



UNIVERSITÀ DI PARMA



CALL FOR APPLICATIONS FOR PARTICIPATION IN THE ‘WINTER SPORTS CONFERENCE’ UNIVERSITY OF GÄVLE 3 - 7 FEBRUARY 2025

The University of Parma, in collaboration with the EU GREEN Alliance, is inviting applications from students for the selection of five participants to attend a cultural and sporting event focused on inclusion at the University of Gävle, Sweden, from 3rd to 7th February 2025.

This call is open to students enrolled at the University of Parma who meet one of the following criteria:

- Possess an ISEE certificate not exceeding €13,000
- Have a certified disability of 66% or more and/or hold certification under Law 104/1992
- Have Specific Learning Disorders (DSA)
- Are non-EU nationals
- Are refugees

Selected students will have the opportunity to engage with peers from the EU GREEN Alliance, travel abroad, and participate in a multicultural experience. The initiative aims to promote gender equality and ensure equal opportunities for all participants.

Eligibility Requirements

Applicants must:

- a) Be regularly enrolled at the University of Parma for the 2024/2025 academic year
- b) Be up-to-date with the payment of all university fees, including arrears
- c) Have no history of sanctions or withdrawal of benefits due to the submission of false declarations
- d) Have completed at least 60% of the examinations scheduled in the 2023/2024 study plan by the date of application submission

In addition, applicants must belong to one of the following categories:

- A) Students with an ISEE certificate for subsidised benefits relating to university study not exceeding €13,000
- B) Students with a certified disability of 66% or more and/or with Law 104/1992 certification
- C) Students with Specific Learning Disorders (DSA)
- D) Students of non-EU nationality
- E) Refugee students

Selection Criteria

Candidates will be evaluated based on the following criteria:

1. **Academic Performance:**

Points will be awarded based on the average marks of examinations completed during the candidate's academic career as follows:

- Average mark 18–20: 6 points
- Average mark 21–23: 12 points
- Average mark 24–26: 18 points

- Average mark 27–29: 24 points

- Average mark 30: 30 points

Students enrolled in their first year of single-cycle undergraduate or postgraduate courses who have not yet taken any examinations will be awarded 3 points.

2. **Motivational Letter:**

Applicants should provide a motivational letter explaining their interest in participating, particularly their commitment to the themes of inclusion and solidarity.

(Maximum score: 20 points)

Application Process

Applications must be submitted between 26th November and 11th December 2024 by completing the attached form and sending it, along with the motivational letter, to **protocollo.cai@unipr.it**.

Applicants must declare that they meet the eligibility criteria, indicate the category under which they are applying, and specify their average marks.

Assessment Procedure

A committee, appointed by the Rector, will assess the applications according to the criteria outlined above. A ranking will be established for each category. In the event of a tie, preference will be given to the student in the higher year of study.

If no applicants are available in a specific category, the vacancy will be allocated to the second-highest-ranked candidate from the category with the most applicants. The committee will ensure fair representation across categories and maintain gender balance.

Selection Outcome

The results will be published online at ****<https://cai.unipr.it/it/bandi-moduli/14/>****. Selected students must confirm their participation within five days of the publication of the ranking.

Mobility Grant

Travel, accommodation, and meal costs for the five-day event will be covered by the University of Parma through its own funds and the ERASMUS+ Programme.

The following contributions will be provided:

Accommodation and Meal Costs

- €79 per day (ERASMUS+ short-term mobility grant)
- €100 per day (UNIPR contribution) as additional support for students with fewer opportunities (where applicable)

Travel Costs

- €309 for standard travel (maximum based on actual costs)
- €417 for ‘green travel’ (maximum based on actual costs using eco-friendly means such as train, bus, or carpooling)

Additional Support

Any costs associated with the need for a personal assistant, such as in cases of certified disabilities of 66% or more, will be covered by additional Erasmus+ funds in accordance with Circular No. 31661/2023 of 26/07/2023.

Academic Credits

Students may request university credits for their participation in extracurricular activities within the sporting, cultural, or social spheres, provided they are actively involved in the event.

Data Protection

All personal data submitted will be processed in accordance with EU Regulation 2016/679 (GDPR) and Legislative Decree No. 196 of 30/06/2003, exclusively for the purposes of this call. For further information, please consult the privacy section on the University of Parma's official website:

****<https://www.unipr.it/ateneo/elezioni-statuto-e-regolamenti/privacy>**.**

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