



UNIVERSITÀ
DEGLI STUDI
DI PADOVA

**Admission notice
Academic Year 2019-2020**

School of Psychology

Qualification and interview-based selection for the First-cycle/Bachelor's degree course taught in English in "Psychological Science"

Class L-24 – Psychological science

School of Agricultural Sciences and Veterinary Medicine

Qualification and interview-based selection for the First-cycle/Bachelor's degree course taught in English in "Animal Care"

Class L-38 - Livestock Sciences and Animal production technologies

1. ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

To be eligible for admission¹ to the 1st year of course, applicants are required to:

- 1) have earned a secondary school leaving qualification or other qualification awarded abroad which is acknowledged as valid for admission to university according to the regulations in place, by **31st July 2019**;
- 2) have taken the S.A.T. Reasoning Test (<https://sat.collegeboard.org/home>), as specified in the course information sheet provided for in annex 1 or, in case of foreign students residing abroad, to be available for a Skype interview;
- 3) fill in and submit the online pre-enrolment application form (section 2 of this notice) in time.

As from Academic Year 2019/20 it is possible to take the S.A.T. test at the Department of General Psychology of the University of Padova by selecting it in the list of official test centers available at <https://sat.collegeboard.org/home>.

Information on academic transfer credit evaluation will be available from June at <http://www.unipd.it/domanda-valutazione>.

2. ONLINE REGISTRATION, PRE-ENROLMENT AND DOCUMENTS TO BE UPLOADED

2.1 Registration

To log on to the https://uniweb.unipd.it/Home.do?cod_lingua=eng portal, candidates with no credentials first need to register by going to

https://uniweb.unipd.it/AddressBook/ABStartProcessoRegAction.do;jsessionid=3942D1047AA9098FD58208B0731958D2.jvm3c?cod_lingua=eng.

At the end of the registration process each candidate will be emailed a username and activation code. The candidate will then need to go to <https://uniweb.unipd.it/password/index.php/en/utenti/identifica/azione/a>, choose three security questions and set a password.

Your username and password will then need to be used to log on to and access the registered area of the https://uniweb.unipd.it/Home.do?cod_lingua=eng portal.

2.2 Pre-enrolment application and documents to be uploaded

The pre-enrolment application form must be filled in **from 9th January to 12.00 local time (GMT + 1) of 28th February 2019** by logging on to the reserved area of the https://uniweb.unipd.it/Home.do?cod_lingua=eng portal.

After logging in, candidates need to click on *Home* → *Admission Test* → *Proceed with a new pre-enrolment* → *Pre-enrolment for limited places courses* → *Course Type: 'First cycle degree'*, select the degree course they are interested in and proceed until final confirmation.

To assess candidates' qualifications and award them a score for the merit list, candidates **must** upload the following documents:

- curriculum vitae written in English which includes any experiences that may be relevant for their application;
- cover letter in English;
- SAT score report with a score greater or equal to 1500 (50%) for the score scale up to 2400 or a score greater or equal to 1000 (50%) for the score scale up to 1600 (newly revised SAT); this certification is mandatory only for EU citizens and non-EU citizens legally residing in Italy;
- copy of an ID document (ID card or passport);
- copy of the residence permit to stay in Italy for non-EU citizens already residing in Italy.

At the end of the pre-enrolment process, candidates need to pay the € 30.00 pre-enrolment fee through the PagoPA system (instructions available at <https://www.unipd.it/modalit-pagamento-pagopa>).

Candidates will be required to submit further documents during the enrolment stage; detailed information is available at <http://www.unipd.it/iscrizioni-studenti-internazionali>.

¹ Activation of the first year of the degree courses depends on accreditation pursuant to Ministerial Decree 987 of 12/12/16 and until the minimum number of pre-enrolments is reached. If the degree courses are not accredited or the number of pre-enrolment applications is less than minimum number, the degree courses will not be activated. All information on course activation will be published at <http://www.unipd.it>

For further information or queries, candidates may contact the **University Call Centre**, available from **Monday to Friday, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. local time (GMT + 1)** at **0039-0498273131** or write to international.admission@unipd.it.

