



## UNIPD Double Degree testimonials: students' success stories



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#### Something about me

I am an archaeologist and archaeometrist with a strong international background, specializing in the study of ancient artefacts and their production processes. I graduated in Archaeology from the University of Padua and completed a Double Master's degree in Archaeometry between Padua and Université Bordeaux Montaigne. My academic journey has been enriched by practical experience, including participation in numerous archaeological excavations in Italy and laboratory analysis. For my Master's thesis, I focused on bone working processes in historical periods, combining traceological, technological, and functional analyses with chemical and physical studies to explore how artefacts change over time. This multidisciplinary approach involved research, excavation, and analysis to offer a comprehensive understanding of the subject. My research aims to apply this integrated approach to the study, conservation, and enhancement of ceramic artefacts, blending scientific innovation with a deep passion for archaeology.

#### About my UNIPD Experience

##### What do you like the most about the degree programme? Would you recommend it?

I really enjoyed the degree programme because it allowed me to explore aspects of archaeology often overlooked, such as the chemical and physical properties of materials. I would highly recommend this program to other students who are interested in gaining a deeper and more comprehensive perspective on archaeology.

##### What are the main features of your double degree program?

It's a combined theoretical and practical training programme, exploring archaeology and archaeometry. It focuses on the study of ancient materials and production processes, with a strong interdisciplinary approach. It also offered hands-on experience through archaeological excavations and laboratory work, allowing me to apply theoretical knowledge in real-world settings. The collaboration between the two universities provided exposure to different teaching methods and research environments, enhancing my academic and professional growth.

*"Two Universities, two perspectives, one passion for archaeology – opening doors to a world of opportunities"*

##### What is the added value in participating in these kind of programmes (academic and private)?

Provided numerous and valuable networking opportunities, as well as opening more doors to international job positions and research collaborations. This unique experience has been instrumental in expanding both my professional network and my ability to contribute to global research projects.