Documents to be submitted for the application for a study visa for Master's Degree Programmes / Second-Level Academic Diploma Programmes and all second- and third-cycle programmes

1**. Pre-enrolment on the UNIVERSITALY portal**: validated by the receiving higher education institution, with any reservations having been lifted.

2**. Official foreign qualification**: corresponding to a first- or second-cycle qualification within the Bologna Process qualifications framework and at level 6 or 7 of the European Qualifications Framework (EQF), Students who do not yet hold the relevant local qualification at the time of submitting their visa application may submit a provisional statement or certificate issued by the competent foreign authority in accordance with the rules of the country where the qualification was obtained. Self-certifications issued by the applicant or by non-official entities/institutions and/or entities not entrusted with such functions within the foreign system shall under no circumstances be accepted.

3**. Statement of Comparability and Verification of Authenticity**: for visa issuance purposes, the final qualification must be accompanied alternatively by:
• a CIMEA Statement of Comparability and a CIMEA Statement of Verification;
or
• a Declaration of Value, where CIMEA documentation is not available.

4. Certificate of examinations passed: certificate issued by the competent higher education institution attesting the examinations successfully completed and, for each subject, the detailed syllabi required for the award of the aforementioned qualifications.. Post-secondary studies already completed (examinations and credits) may be documented through the Diploma Supplement, where adopted.
5. Italian translations of the required school and academic documents, where necessary.

6. Any additional documentation requested by this Consular Chancery for the purpose of verifying the authenticity of the foreign qualification.

7. Language certification: for programs taught in a language other than Italian, certifying a proficiency level of at least CEFR B2 for non-native speakers that they certify competence in all four language skills (listening, reading, speaking and writing).

8. Financial means of support for the intended stay: such means are quantified at EUR 10,179.85 per year. The availability of such means must derive from lawful and traceable sources and should preferably be personal or, alternatively, provided by the family unit (relative up to the fourth degree).

9. Documentation proving the availability of suitable accommodation in Italy.

10. Health insurance coverage for medical treatment and hospitalization with a minimum coverage of EUR 30,000.

11. Completed and signed visa application form.
12. Valid passport (and copy) valid for at least three months beyond the requested visa expiry date, issued within the last 10 years and containing at least two blank pages.
13. One recent passport-size color photograph on a white background (taken within the last six months).
14. Copy of a valid Polish residence permit, or Proof of legal stay in Poland (e.g. stamp in the passport).
15. Copies of any previous Schengen visas or national type D visas.
16. Proof of sufficient funds for repatriation.
17. Travel reservation (flight, train or bus).