

Admission Test for the MsC in Management, Economics and Finance

Academic Year 2025/2026

The test is necessary for all students. The only excluded are students who have a Bachelor in Economic Subjects in Italy. Only in this case please check the version of Admission test in Italian language.

Candidates holding a foreign qualification must take the admission test, subject to verification of the curricular requirement. Considering the time required for visa procedures, a specific process with a dedicated test date is provided for non-EU students who are not residing in Italy.

Date and place of the Admission Test

For the Academic Year 2025-26, the dates and times of the Skills Assessment Test, which will be conducted online, are scheduled as follows. The times differ for the three curricula: Finance, Economics, and Marketing & Operations Management.

DATE RESERVED FOR NON-EU STUDENTS NOT RESIDING IN ITALY who have passed the pre admission evaluation

• May 30, 2025:

9:00 AM – Economics

10:30 AM – Finance (in English)

12:00 PM – Marketing and Operations Management

Applications for the Skills Assessment Test can be submitted until **Friday, May 23, 2025, at 11:59 PM.**

DATES FOR EU STUDENTS OR STUDENTS RESIDING IN ITALY

• September 8, 2025:

9:00 AM – Economics

10:30 AM – Finance (in English)

12:00 PM – Marketing and Operations Management

Applications for the Skills Assessment Test can be submitted until **Monday, September 1, 2025, at 11:59 PM.**

• December 9, 2025:

9:00 AM – Economics

10:30 AM – Finance (in English)

12:00 PM – Marketing and Operations Management

Applications for the Skills Assessment Test can be submitted until **Tuesday, December 2, 2025, at 11:59 PM.**

Students may take the test only once (they may register for only one test session).

If a student is legally residing in Italy, they may take the Admission Test even if they have not yet graduated. The Admission Test for the Finance curriculum will be conducted entirely in English.

Failure to attend the test on the scheduled date, time, and place will be considered as a withdrawal from the test, regardless of the reason or circumstance that caused the absence.

Test registration

Applications for the admission test may be submitted on Infobox by registering by the deadline indicated above.

The student can register on the following site <https://www.studenti.uniupo.it/>: by clicking on 'Menu' in the top right-hand corner, the student can proceed to 'Register' on the site and then finalise registration for the admission test

The screenshot shows the top navigation bar of the Uniupo website. On the left is the logo 'UPO UNIVERSITÀ DEL PIEMONTE ORIENTALE'. On the right is the 'Esse3' logo. Below the logo is a navigation menu with the following items: 'Area Riservata', 'Registrazione', 'Login', 'Password dimenticata', 'Guida', 'Esami', and 'Accreditamento Aziende'. The 'Registrazione' item is highlighted.

At this link, then you can register to the exams itself here https://www.studenti.uniupo.it/Didattica/ElencoConcorsi.do?jsessionid=DBCFF1B762FDAD91073FD7973140C656D.esse3-unipmn-prod-01?tipo_corso=VAL

And then by clicking here (if you chose the curriculum Finance in English):

The screenshot shows the 'Elenco concorsi' page on the Uniupo website. The page title is 'Elenco concorsi'. Below the title is a filter section: 'Elenco dei concorsi per la tipologia selezionata.' and 'Filtra per Corso di Studio: Tutti'. The page lists two exam entries for 'Corso di Laurea Magistrale'. The first entry is 'Test di ammissione Management e Finanza - curriculum Finanza-luglio'. Below it is a table with two columns: 'Corso di studio' and 'Posti'. The first row of the table has '140 - MANAGEMENT E FINANZA' in the first column and 'Nessun limite' in the second column. The second entry is 'Test di ammissione Management e Finanza - curriculum Marketing and Operations Management - luglio'. Below it is another table with the same structure: '1407 - MANAGEMENT E FINANZA' and 'Nessun limite'. At the bottom left of the page is a blue button labeled 'Indietro'.

When registering online, applicants must indicate that they intend to apply for admission to the Master's Degree Course in "Management and Finance" and specify the curriculum they would like to apply for, choosing it from those available: "Finance", "Economics", "Marketing and Operations Management".

When registering online, candidates with disabilities or specific learning disorders (DSA) may attach any disability certification.

Incomplete documentation will not be taken into consideration in any way.

