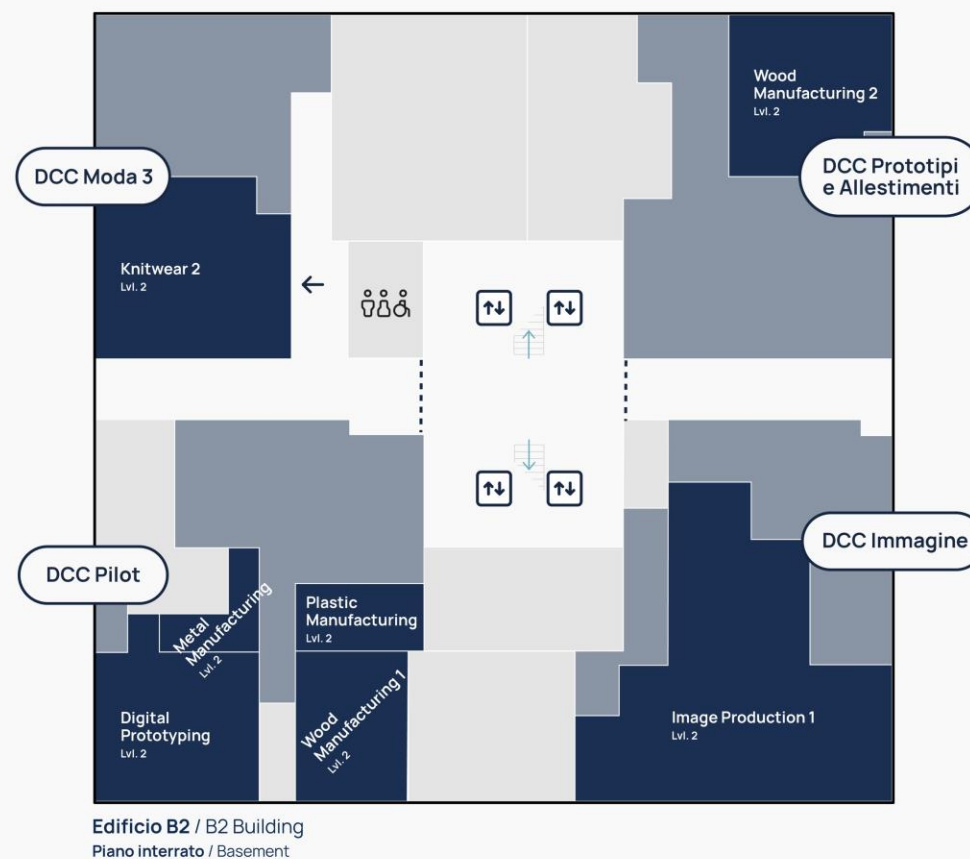
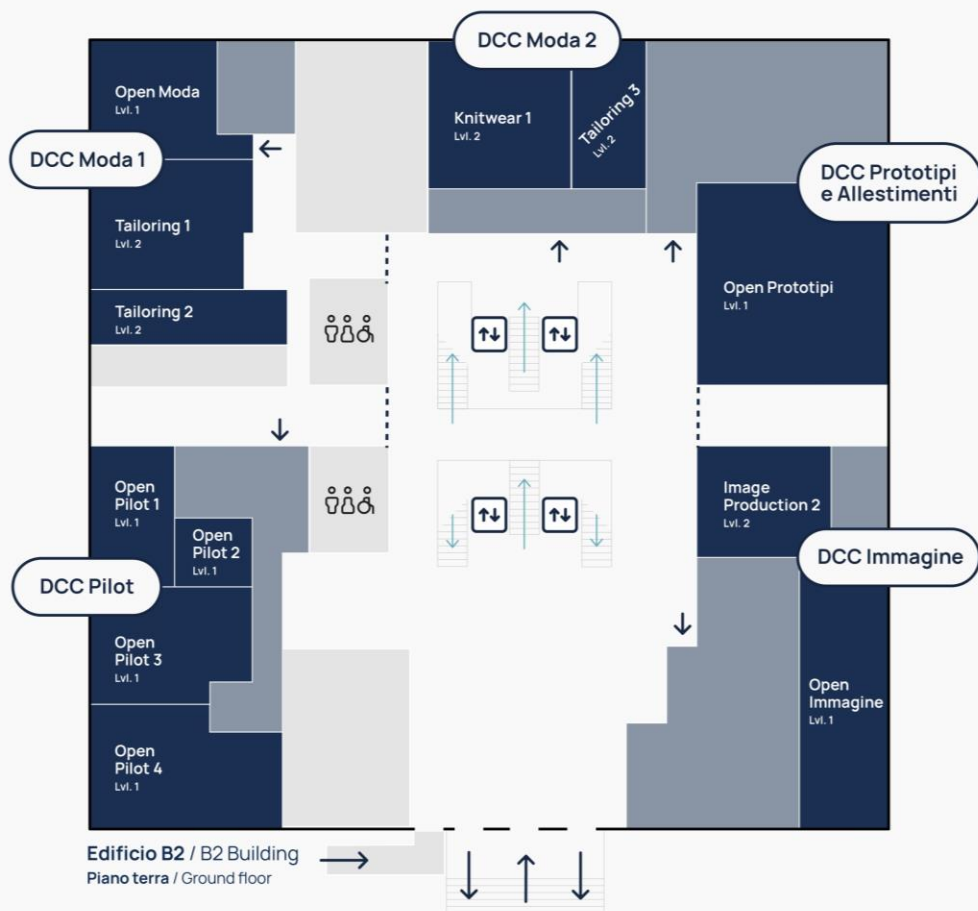
Level 2 – Advanced

