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Italian Language Pathway

The Academic Bridge to Your Degree at Ca' Foscari.

Specifically designed for international students, the **Italian Language Pathway** is the high-level linguistic and cultural program that prepares you for enrollment in Italian-taught degree programs at **Ca' Foscari University of Venice**.

PROGRAM GOALS

Reach the **B2 level** of the Common European Framework (CEFR) and gain the specific methodological tools to succeed in the Italian academic environment.

- **Duration:** 1 Semester (approx. 13 weeks)
- **Start Dates:** September or January
- **Format:** 100% Online (with an optional final week in-person in Venice)
- **Language of Instruction:** Italian (with English support if needed)

FOR PROSPECTIVE STUDENTS

This program is aimed at non-native Italian speakers with a university background:

- **Target:** Priority is given to prospective Bachelor's students that may be admitted subject to evaluation and availability and to students holding a Bachelor's degree interested in Master's or PhD programs at Ca' Foscari.

CURRICULUM HIGHLIGHTS

- **Language Progression (A1 to B2):** 220 hours of intensive modules, transitioning from general to university-specific Italian.
- **Academic Communication:** 10 hours focused on academic writing (abstracts, formal emails, papers) and participating in university lectures.

- **Italian Culture & Current Affairs:** 15 hours dedicated to history, art, and society to facilitate your integration into the Italian university context.
- **Introduction to Courses:** Brief "taster" lessons on subjects offered at Ca' Foscari to help you choose your field of study.
- **Workshops & Orientation:** Guidance on enrollment procedures and meetings with academic advisors.

EXPECTED OUTCOMES

- **Communicative Autonomy:** Interact fluently with native speakers and understand complex academic texts.
- **Official Recognition:** Receive a Final Certificate and an Open Badge (B2) valid for admission to Ca' Foscari's Italian-taught degree programs.
- **Enrollment Eligibility:** Achievement of a B2 level in Italian **does not guarantee automatic admission to the chosen degree programme.** Students must satisfy the **entry requirements for applicants with an international qualification**, in addition to any further selection criteria such as admission tests

READY TO JOIN US IN VENICE?

Start your academic journey at Ca' Foscari with the right linguistic foundation.

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