

COURSE OFFERINGS FOR THE
2026-2027 ACADEMIC YEAR



UNIVERSITÀ
di VERONA

Dipartimento
di LINGUE
E LETTERATURE STRANIERE

University of Verona:
Empowering Global Minds
through Languages

Speak the World, Live Verona

Welcome to the **Department of Foreign Languages and Literatures**, where languages, cultures, and technology intersect. Our programmes offer a unique interdisciplinary approach, blending the study of languages and literatures with innovative fields like Computer Science and Digital Humanities.

At the heart of our mission is a strong commitment to **internationalisation**, reflected in our joint degrees and robust partnerships with leading universities around the world.

Whether you are passionate about **global communication**, **cultural exchange**, or **digital innovation**, you will find an inspiring and supportive environment here to shape your future!

Discover your voice in a new language while immersing yourself in Verona's rich history and vibrant culture. The University of Verona offers a range of dynamic foreign language and literature programmes designed to unlock your global potential.



A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Roberta Facchinetti'.

Head of the Department



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A Vibrant Academic Community

The Department of Foreign Languages and Literatures at the University of Verona is a **vibrant academic community** committed to excellence in teaching, research, and international cooperation.

With a strong **interdisciplinary focus**, the Department promotes the study of languages, literatures, and cultures across diverse geographical and historical contexts, in a **cross-disciplinary perspective** that branches out to computer science and digital humanities. Our global network of collaborations is strengthened by **international agreements**, **visiting scholars**, and a wide range of **dynamic initiatives**.



Located in the heart of Verona—one of Italy’s most culturally rich and internationally connected cities—our Department serves as a hub for linguistic and literary **innovation, intercultural dialogue, and global citizenship.**

By choosing the Department of Foreign Languages and Literatures, you become part of a dynamic academic community dedicated to **excellence, innovation, and international collaboration.** Immerse yourself in the diverse world of languages, literatures, and cultures, and take part in pioneering research that is **shaping the global future of the Humanities.**



Our Research Areas

Our dedicated staff conduct cutting-edge **research** across diverse **fields**:

Literary Studies

English and English-language literature, French and francophone literature, Iberian and Hispanic-American literature, Comparative Russian and Slavic literature, German and Austrian literature, Anglo-American language and literature, Chinese language and literature.

Language and Translation Studies

French, English, Russian, Spanish, German language and linguistics, alongside Chinese language and literature.

Philological Studies

Slavic philology, Germanic philology, and Chinese language and literature.

Computer Science

Specialising in Artificial Intelligence applications for Digital Humanities.



A VIBRANT ACADEMIC COMMUNITY



Internationalisation at Our Core

Internationalisation is embedded in our teaching, research, and educational activities. We actively promote **student mobility** through Erasmus+, Worldwide, and other global exchange programmes, connecting with partner universities across Europe, Africa, America, Asia, and Australia.

Our research initiatives create **vibrant international networks**, hosting visiting scholars and participating in innovative projects that enhance linguistic and literary heritage globally.

Leading with Research Excellence

Our commitment to research excellence across disciplines has been recognised with significant funding from the Italian Ministry of Research for multi-year projects such as ***Digital Humanities Applied to Foreign Languages and Literatures*** (2018-2022) and ***Inclusive Humanities*** (2023-2027), totalling over 13 million euros.



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PROGETTO DI ECCELLENZA: LE DIGITAL HUMANITIES APPLICATE ALLE
LINGUE E LETTERATURE STRANIERE (2018-2022)




**INCLUSIVE
HUMANITIES**

Our Academic Offering

The Department offers a comprehensive and diverse range of **undergraduate, graduate, and postgraduate programmes** designed to equip students with advanced linguistic skills, critical thinking, and cultural literacy.

Six languages are taught in our degrees' curricula, including **Chinese, English, French, German, Spanish and Russian**, in addition to **Brazilian Portuguese** and **Catalan** as non-curricular languages.

Bachelor's degree programmes

- Languages and Cultures for Tourism and International Commerce
- Languages and Cultures for Publishing and Digital Media
- Foreign Languages and Literatures

International Master's degree programmes

- Languages, Literatures and Digital Culture
- Languages for Global Business, Trade, and Tourism

Ph.D. programmes

- Foreign Languages and Literatures
- Linguistics



Other Educational Activities

Each year, professional courses dedicated to specific fields are also offered: **Master's programmes, advanced and professional development courses, continuing education courses** aimed at professional categories, as well as **Teacher Qualification and Training Courses**.