- Wood Manufacturing 1
- Plastic Manufacturing
- Metal Manufacturing
- Digital Prototyping



DCC – Design Competence Center

Map of Spatial and Technological Resources



Specific Safety Training Course

PART 1



Training delivered via online video conference (VCS)

The course will be held online through the Microsoft Teams Platform.

- Booking required
- Duration 4 hours

PART 2



On-Campus Training (FSP)

The course will be held at the Bovisa Durando Campus, Building B2.
Access will be granted only after successfully completing Part 1 (VCS).

- Booking required
- Duration 4 hours

PART 3



Final Assessment

The assessment will take place at the Bovisa Durando Campus, Building B2.
Participants must use their own device and log in with their Polimi credentials.

- At the end of Part 2 (FSP)
- Duration up to 40 minutes

Part 1 – Specific Training Delivered via Synchronous Video Conferencing (VCS)

Book your Specific Safety Training session delivered via Synchronous Video Conferencing (VCS) through the [Online Services → Design Competence Center](#) of Politecnico di Milano.

The course is delivered online via **Microsoft Teams**. If you are no longer able to attend your scheduled session, please cancel your booking through the same application.

- A desktop PC, laptop, or tablet is required
- **Smartphones cannot be used** to attend the course

The training session is considered valid only if you attend at least 80% of its total duration.

- **If you attend at least 80% of the session:** you will be able to book **Part 2 – Specific In-Person Training (FSP)** independently, starting from 12:00 p.m. on the following day, through the same “**Online Services**” application [Online Services → Design Competence Center](#).
- **If you do not reach the 80% attendance requirement:** you will need to book a new Specific Safety Training session delivered via Synchronous Video Conferencing (VCS).

Part 1 – Training via Video Conference (VCS)

Book your Training via Video Conference (VCS) session, available via the Microsoft Teams platform, **through the "Access Online Services" application**. If you are no longer able to attend your scheduled session, **please cancel your booking through the same application**.

In order to attend the VCS session the following requirements shall apply:

- A **desktop PC, laptop, or tablet** is required
- **Smartphones cannot be used** to attend the course

To pass the course it is necessary to follow at least 80% of the course (with the camera on).

