

DUAL DEGREE with ROYAL ROADS UNIVERSITY (Victoria- British Columbia CANADA)

MOBILITY DURING THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2023-2024

ONLY FOR STUDENTS ENROLLED IN THE BACHELOR'S DEGREE IN COMUNICAZIONE D'IMPRESA E RELAZIONI
PUBBLICHE/ CORPORATE COMMUNICATION AND PUBLIC RELATIONS

Deadline for submitting applications online:

Opening date: 18/12/2023 at 10.00 a.m.

Closing date: 12/01/2024 at 5.00 p.m.

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

Royal Roads University (<https://www.royalroads.ca>) offers a fee-paying dual degree program that allows students currently enrolled in the *Corporate Communication and Public Relations* degree (Italian or English curriculum) to attend an intensive year, from September to August, at the Canadian partner university. Students will leave in their third year obtaining, upon passing the required 60 Canadian credits (equivalent to 120 ECTS), a bachelor's degree in "Professional Communication": <https://www.royalroads.ca/iulm-university>

RRU recognizes the 120 credits earned at IULM in the first two years of the degree course. During the year at RRU, unlike semester-long mobilities that allow free choice within the partner's educational offerings, IULM students will follow the specific intensive study plan of the BA in Professional Communication at RRU. Upon return, students will have to carry out their dissertation in IULM to obtain the Italian degree.

Considering the technical process time for recognition of activities carried out abroad, it cannot be guaranteed that students can graduate in the graduation session of November.

The cost for attending the year at RRU is currently of C\$ 45.890, corresponding to approximately 31.500 euros. The updated fees for the academic year 2024/25 will be announced from June 2024.

The program allows the students to apply for a 3-year work permit in Canada: [post-graduate work permit](#)

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

The initiative is open to students enrolled **for the year 2023/2024 in the 2nd year of the Bachelor's degree in Corporate Communication and Public Relations** (both Italian and English curricula), meeting the following requirements:

- Acquire the 120 credits expected for the first two years by the July 2024 session
- Mean of 24/30 till departure
- Certified knowledge of the English language (see "Language Requirements")
- Students who have already spent one semester abroad cannot apply for the program

LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS

Students are required to submit one of the following language certificates, obtained no more than two years prior to departure (September 2024):

IELTS-Academic: 6.5 with 6.5 in writing and speaking and 6.0 in listening and reading

TOEFL-iBT: 88 with 24 in writing and 20 in listening, reading and speaking
PTE-A: 60 with 60 in writing and speaking and 58 in listening and reading
DET: 115 with 110 for literacy, comprehension and conversation and 115 for production

SUBMISSION OF APPLICATION

Students can apply from their personal “Segreteria Online” webpage, under “Bandi di Mobilità”, uploading the language certificate.

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After the closing date, candidates who meet the admission requirements will have to:

- confirm the assigned destination;
- fill in the application form for Royal Roads University according to the information received by the partner university. The final acceptance of the student is at the discretion of the host university;
- after receiving the provisional letter of offer from Royal Roads University, apply for the Study Permit that allows students to study in Canada.

PROGRAM

Students will spend the whole third year at Royal Roads University – Canada, attending the bachelor degree in “Professional Communication” from September 2024 to August 2025.

Upon return, the students will have their third year recognized in their academic career and they will complete their studies at IULM by taking their dissertation.

FEES AND FINANCIAL CONTRIBUTIONS

The cost of the program is updated every year by Royal Roads University. For the current academic year, tuition fees (excluding costs for travel, food and accommodation) are of C\$ 45.890 (approximately 31.500 euros) at the date of publication of the Regulation)

Students who participate in the Dual Degree program are granted partial exemption of 50% (fifty) on the university tuition fees due for the academic year 2024/2025, regardless of the assigned contribution bracket.

BORSE INTEGRATIVE REGIONALI (REGIONAL SUPPLEMENTARY GRANTS): IULM RIGHT TO STUDY OFFICE

Students applying for the 2024/25 regional scholarship at the IULM Fees, Contributions, and Right to Study Office may apply concurrently for an additional regional “Supplementary Grant for International Mobility”. Therefore, interested students are invited to contact the appropriate office - email: dirittoallostudio@iulm.it.

DATA PROTECTION

All personal data transmitted by applicants with the application for participation in the Exchange program are processed under EU Reg. 2016/679.

Participation in the Call implies acceptance of the privacy policy; the text of the specific privacy policy for participation in international mobility calls is available on the IULM website at the following link: https://bit.ly/IULM_mobintprivacy

INSURANCE COVERAGE

The student benefits from civil liability and accident insurance coverage during the stay abroad, limited to the period of academic activities and in compliance with the legal and administrative provisions of the home and host countries. The University has signed Civil Liability insurance with QBE EUROPE SA/NV Company: policy no. 0740000026 and Accident Insurance with GENERALI Italia Company (formerly INA Assitalia) - policy no. 360029587 - Master Policy 350036808.

The student will have to subscribe health insurance coverage for the period he/she will spend abroad.

IULM University has signed an agreement with AON Insurance Company for students who wish to purchase a supplementary policy covering health care, travel, and accommodation: <https://www.aonstudentinsurance.com/students/it/>.

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