Master's Degree in LANGUAGES, LITERATURES AND DIGITAL CULTURE

Duration: 2 years

Administrative Headquarters: Verona

Language of instruction: English

International mobility programmes: Erasmus+; Worldwide Studies

Double degrees:

Universidade da Coruña (UDC) (Spain);

Université Grenoble Alpes (UGA) (France).

This international and interdisciplinary Master's programme offers advanced training in two foreign languages and their literatures, chosen from English, French, German, Russian, or Spanish. Courses are taught primarily in English, while language and literature subjects are delivered in their respective languages.

You will achieve C2 proficiency in both languages and develop interdisciplinary expertise in literary studies, philology, linguistics, digital humanities, and law.

The curricula blend traditional study with hands-on labs and workshops, focusing on language teaching methods and digital tools for the humanities.

Highlights include:

- International lecturers and seminars
- Study abroad and internship opportunities
- Double degrees options with international partners in Spain and France.

Graduates emerge with strong critical thinking, communication, and intercultural skills, well-prepared for careers in education, cultural institutions, publishing, or further academic research.

CURRICULA

- Digital culture
- Languages and Literatures



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Master's Degree in LANGUAGES FOR GLOBAL BUSINESS, TRADE, AND TOURISM

Duration: 2 years

Administrative Headquarters: Verona

Language of instruction: English

International mobility programmes: Erasmus+; Worldwide Studies.

Double degree: Universitat Jaume I (UJI) (Spain).

This international and interdisciplinary Master's program trains professionals with advanced language skills and strong organisational and managerial competencies, preparing them for high-level roles in the fields of international business, public and private organisations supporting internationalisation, tourism development agencies and tourism and hospitality enterprises.

Students develop advanced and near-native proficiency in two foreign languages and gain specialised training in languages for professional use - such as business, tourism, and intercultural communication. Language options include French, English, Spanish, German, Russian, and Chinese.

Alongside language mastery, the program offers in-depth study in management, marketing, and business administration, combined with cultural and methodological courses tailored to the tourism and commerce sectors.

With a curriculum grounded in faculty-led research and real-world applications, this Master's degree fosters critical thinking, intercultural competence, and a proactive, global mindset - essential for careers in today's international market.

CURRICULA

- Strategic Event Management and Tourism
- Global Markets and Trade



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Bachelor's Degree in LANGUAGES AND CULTURES FOR TOURISM AND INTERNATIONAL COMMERCE

Duration: 3 years

Administrative Headquarters: Verona

Language of instruction: Italian

International mobility programmes: Erasmus+; Worldwide Studies

Do you want to study foreign languages and acquire knowledge and skills for working in the fields of tourism or international business? This dynamic programme offers you the opportunity to develop strong linguistic and cultural skills in two foreign languages, alongside Italian. It also introduces you to the basics of how entrepreneurial and international organisations work, giving you a competitive edge in today's global job market.

As a graduate, you'll be prepared to:

- Communicate effectively and creatively in international and multicultural contexts, especially in business, tourism, and management.
- Work with written materials related to tourism and international trade in two languages of your choice and Italian.

- Navigate and manage real-world situations involving international tourism and cultural exchange with confidence and innovation.

Whether you are aiming for a career in travel, international business, intercultural management, or beyond, this degree equips you with the tools to succeed in a globalized world.

CURRICULA

- International Commerce
- Tourism



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Bachelor's Degree in LANGUAGES AND LITERATURES FOR PUBLISHING AND DIGITAL MEDIA

Duration: 3 years

Administrative Headquarters: Verona

Language of instruction: Italian

International mobility programmes: Erasmus+; Worldwide Studies

Are you passionate about languages, culture, and books—both traditional and digital? This innovative Bachelor's programme combines the study of foreign languages and literatures with in-depth training in the world of book publishing and digital humanities.

Through a multidisciplinary approach, the programme offers a rich, international learning environment where you'll develop advanced linguistic, literary, and cultural skills, while gaining a solid understanding of how publishing works in today's digital age.