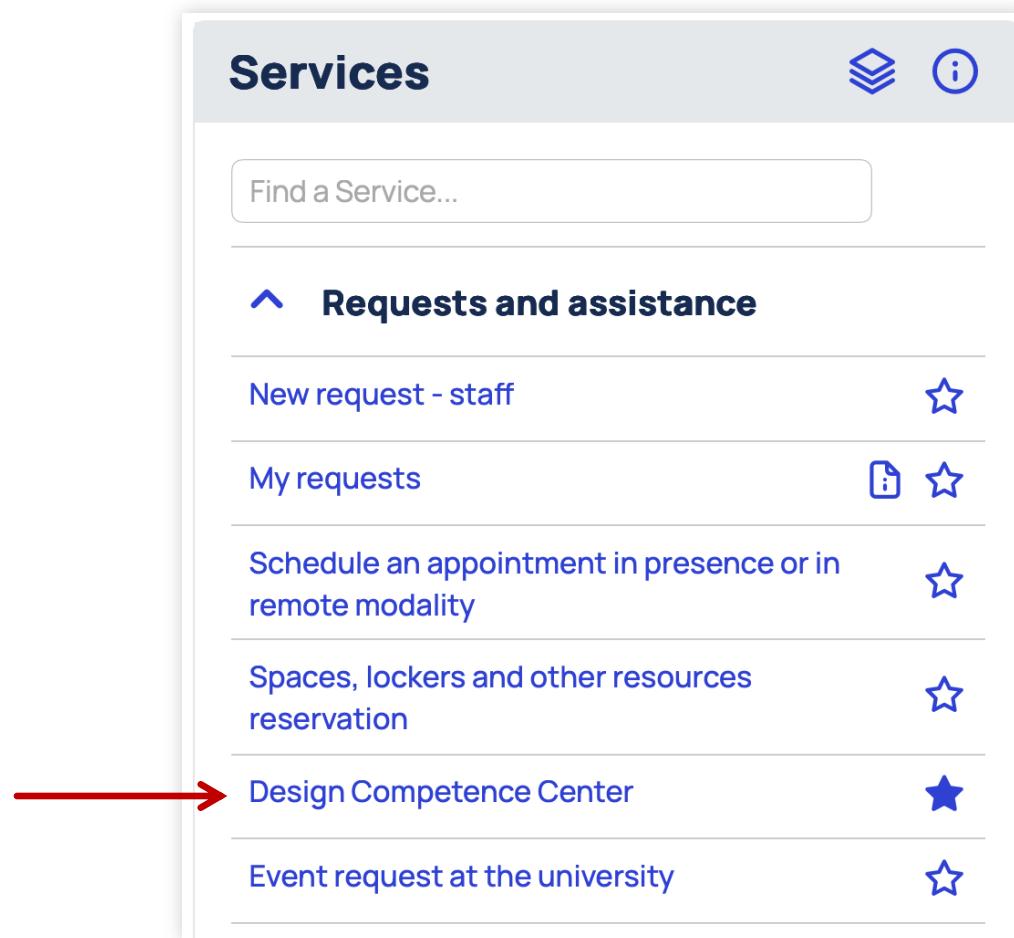
- **If you meet this requirement:** you will be authorized to independently book the second phase of the training (FSP) through the [Online Services → Design Competence Center](#) application – starting from 12:00 p.m. of the following day –.
- **If you don't meet the 80% attendance:** you will be required to book again and to retake the Part 1 (VCS).

Part 1 (VCS)

How to book

STEP 1

From “**Access Online services**” select “**Design Competence Center**”.



Part 1 (VCS)

How to book

STEP 2

Choose the date, click on the time and then “Next”.

New reservation
Complete the required steps to make a new reservation

Your selection: **Laboratory training** [↗](#)

Laboratory training [↗](#)

Availability
07/13/2026 [📅](#)

Resources

- Level 1 - Design Lab Course - Part 1 - EN (videoconference)
- Livello 1 - Formazione Laboratori Design - Parte 1 - IT (videoconferenza)

13/07/2026 [<](#) [>](#)
1 Available resource

Level 1 - Design Lab Course - Part 1 - EN (videoconference)
90 People [👤](#) ☆ Online course lasting 4 hours, required as a prerequisite for access to PART 2. The access link to the platform will be sent the day before the selected date.

