

FINE ARTS ACADEMY OF BOLOGNA

INFORMATION SHEET 2023-2024

Institutional information

Name of the Institution	Accademia di Belle Arti di Bologna Fine Arts Academy of Bologna
Country	Italy
Erasmus Code	I BOLOGNA 03
Eche	https://www.ababo.it/cultural-heritage/erasmus-relazioni-internazionali/ about-us
Website	www.ababo.it
Head of the Institution	Prof.ssa Cristina Francucci (Director)

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Website	https://www.ababo.it/cultural-heritage/erasmus-relazioni-internazionali

Information for exchange students and applications

Application deadlines	15 June 2023 for the first semester or the full year
	15 November 2023 for the second semester
	by e-mail to erasmus@ababo.it
	acceptance : each student will receive an individual letter of acceptance by e-mail within 2 weeks after the deadline
No application for	Restoration (five-year course) The new course has very limited places
Application Form	Required (info: https://www.ababo.it/cultural-heritage/erasmus-relazioni-internazionali/
	incoming-students)
Portfolio	Required
Letter of motivation	Required
Admission criteria	Applicants will be selected on the basis of
	A) their portfolio/application evidence and subject
	B) balance between incoming/outgoing students (reciprocity of exchanges).
Attention!!	All classes in Italian



Academic information

Academic Calendar	First Semester
2023-2024	from 9.10.2023 to 24.02.2024
	Lessons: from 9.10.2023 to 27.01.2024.
PROVISIONAL (to be approved)	Exams: after the end of the lessons, from 5.02.2024 to 24.02.2024
	Second Semester
	from 4.03.2024 to 14.07.2024
	Lessons: from 4.03.2024 to 15.06.2024 + OPEN TOUR (17-22.06.2024)
	Exams: after the end of the lessons, from 24.06.2024 to 14.07.2024
Credit System	ECTS
Grading System	30L/30 (excellent) > 18/30 (pass, 17/30 is fail)
	ECTS grading table of the Fine Arts Academy of Bologna:
	https://www.ababo.it/cultural-heritage/erasmus-relazioni-internazionali/inco-
	ming-students
Recommended language skills	Student mobility for study
	Minimum ITALIAN level A1. It's also recommended ENGLISH level A2
	For Theoretical classes (Art History, Aesthetics) Minimum IT level B1
	Staff mobility for Teaching
	ENGLISH level B2 or ITALIAN level B1
Additional requirements	Exchange students are invited to attend Italian classes in Bologna, they
	will be co-funded by the Fine Arts Academy.

THE FINE ARTS ACADEMY OF BOLOGNA. STUDY INFORMATION

Highter Education in Italy. Arts Degrees awarded:

- Bachelor of Arts 3 years (180 ECTS) > <u>Triennio</u>, first cycle
- Master of Arts (120 ECTS) > <u>Biennio</u>, second cycle

The Italian University and Academic system is based on 3 + 2 years (BA + MA)

Departments at the Fine Arts Academy of Bologna

- Visual Arts (Fine Arts: Painting, Sculpture, Printmaking, Decoration)
- **Applied Arts** (Comics, illustration, Photography, Cinema and Video, Fashion, Graphic Design, Product Design Theatre Design)
- Communication and Art Education
- **Restoration** (five year-course): no student exchange (for the national rules of this study cycle)



COURSE CATALOGUE

Course catalogue 2022 (validated also for 2023-2024): https://www.ababo.it/cultural-herita-ge/erasmus-relazioni-internazionali/incoming-students

> how to choose the classes

For the Erasmus/International mobility students, it's possible to choose classes in different Departments, degrees and years. Guest students are invited to organize a personal plan of the studies, in the learning agreement before the arrival in Bologna and with some changes, during, in Bologna.

*For the required skills' level of the classes it's important to meet the teacher, with a portfolio.

> classes and languages

Art classes are mainly practical classes, but in all the Degree Courses are offered theoretical classes (Aesthetics, Art History, Anthropology, Semiotic, and others). The teaching language is Italian: a basic knowledge of Italian is recommended for the art classes, where English is also in use for many teachers, but a higher level of Italian (intermediate or advanced) is required for the theoretical classes.

> credits

Classes assigning 12 or 10 credits are the main yearly classes in each Degree Course: guest students attending for one semester only will receive half of the credits (6 or 5). Classes assigning 6 or 8 credits are held for one semester. Some of them are scheduled in the first semester only, some others in the second semester only, but few classes are held in both semesters. At the beginning of the academic year the time table (ORARI DELLE LEZIONI) published here: *https://www.ababo.it/courses-and-subjects/frequentare* shows what scheduled in the first semester.