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NABA

NUOVA ACCADEMIA
DI BELLE ARTI

INTERNATIONAL ACADEMY
OF ART & DESIGN

learning by thinking

Our programmes constitute a continuous sequence of multidisciplinary experiences generating research and projects in the artistic and professional contexts of current trends.

learning by doing

Ideas become projects, strategies, techniques and technologies, turning into prototypes and in some cases developing into products for the companies we work with.

teaching by learning

Learning by doing is also teaching by learning and this has changed the relationship between lecturers and students: classes and groups have transformed into work teams that liaise continuously with companies and research institutes. Experience forms the methodological skeleton through which innovation insinuates itself and guides us in planning the future together.

Italo Rota,
NABA Scientific Advisor from 2013 to 2024

NABA is the Best Italian Academy of Fine Arts in the top 100 worldwide in Art & Design field in the QS World University Rankings® by Subject.

NABA is the largest Academy of Fine Arts in Italy. Founded in Milan in 1980 and legally recognised by the Italian Ministry of University and Research in 1981, it is characterised by an interdisciplinary methodology with a strong inclination towards research, experimentation, and innovation on the most current issues, including new technologies, AI and sustainability, and a dynamic interaction with the professional context. With its campus in Milan, Rome and upcoming London, **NABA, Nuova Accademia di Belle Arti** offers academic degrees equivalent to first and second level university ones in the Communication and Graphic Design, Design, Fashion Design, Media Design and New Technologies, Set Design, and Visual Arts Areas, legally valid at an international level.

Through Artistic Intelligence,
we nurture people to design a new tomorrow.

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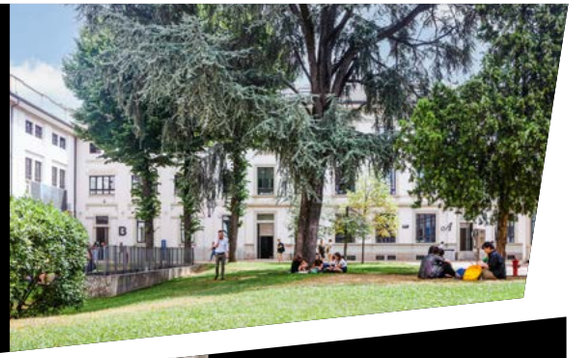
NUMBERS AND CAMPUS

MILAN - ROME

60,000	sqm	**18**	buildings
6,000+	students	**100+**	countries
40%	international students	**70**	international exchanges partners

MILAN
NAVIGLI DISTRICT

study and lounge areas
specialised laboratories
botanical dyeing garden
library and cafeteria
green and leisure areas



ROME
OSTIENSE DISTRICT

study and lounge areas
specialised laboratories
library and terraces
cafeteria and
multifunctional spaces
green and leisure areas

LONDON
STRATFORD DISTRICT

study and lounge areas
specialised laboratories
green and leisure areas
library and cafeteria
multifunctional spaces

COMING SOON

LABORATORIES

ECOLOGICAL AND CREATIVE TECHNIQUES AT THE GRAPHIC DESIGN LAB

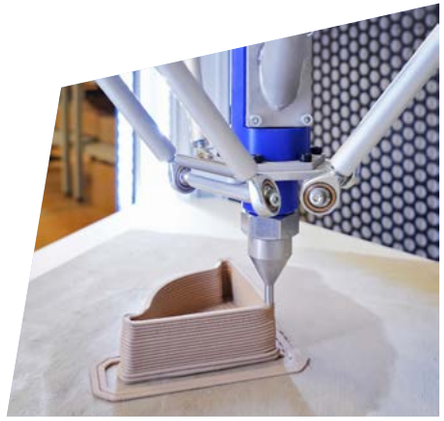
Multi-support / Editorial design / Large format printing / Prespaced lettering / Labels / Mimaki Plotter / UV-LED technology

A space to experiment with ecological printing techniques, editorial design and binding. Thanks to a multifunction machine, a Mimaki plotter and an electric cutting machine, students can print on different materials and formats.