Non-EU Students Not Legally Residing in Italy

Non-EU students who are not legally residing in Italy must follow these steps to access the Skills Assessment Test:

1. **Submit the pre-selection application** through the dedicated link published on the department website, no later than **Friday, May 9, 2025**. The Program Director, with the support of the test committee and administrative offices, will carry out a preliminary evaluation of the applicant's academic background and its relevance to the chosen Master's Degree program. The outcome of this evaluation, whether positive or negative, will be communicated to the applicant via email. Admission to the Skills Assessment Test is conditional upon receiving a positive evaluation.
2. **Register correctly on the University portal.**
3. **Register for the test** via the portal <https://www.studenti.uniupo.it/> (see the "Test Registration" section).

More details are available at this [link](#).

Topics and methods of assessment

The test consists of 30 multiple choice questions on different disciplinary topics: among the four possible answers, only one is correct. The questions will focus on topics that are part of the minimum knowledge necessary to successfully complete the Master's Degree courses. The questions are specific for each curriculum (please also see the Syllabus for more details on the specific contents).

Finance Curriculum (in English)

- 10 questions in the areas of Mathematics and Statistics
- 10 questions on Financial Literacy
- 10 questions in the areas of Economics, Business, and Law

Marketing and Operations Management (MOM) Curriculum

- 10 questions in the areas of Mathematics and Statistics
- 10 questions in the area of Business and Management
- 10 questions in the areas of Economics and Law

Economics Curriculum

- 10 questions in the areas of Mathematics and Statistics
- 10 questions in Microeconomics
- 10 questions in Macroeconomics

The admission test is in Italian, but may include some questions on the above topics formulated in English.

The duration of the exam is 60 minutes.

The score will be determined as follows: +1 point for the correct answer; 0 points for the omitted or canceled or incorrect answer. There are therefore no penalties for incorrect answers. The written test is considered passed if, for **each** subject area, at least 4 questions are answered correctly (for a total of at least 12 correct answers).

The results of the test will lead to the following possible outcomes:

1. **Admitted.**
2. **Admitted to Interview.** The Test Committee may request a supplementary interview, relating to the knowledge on which the admission test is based, during which the curricular path will also be evaluated (e.g. the number of CFU obtained in the various disciplinary areas and the relative average grades, any skills acquired in the professional field and the candidate's motivations).
3. **Not admitted.**

At the end of the evaluation process, admitted students will be able to enroll to the MSc Degree in Management. If admitted, non-EU students not residing in Italy will be issued a formal admission letter.

Contents of the test

The *syllabus* presents in details the topics who are object of the evaluation test, along with suggested readings for the various subject areas. It is available at the following link: [Syllabus](#)

Candidates with disabilities or specific learning disorders (DSA).

For the purposes of correctly carrying out the test under equal conditions:

Candidates in possession of a disability certification (Law 104/92 and subsequent amendments) or a certification of disability with a percentage equal to or greater than 50% must indicate, at the time when submitting the online registration application, the need to have particular aids during the admission test and/or additional time (50% or more), if necessary. These candidates must provide medical documentation certifying the invalidity/disability (not with omissis).

It should be noted that Special Educational Needs certifications do not allow the request for supports, as they are not recognized by current legislation relating to the university path.

The **Test Committee**, which is responsible for the decision regarding the acceptance of each request, can eventually rely on **the support of technical experts** to evaluate the validity of the certifications produced and the adequacy of the request for supports and/or additional time.

Candidates in possession of a **Specific Learning Disability (DSA)** certification pursuant to Law 170/2010, at the time of submitting the online application, must indicate their needs which can include:

- additional time (up to 30% more) for carrying out the test;
- non-scientific calculator;
- the use of a PC for word processing and spelling correction of the text (only if the contents and methods of the test make it necessary to prepare a free text);
- the help of a reader who reads the test questions to the candidate;
- a video magnifier (the Test Committee may alternatively grant a Reader).

These candidates are required to **attach the Specific Learning Disability certification** to the application to register for the test.

Please note that the certification of DSA in line with Law 170/2010 (reference ICD-10 code F81

and/or name of the disorder), as indicated in the Guidelines released by the Italian Ministry for Universities and Research, must be issued by the National Health Service or by accredited specialists or structures. It will be the candidate's responsibility to produce suitable written documentation proving the accreditation of the aforementioned specialists or accredited structures, in case it is not explicitly indicated in the certification.

To be accepted, the diagnosis carried out by private (non-accredited) specialists must be validated by the National Health Service. The date of issue must not exceed 3 years, at the time of online registration. However, the University considers diagnoses issued starting from 1 January 2016. Moreover, certification issued after the age of 18 is valid regardless of the date reported.

Candidates with disabilities or with DSA must present the certification certifying the state of disability or DSA issued in the country of residence: if the certification is written in a foreign language, a sworn translation into Italian or English is required.

Instructions for the day of the exam are available at the following link: [General Rules](#)

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