13:15 - 17:15

[← Back](#) [Next →](#) [Cancel ×](#)

Part 1 (VCS)

How to book

STEP 3

Check the box “**I confirm that I have read the terms of service**” and then select “**Confirm reservation**”.

[←](#)

New reservation

Complete the required steps to make a new reservation

Your selection: [Laboratory training](#) [Level 1 Design Lab Course - Part 1 - EN \(videoconference\) - 13 Jul 2026 13:15 > 17:15](#)

Reservation recap
Review the reservation recap and proceed if everything checks out

Level 1 - Design Lab Course - Part 1 - EN (videoconference) [📍](#)

📅 13 Jul 2026 - 13:15-17:15

👤 NAME SURNAME

@ name.surname@polimi.it

★ Online course lasting 4 hours, required as a prerequisite for access to PART 2. The access link to the platform will be sent the day before the selected date.

You will receive the Microsoft Teams link to access the course **the day before the scheduled date**, sent to your official @mail.polimi.it address.

Please note:

- 1 - It is **essential** to use a PC workstation (desktop or laptop) or a tablet.
- 2 - The use of **smartphones is not permitted**.

If you are unable to attend the course, we kindly ask you to cancel your booking. Cancellations can be made up to **24 hours in advance**.

☒ I confirm that I have read the terms of service.

[← Back](#) [Confirm reservation](#) [Cancel](#) ✕

Part 1 (VCS)

How to book

STEP 4

Select “**Go to Reservation Details**”
to view your reservation
details.

Once the process is complete,
you will receive a
confirmation email.

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Reservation recap

Level 1 - Design Lab Course - Part 1 - EN
(videoconference)

Confirmed

[📍](#)

📅 13 Jul 2026 - 13:15-17:15

👤 NAME SURNAME

📧 name.surname@polimi.it

Edit reservation [↗](#)

Delete reservation [✕](#)

Contacts

For questions or clarification regarding training and access to the Design Competence Center (DCC):

accessolabb-design@polimi.it

Technical support for accessing the Specific Safety Training Course – Part 1 (VCS):

formazioneIabb-design@polimi.it

Important Contacts

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Academic Orientation Office



Answers questions about
study plan issues,
admission process



Answers questions about
exam registration,
final degree



Provides information and
support about **transfers**
and **degree changing**

[Contacts for students](#)

