

Credit System:

Italian universities adopt the CFU (University Educational Credit – *Crediti Formativi Universitari*) system as an assessment of the workload required for each course and module. The average workload per year for a full time student is 60 credits. Therefore normally 30 credits correspond to one semester.

CFU credits are equivalent to ECTS credits. 1 CFU = 1 ECTS

Grading:

IULM University applies the Italian national grading scale, i.e. marks are given in numbers over 30 (in thirtieths). The student who passes an exam will be awarded a mark **ranging from a minimum of 18/30 to a maximum of 30/30**. Any mark lower than 18/30 is a fail.

A student who passes an exam with an excellent result may be awarded **30/30 e lode** (*cum laude* – with honours).

30 e lode	Excellent with distinction
30	Excellent
29 - 28	Very good
27 - 24	Good
23 – 20	Satisfactory
19 - 18	Sufficient