Students with disability or specific learning disability (SLD) may contact the university Student Service Office – Inclusion (<http://www.unipd.it/en/students-special-needs>) to report any special needs they may have or to enquire about tuition fee reductions and services available for support in relation to class attendance.

3. PUBLICATION OF MERIT LISTS

Criteria used to assess qualifications and draw up merit lists are specified in the degree course information sheet in annex 1.

Starting on **9th April 2019** three merit lists, one for each Degree Course, will be published at <http://www.unipd.it/graduatorie-ammissione> and <http://www.unipd.it/en/assessment-results>.

More specifically:

- one for EU and non-EU citizens legally residing in Italy, based on their SAT score;
- one for non-EU citizens residing abroad;
- one for Chinese students on the Marco Polo programme.

Admission of foreign candidates or candidates with foreign qualifications is granted pending verification of their qualifications, their graduation - if not already completed - and submission of the documents listed at <http://www.unipd.it/en/how-apply>.

Merit lists will be advertised along with the results for scholarships and tuition-fee waivers as described in section 4, in addition to how to accept the place won and possible economic benefits awarded.

To ensure lessons can start regularly, all winning foreign students must arrive in Italy and be regularly enrolled at the University of Padova and have all the documents ready for admission by 31st October 2019.

4. SCHOLARSHIPS AND OTHER FINANCIAL AID

Thanks to the ***Padova International Excellence Scholarships Programme***, the University of Padova will be offering scholarships to highly talented prospective international students holding a non-Italian qualification and wishing to pursue a Bachelor's or a Master's degree completely held in English.

The **Call for applications**, including detailed information on eligibility requirements and selection procedure, will be available on page: <http://www.unipd.it/en/scholarships>. Please note that there will be no separate application to fill out or additional specific documents to submit.

Information on **other Scholarship opportunities** offered by the University of Padova or other organizations is available on: <http://www.unipd.it/en/scholarships>.

Moreover, the University of Padova offers **up to 100 fee-waivers** to talented prospective international students holding a non-Italian qualification wishing to enroll in a Degree course completely held in English.

Detailed information will be available in the Call for applications, which is going to be published on: <http://www.unipd.it/en/feewaivers>. Please note that there will be no separate application to fill out or additional specific documents to submit.

Information on **other types of fee-waivers** offered by the University of Padova is provided on page: <http://www.unipd.it/en/fee-waivers>

Padova, 20/12/2018

The Rector
Prof. Rosario Rizzuto

ANNEX 1 – DEGREE COURSE INFORMATION SHEETS

SCHOOL OF PSYCHOLOGY “PSYCHOLOGICAL SCIENCE”

PLACES AVAILABLE

- 55 places available for EU and non-EU citizens legally residing in Italy
- 35 places available for non-EU citizens residing abroad; of these, 4 places are reserved for Chinese students on the Marco Polo Programme.

Should not all places be filled with this selection, a second selection process will be activated for all candidates with a S.A.T. test. In this case the merit list will be based on the score got in the S.A.T. test

ADMISSION TO THE SELECTION PROCESS

Applicants who meet the following requirements may attend the selection process:

- they must have earned or will earn, by 31st July 2019, a secondary school leaving qualification or other qualification earned abroad which is acknowledged as valid for admission to university according to the regulations in place
- they must have taken the S.A.T. Reasoning Test (<https://sat.collegeboard.org/home>) and have the final certificate by 28 February 2019.

Information on test dates, types of test, preparation advice, test centers and cost is available at <https://sat.collegeboard.org/home>. Only candidates with a score greater or equal to 1500 (50%) for the score scale up to 2400 or a SAT-revised score greater or equal to 1000 (50%) for the score scale up to 1600 (newly revised SAT) are admitted to the selection process. Please note that only the SAT test is taken into consideration for admission; the Essay is not required.

