# Call for the enrolment of non-EU citizens and EU citizens with qualifications not obtained in Italy to the MSc in Nuclear Engineering for the Academic Year 2024/25

The University of Pisa, founded in 1343, is among the leading institutions in most international rankings. According to the latest Academic Ranking of World Universities (ARWU) 2023, the University of Pisa is ranked between 151st and 200th in the world and is 4th in Italy. According to the QS World University Ranking 2024, the University of Pisa is ranked 349th worldwide and 7th in Italy.

Admission to the Master of Science in Nuclear Engineering of the University of Pisa (Academic Year 2024/25) is open to holders of a relevant scientific bachelor's degree, or an equivalent or superior foreign academic qualification. The applicants can be non-EU citizens and EU citizens with qualifications not obtained in Italy.

## Admission Requirements

Admission to the Master's Degree course is subject to satisfying the following minimum requirements:

- 1. B.Sc. degree in Industrial Engineering field or Physics;
- 2. knowledge of the English language comparable or superior to the B2 level (Common European Framework of Reference for Languages).

#### Candidate Evaluation

An Evaluation Committee, appointed by the Degree Programme Board, will assess the applications, verifying if:

- the aforementioned curricula requirements are met by each candidate;
- the applicant's personal preparation is adequate to successfully attend the MSc activities, with particular regard to basic knowledge of Mathematics, Physics, Structural Mechanics, Thermodynamics and Heat Transfer.

Assessment will be performed by examining the candidate's CV and qualifications, and may require a teleconference interview.

## Pre-Enrolment Procedure

Candidates should apply online at the following website: https://applymscenglish.unipi.it/en/studenti

#### Call Deadlines

Applications to the MSc in Nuclear Engineering for the Academic Year 2024/25 will be evaluated in three rounds:

- First round of applications: 26 November 2023 15 February 2024 (12.00 PM, Central European Time), open to non-EU and EU citizens;
- Second round of applications: 16 February 2024 31 May 2024 (12.00 PM, Central European Time), open to non-EU and EU citizens;
- Third round of applications: 1 June 2024 15 October 2024 (12.00 PM, Central European Time), open only to EU citizens.

Positively evaluated applications <u>in the first round only</u> will be eligible for a scholarship granted by the University of Pisa (see below).

## **Scholarships**

The University of Pisa offers scholarships to the best international students, who will enrol for the academic year 2024/2025 in one of the Master Degree Programs or the Bachelor Degree Program of the University of Pisa taught in English.

Scholarships will be awarded evaluating the following factors: CV, Interview, CGPA (Cumulative Grade Point Average) and Country of origin of the applicant, giving priority to the less economically advantaged countries. The scholarship will be paid when the winner will arrive in Italy.

Only the candidates positively evaluated during the first round of application (12 December 2023 – 15 February 2024) will be eligible for these Scholarships.

Scholarships will be allocated before the enrolment, so that non-EU winners applying for a VISA can show to the competent Italian Embassy/Consulate Offices that they have sufficient economic means for studying in Italy.

More information is available at: www.unipi.it/contribution

### Grant awarded by the Agenzia Regionale Diritto allo Studio Universitario (DSU)

Students can also apply for the grant awarded by the Agenzia Regionale Diritto allo Studio Universitario (DSU) only online on the website www.dsu.toscana.it. DSU is the agency for the University Study Right of the Tuscany Regional Council (Regione Toscana).

A DSU grant includes:

- free accommodation;
- free meals at the University dining halls;
- monthly scholarship to cover extra expenses (sporting activities, books, etc.);
- exemption from University tuition fees.

More information at: www.dsu.toscana.it

## Grant awarded by the Program "Invest your Talent in Italy"

This MSc Degree Programme is part of the "Invest your Talent in Italy" scholarship program which aims to support students from the following countries: Armenia, Azerbaigian, Brasile, Cina, Colombia, Corea del Sud, Egitto, Etiopia, Ghana, India, Indonesia, Iran, Kazakhstan, Messico, Tunisia, Turchia e Vietnam. Scholarships are awarded to students admitted to the Master's Degree Programme and are funded by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation (MAECI). To apply, please consult the page <a href="https://www.postgradinitaly.esteri.it">www.postgradinitaly.esteri.it</a>

## Additional Information

The following links provide some additional information.

- For other grants, see: <a href="https://www.unipi.it/index.php/iscriversi-all-universita-di-pisa/itemlist/category/508-tasse-universitarie">www.unipi.it/index.php/iscriversi-all-universita-di-pisa/itemlist/category/508-tasse-universitarie</a>.
- MSc in Nuclear Engineering Web Site: http://nucleare.ing.unipi.it/it/foreign-students
- Applications to International MSc of the University of Pisa: <a href="https://applymscenglish.unipi.it">https://applymscenglish.unipi.it</a>
- Pre-enrolment and Enrolment: <a href="www.unipi.it/index.php/enrolment/">www.unipi.it/index.php/enrolment/</a>
- Fees, fee waivers and financial support: www.unipi.it/tuition-fees
- University of Pisa scholarships: <a href="www.unipi.it/contribution">www.unipi.it/contribution</a>
- Invest your talent Scholarship Programme: <a href="https://postgradinitaly.esteri.it">https://postgradinitaly.esteri.it</a>
- Right to University Studies (DSU) grants: www.dsu.toscana.it

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