

# Guide to Language Requirements

CALLS FOR APPLICATIONS

MOBILITY PROGRAMS

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# CALLS FOR APPLICATION MOBILITY PROGRAM 2025

- In order to apply for ANY mobility call, you need to prove that you already have a level of language knowledge appropriate to the demand of the universities you are interested in;
- The compulsory language requirements are indicated in the «Destination sheets» attached to the various notices and subdivided by degree course;
- Until the publication of the Mobility Call 2025, for information only, you can view the international certifications or language levels required by individual destinations in the «Destination sheets» for the 2024 call for application;
- Announced destinations and language levels required by the partner universities may, however, change by 2025.

# IULM Language Proficiency Levels or International Certifications?

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If in the Destination Sheet, only the general level is specified (B1/B2 etc.):



You have to submit:

- either the «**IULM Language Proficiency result**» obtained upon successful passing the IULM Language Proficiency test;
- or one of the **International Certification** required (see following slides).

# IULM Language Proficiency: validity



**The IULM Language Proficiency result is valid for two years**



If you have obtained a IULM language qualification from ILC for the 2024 Calls for Applications (for the tests held in November 2023), you can also apply for the 2025 Calls for Applications **for the same language and level**, without taking any further tests.

ENGLISH

# Accepted International Language Certifications

International Certifications must be issued after **01.01.2023**.

Any certification issued before that date will not be accepted for the 2025 call for applications.

## English B2

- **B2 First** - First Certificate in English (FCE)  
send both front and back of the certificate
- **B2 Business Vantage** - BEC Vantage B2
- **IELTS** – punteggio 6,5
- **TOEFL** – punteggio 87-109
- **Linguaskill B2** - punteggio da 160

## English C1

- **C1 Advanced** – Certificate in Advanced English (CAE)
- **C2 Proficiency**
- **FCE C1** – First Certificate in English (send both front and back of the certificate)
- **C1 Business Higher** - BEC Higher C1
- **IELTS** – punteggio 7,5
- **TOEFL** – punteggio 110-120



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## French B1

- **DELF B1**

## French B2

- **DELF B2**
- **DALF**
- **ESABAC B2**
- **Diplôme du Baccalauréat Général**
- **Certification de compétence en langue française Niveau B2**

# SPANISH

## Accepted International Language Certifications

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### Spanish B1

- DELE B1
- SIELE B1

### Spanish B2

- DELE B2
- SIELE B2

### Spanish C1

- DELE C1
- SIELE C1

**GERMAN**

# Accepted International Language Certifications

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## German B1

- **Goethe Zertifikat B1**
- **ÖSD B1**
- **TELC B1**
- **DSD Stufe 1** Deutsches Sprachdiplom

## German B2

- **Goethe Zertifikat B2**
- **ÖSD B2**
- **TELC B2**
- **DSD Stufe 2** Deutsches Sprachdiplom



# OTHER LANGUAGE CERTIFICATIONS

*Do you have a different certification from those mentioned in the guide?*

Please, send it to **IULM International Language Centre** – [ilc@iulm.it](mailto:ilc@iulm.it) before 27/10/2024 and check if it is valid for the study abroad calls for applications.



Passing exams or linguistic laboratories included in your IULM study program does not provide you either the IULM language proficiency result or the international certification.

**To participate in the calls for applications, you will still have to pass the IULM language proficiency test or present an international language certificate.**

# IULM Language Proficiency Levels or International Certifications?

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If an international certification is indicated in the destination sheet, next to the University:



- You need to submit **exactly** the International Certification required (and the specified score);
- IELTS online and TOEFL home edition certifications **are not accepted** for the Exchange and Semester Abroad programmes;
- The certification must still be valid at the time of departure for the destination (**i.e. not more than two years old**).

# Erasmus Mobility Call - Exemptions

Students enrolled in the Degree Programs taught in English, such as:

- ✓ BA in Corporate Communication and Public Relations
  - ✓ MSc in Hospitality and Tourism Management
  - ✓ MSc in Strategic Communication
  - ✓ MSc in Marketing, Consumer Behaviour and Communication
- are exempted from the English Proficiency test for the destinations requiring **English B2**. They still have to hold a Language Proficiency test result for the other languages.

Students enrolled in the **Master's Degree in Specialized Translation and Conference Interpreting** are exempted from the Language Proficiency Test for all the languages in their study plan.

*In both cases, if a destination requires an international certification, the student must first obtain it in order to apply.*

# Exchange and Semester Abroad - Exemptions



For some destinations only, students enrolled in the degree programmes “Corporate Communication and Public Relations” (English language curriculum) and “Hospitality and Tourism Management” are exempt from presenting an International Language Certificate.



For more information on the destinations requiring compulsory International Language Certification, please refer to the Destination Sheets attached to the notices. If you have any doubts, please contact the mobility office [studyabroad@iulm.it](mailto:studyabroad@iulm.it).



**Study Abroad Office**