Only non-EU students not residing in Italy may opt for a **Skype interview with the assessment commission**, if they haven't taken the SAT test. However, priority will be given to candidates with a SAT test score.

N.B. If a candidate has dual citizenship, the Italian one shall prevail (L. 31 May 1995, no. 218 art. 19).

CRITERIA FOR THE MERIT LISTS

Three different merit lists will be drawn up:

- one for EU and non-EU citizens legally residing in Italy based on their SAT score;
- one for non-EU citizens residing abroad and one for Chinese citizens on the Marco Polo programme; priority will be given to candidates with a valid SAT score who enter the merit list depending on their score; candidates with a Skype interview will follow depending on their score. The commission will award them a score in percentage which is the sum of the following assessments:
 - language and communication skills (up to 20 points)
 - academic curriculum and curriculum vitae (up to 20 points);
 - proven knowledge (up to 20 points);
 - answers to specific questions (up to 20 points);
 - motivation for attending the course (up to 20 points).

Only candidates with a minimum score of 60/100 after the interview will enter the merit list.

Should more candidates have the same score, the youngest candidate will be given priority in all merit lists.

Link for further information on the degree course: www.unipd.it/en/psychological-science

For general enquiries about the course, please contact: cdlpsy.dpg@unipd.it

SCUOLA DI AGRARIA E MEDICINA VETERINARIA ANIMAL CARE – TUTELA DEL BENESSERE ANIMALE

PLACES AVAILABLE

- 35 places available for EU and non-EU citizens legally residing in Italy
- 8 places available for non-EU citizens residing abroad; of these, 1 place is reserved for Chinese students on the Marco Polo Programme.

Should not all places be filled with this selection, a second selection process will take place requiring a test done in English and to be held in Padova.

ADMISSION TO THE SELECTION PROCESS

Applicants who meet the following requirements may attend the selection process:

- they must have earned or will earn, by 31st July 2019, a secondary school leaving qualification or other qualification earned abroad which is acknowledged as valid for admission to university according to the regulations in place
- they must have taken the S.A.T. Reasoning Test (<https://sat.collegeboard.org/home>) and have the final certificate by 28 February 2019.

Information on test dates, types of test, preparation advice, test centers and cost is available at <https://sat.collegeboard.org/home>. Only candidates with a score greater or equal to 1500 (50%) for the score scale up to 2400 or a SAT-revised score greater or equal to 1000 (50%) for the score scale up to 1600 (newly revised SAT) are admitted to the selection process. Please note that only the SAT test is taken into consideration for admission; the Essay is not required.

Only non-EU students not residing in Italy may opt for a **Skype interview with the assessment commission**, if they haven't taken the SAT test. However, priority will be given to candidates with a SAT test score.

N.B. If a candidate has dual citizenship, the Italian one shall prevail (L. 31 May 1995, no. 218 art. 19).

CRITERIA FOR THE MERIT LISTS

Three different merit lists will be drawn up:

- one for EU and non-EU citizens legally residing in Italy based on their SAT score; **should candidates have the same merit, the CV and the cover letter will be taken into account. If they still have the same merit, the youngest candidate will be given priority;**

- one for non-EU citizens residing abroad and one for Chinese citizens on the Marco Polo programme; priority will be given to candidates with a valid SAT score who enter the merit list depending on their score; candidates with a Skype interview will follow depending on their score. The commission will award them a score in percentage which is the sum of the following assessments:

- language and communication skills (up to 20 points)
- academic curriculum and curriculum vitae (up to 20 points);
- proven knowledge (up to 20 points);
- answers to specific questions (up to 20 points);
- reason for attending the course (up to 20 points).

Only candidates with a minimum score of 60/100 after the interview will enter the merit list.

Should more candidates have the same score, the youngest candidate will be given priority in all merit lists.

Link for further information on the degree course: <http://www.unipd.it/en/animal-care>

For general enquiries about the course, please contact: cdl.animalcare@unipd.it