The programme prepares you for careers in a variety of fields, including:

- Traditional and digital publishing
- Libraries, archives, and cultural institutions
- Editorial and communication roles in both national and international contexts

CURRICULA

- Digital Humanities
- Publishing



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Bachelor's Degree in FOREIGN LANGUAGES AND LITERATURES

Duration: 3 years

Administrative Headquarters: Verona

Language of instruction: Italian

International mobility programmes: Erasmus+; Worldwide Studies

Unlock the world through languages, literature, and culture. The Bachelor's degree in Foreign Languages and Literatures at the University of Verona offers you the chance to build strong multilingual skills and explore the richness of literary traditions across time and space.

This degree programme offers advanced study in two foreign languages within three areas of specialisation to acquire specific insights in the fields of linguistics and language teaching, arts and literatures and to tailor your studies to your interests and career goals.

Graduates are prepared for careers in translation, language consultancy, cultural services, and education, as well as further study in philology, literary studies, or language teaching.

CURRICULA

- Arts
- Foreign language teaching
- Literature



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Ph.D. Programme in FOREIGN LITERATURES AND LANGUAGES

This programme offers cutting-edge training for young scholars pursuing advanced research in literary and linguistic studies. Rooted in interdisciplinary methodologies and supported by the diverse expertise of our academic staff, the programme fosters the development of critical, theoretical, and digital research skills, preparing students to make an original and substantial contribution to knowledge.

Two Core Research Tracks

Foreign Literatures and Cultures

- Delve into literary works, movements, and theory from an interdisciplinary and intercultural perspective. Explore philological, historical, philosophical, aesthetic, and cultural dimensions, with opportunities to specialize in literary translation studies.

Foreign Languages and Translation

- Examine modern languages in all their diversity, focusing on linguistic variation, terminology, lexicology, and lexicography. Gain expertise in discourse analysis and contrastive linguistics.

The programme welcomes research projects related to multicultural and multilingual inclusivity, and offers dedicated scholarships as part of the Department's *Inclusive Humanities* project.

Doctoral students also receive training in Digital Humanities, gaining valuable tools to conduct independent, high-impact research in today's evolving academic and professional landscape.



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Ph.D. Programme in Linguistics

Embark on your doctoral journey with a truly international perspective: the Ph.D. Programme in Linguistics is a prestigious graduate programme jointly offered by the Universities of Verona and Bozen/Bolzano (Italy), and Marburg (Germany).

This partnership brings together world-class faculty, vibrant research communities, and a dynamic, multicultural environment.

Our programme stands out for its strong collaborations with renowned research institutions, such as Eurac Research, and local administrative bodies, including the Regional School Office for Veneto and the Autonomous Region of Trentino-Südtirol. These partnerships provide students with valuable opportunities to engage in impactful projects, particularly in the fields of cultural heritage and language policy.

While we welcome research in all areas of linguistics, our programme is distinguished by a clear thematic focus on topics shared among our three universities, in particular multilingualism, language contact and dialectology. Special emphasis is placed on Germanic and Romance languages, but our scope is broad and inclusive.

Our curriculum covers all aspects of linguistic analysis and specialized areas to provide our students with advanced research skills, a solid foundation in linguistic theory and methodology, and transferable skills for teaching, research, and beyond.

Whether your goal is to contribute to academic knowledge, influence language policy or apply linguistic insights in diverse professional settings, our programme provides the ideal foundation for your future success.



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A CITY OF TIMELESS HERITAGE

Nestled in a prime location in northern Italy, Verona is a city that seamlessly blends historical grandeur with modern vitality. Recognized as a UNESCO World Heritage Site since 2000, Verona boasts an extraordinary wealth of ancient, medieval, and Renaissance architecture that continues to shape the character of its beautifully preserved historical center.

Renowned for its high quality of life, Verona is a culturally vibrant and welcoming city that offers both residents and visitors a rich tapestry of experiences. Its strategic position places it at the crossroads of art, history, and nature: just at a short distance from the serene beauty of Lake Garda and the scenic Lessinia mountain range.

Verona: A City of Timeless Heritage and Strategic Charm



IMMERSING YOURSELF IN VERONA

Verona is conveniently connected to some of Italy's most iconic cultural capitals—including Venice, Milan, Bologna, and Florence—making it an ideal base for exploring the artistic and architectural treasures of the region.

Whether you are drawn by its historical legacy, lively cultural scene, or picturesque surroundings, Verona offers international scholars and students a unique and enriching environment in which to live, teach, study, and explore the heart of Italy.





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