School of Design

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Scuola ▾

Formazione ▾

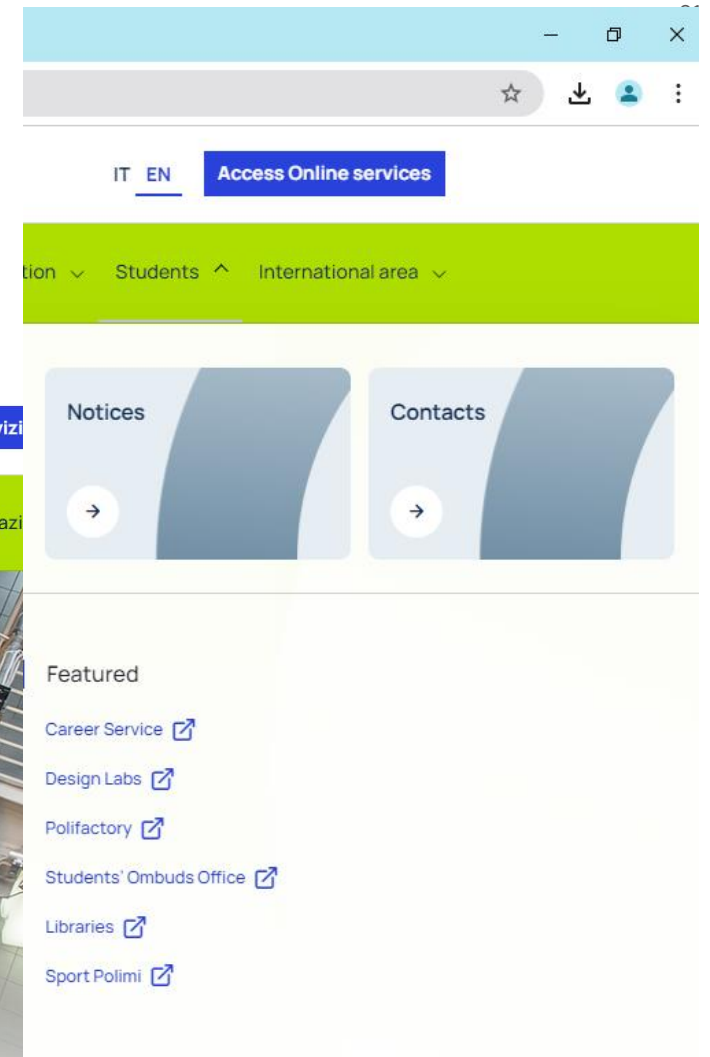
Studenti ▾

Area Internazi

IT EN

Accedi ai Servizi

Un approccio che integra
creatività, tecnologia e
sostenibilità per la
formazione in **Design**



Academic Orientation Office_ School of Design

Campus Bovisa Candiani, Building B1, 3° floor, Via Candiani, 72

Takes care of:

- **careers (study plan)**
- **transfers and course transitions**
- **Master's degree admissions**
- **mandatory internships**
- **graduations**

CONTACTS:

<https://www.design.polimi.it/> - **students - contacts**

- via Chat from Monday to Friday from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.
- by appointment (by phone/in person)
- by sending an e-mail (trouble ticket TT)

Registrar's Office (Segreteria Studenti)

Campus Bovisa La Masa, via Lambruschini 15

Takes care of:

- **administration**
- **registrations**
- **fees (ISEE, instalments)**
- **exemptions**
- **certificates**

CONTACTS:

via ChatBot

www.polimi.it – info for – students - contacts

Appointments via Online Services or Polimi App



Meeting hours - by appointment only:

Tuesday and Thursday 9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. in presence

Wednesday 9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. by phone appointment

Friday 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. by phone appointment

Student contacts

ESN POLIMI

A student association, aimed at supporting exchange students by providing information and assistance.

<https://milanopolitecnico.esn.it/>

POLINETWORK

Check out links to join WhatsApp and Telegram groups of all bachelor and master design courses.

design.polinetwork.org

ASSOCIATIONS

Polimi students are represented in different bodies, associations and Representative Lists.

[representatives-and-associations](#)

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Politecnico di Milano APP

Discover Politecnico

This is the official app dedicated to new freshmen. By installing it, you can have all the information you need for your new life as a student at the Politecnico di Milano at your fingertips. The app is divided into five main information sections:

- **Study:** information on courses and other educational activities;
- **Campus living:** student services;
- **Going abroad:** international projects and partnerships;
- **Working:** job opportunities;
- **Having fun:** the university's leisure offer.

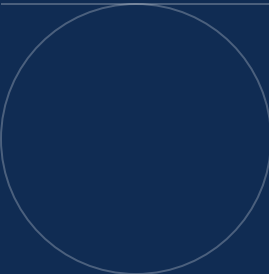


Polimi App



With Polimi App you can:

- Consult your study plan, with details of courses and exam results;
- Consult examination schedules;
- Register for examinations;
- See the class timetable calculated according to your study plan;
- Use the classroom search function;
- Search for a free classroom;
- Consult the university email;
- Access webeep;
- Receive personalised notifications;
- Search for email and telephone contacts; with the university address book;
- Book an appointment at the milan student secretariats: via golgi 42 (leonardo campus), via lambruschini 11 (bovisa campus);
- Book an appointment for the right to study desk in milan: P.Zza leonardo da vinci, 36 - ed.3
- See in real time the number of people in the queue and the waiting time at the counters of the student secretariats in milan (golgi and lambruschini);
- Report faults, malfunctions or situations requiring intervention on campus (they will be analysed and sorted for resolution).



Thank you!