

**FIRST ANNOUNCEMENT FOR ADMISSIONS
FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2019 - 2020
Deadline: 15th July 2019**

THE RESIDENCE

The Collegio Universitario Luigi Lucchini di Brescia is a modern hall of residence, recognized by the Italian Ministry of Education, University and Research as a "University College of Merit".

It is a centre of excellence for the training of university students, who will be admitted after a careful selection process based on merit and motivation.

With a specific cultural program complementary to their academic training, together with the experience of community life in college, the residents will be able to develop and improve their personal, intellectual and professional skills.

It is supported and managed by a Foundation established for this purpose and its founder members are the Università degli Studi di Brescia and Fondazione Lucchini.

THE TRAINING AND CULTURAL PROJECT

The training and cultural Project of the Collegio, aimed at developing its students' talent and enhancing their aspirations, is based on the values of individual responsibility and respect for others. The cultural activities offered are: training courses, forums, language courses, laboratories, meetings with guest speakers, interdisciplinary projects, concerts, theatre and guided visits.

THE BUILDING AND ITS SERVICES

The new building has accommodation for 54 students in single and twin-bedded rooms – weekly cleaning service included.

There are: library and study rooms equipped for group work, an auditorium, a common laundry room for student use with washing machines and dryers, wireless internet connections throughout the building, communal kitchen, cafeteria and recreation room, fitness room, internal car park. Special prices are offered for use of a nearby swimming pool.

PLACES BY SELECTION

For the academic year 2019 – 2020, the Foundation Collegio Universitario di Brescia is offering **4 places** for male and female students. More places will be available from September - a second announcement will be published.

The places are allocated on the result of a selection process as follows.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Students from Italy and other countries may apply for admission. Applications are welcome from those who:

> intend to enroll for the academic year 2019-20 in a first-year degree course at the Università degli Studi di Brescia, having passed the school leaving exam (e.g. maturità, A levels) with a mark of 85/100 (approximately) or equivalent;

> are currently students at the Università degli Studi di Brescia on a degree course (laurea triennale, ciclo unico or magistrale) and, at the time of application have all their curriculum and exams up-to-date, as stipulated in their study plan. Their average mark must be 27/30 (approximately) or more.

ADMISSION PROCEDURE

After consultation with the Admissions Board and considering the results of the admission tests, the Board of Directors will give their approval to the classification list of suitable candidates and the places will be allocated.

The Admissions Board is made up of the College Principal and at least 3 other members. Along with the Cultural Committee Coordinator, it decides on the procedures and times for the selection.

Written test

The written test consists of an essay on a general subject. The aim is to understand the student's ability of thought and expression and his/her interdisciplinary skill.

The Exam will take place

on July 17th 2019, at 9.30 a.m. at the Collegio Universitario Luigi Lucchini.

The exam result will be given as a mark out of ten.

Oral test on General Knowledge

This is aimed at understanding the candidate's basic, general knowledge and his/her ability of expression.

The exam result will be given as a mark out of ten.

Interview to understand the candidate's personality and motivations

The interview is aimed at getting to know the candidate and to understand his/her attitude to living in a community, to find out his/her motivations for studying and his/her willingness to participate in the Collegio's training activities.

The interview result will be given as a mark out of ten.

The two oral tests will take place on July 19th 2019. An email will be sent to the candidate confirming the exact time of the tests.

Extraordinary requests to change the date and time of the interview could be evaluated according to each case.

HOW THE CLASSIFICATION TABLE IS FORMED

After the results of all the written and oral tests, the Admissions Board awards up to 20 points for the applicant's curriculum and academic record.

The final classification is the sum of all the marks in the written and oral tests plus the points awarded from the applicant's curriculum and academic record.

Candidates with a mark of 35/50 and above will be considered suitable. They will be admitted to the Collegio in order of classification until all available places are filled.

Candidates will be notified of the result by e-mail (at their address given).

Re-admission to the College will be renewed annually, according to the conditions stipulated in the Rules and regulations.

ADMISSION FORMS AND DEADLINES

The first announcement for admissions closes at 6 p.m. on July 15th, 2019.

Candidates intending to apply must:

- fill in the online personal information sheet (preliminary enrolment form);
- fill in the admission form which can be downloaded from www.collegiodibrescia.it;
- attach the following documents to the form:
 - 1 for candidates who are not yet enrolled for a university course, a copy of the school leaving exam certificate (maturità, A levels etc..) or official document issued by the High School where the exam was taken.
 - 2 for candidates already enrolled at university (degree course), a copy of a certificate from the university registrar's office (Esse3) showing the up-to-date results of all exams taken, with the overall average mark of 27 or more. For graduate candidates, a copy of the degree certificate/diploma with final evaluation;
 - 3 if the candidate has a scholarship, he/she must indicate this on the admission form and attach documents indicating the student's economic situation (and/or economic situation of the student's family).

Candidates must fill in, sign and send the downloaded admission form plus the required documents:

- a) by email to the address info@collegiounibs.it (if by chance the candidates does not receive an email reply from the College, they should get in touch with the Secretary);
- b) by hands to the Secretary, from Monday to Friday, from 9.30 to 12.30 am;

All applications received after the closing date will not be considered.

ANNUAL FEES AND SCHOLARSHIPS

The annual fee is for the accommodation, the facilities and the cultural project. The maximum monthly fee for the year 2019-20 is € 550 (x 11 months = € 6.050,00 for the whole year); on the basis of the applicant's financial situation, the board can award scholarships.

A student requesting a scholarship must fill in the relevant space in the application form and attach documents indicating her/his economic situation (and/or economic situation of the student's family).

Please contact the Secretary for any further information.

DOCUMENT CONTROL

The Collegio reserves the right to control all documents presented.

ACCEPTANCE

Candidates will be sent the results by e-mail.

Once the place has been accepted, candidates must adhere to the admission's Rules and regulations.

Warning

Failure to present documents within the deadline date or the presentation of false documents will result in exclusion.

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The Secretary is available for any assistance

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