ZEROWASTE CULTURE IN THE DESIGN LABS

3D PLA Printing / Clay 3D Printing / Laser Cutting / CNC Milling machine / Thermoforming / Turnery / Carpentry / Biomaterials

Here, the design of models and prototypes is carried out with state-of-the-art tools and skilful artisanal dexterity. Research, innovation and sustainable design practice create room for innovative upcycling, an essential part of the present and future industry.



INNOVATION AND SUSTAINABILITY IN THE FASHION AND TEXTILE DESIGN LABS

Natural dyeing / Printing and silk screen printing / Eco printing / Modelling with Lectra / Knitwear with Shima Seiki / Textile heat-welding with Framis / Water Recycling System / Botanical dyeing garden

With professional machines and constant research on materials and techniques, these labs provide full-scale knowledge of the production chain, for an increasingly sustainable approach to the fashion system.

CUTTING-EDGE ENVIRONMENTS IN THE MEDIA DESIGN AND NEW TECHNOLOGIES LABS

Film Studios / Photo Studio / Post Production Suite / Virtual Studio / Motion Capture / AI / Performing Media Arts

With cinema sets and technologies, VFX, Virtual Production and Game, our labs are avant-garde in the design of immersive content for cinema, animation and multimedia installations.

CRAFTSMANSHIP AND INNOVATION AT THE SET DESIGN LAB

Model building / Prototyping / Sampling / Handcraft techniques / Eco-sustainable materials

A place of continuous exchange where traditional knowledge meets the use of innovative materials and techniques. The students have the opportunity to share their expertise and create small artifacts in the fields of set design, props, models and costumes.

EXPERIMENTATION AND ARTISTIC REPRESENTATION IN THE VISUAL ARTS LABS

Engraving / Chalcography / Painting / Sculpture and art installations / Drawing / Photography / Video applications and new media / Display

The teaching of experimental artistic practices and techniques in the labs focuses on the research of personal and new languages, which adds curatorship, art critique, editorial direction and museum management to the art profession.

CAMPUS LIFE

student life

Every year a dedicated office proposes to the students extra-curricular activities such as guided tours, events, sports as well as cultural, commercial and health benefits. Furthermore, thanks to the Buddy Project, additional support to international students is provided.

NABASHOPPING.COM is the online shop for Made in NABA products: a collection of clothing and accessories for study, work and leisure time.

library

On campus, consultation and borrowing services are available for numerous printed and digital volumes, theses archives and sector-related magazines, as well as access to some of the most prestigious online databases (BoF, JSTOR, WGSN, Vogue Archive). In Milan, a peculiar display of samples of innovative materials and papers is also open to the users. In Rome, there is a small cinema room where is possible to watch films and TV series via streaming.

housing

The Housing office supports the students, throughout the whole booking process, in finding accommodation in shared apartments or independent studios thanks to different solutions located nearby the campus.

NABA Housing Office
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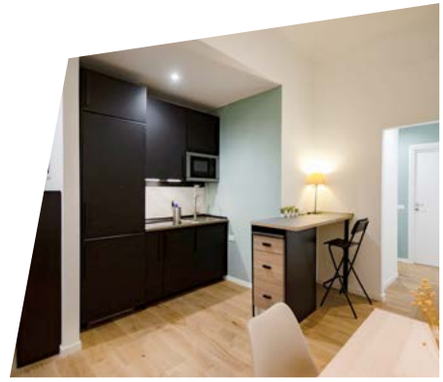

COUNSELLING

Open Day

Courses presentation, counselling activities, campus and labs tours, students' projects on display.

MILAN	15 Nov 2025	17 Jan 2026	21 Mar		07 Jul	08 Sept
ONLINE	19 Nov 2025	21 Jan 2026	25 Mar	30 Apr	08 Jul	09 Sept
ROME	22 Nov 2025	24 Jan 2026	28 Mar		07 Jul	08 Sept

NABA personal orientation

NABA customised study orientation interviews to guide students throughout the Academic Offer online, on campus or in their home Country.

NABA webinars

Live webinars providing lectures from professionals, tips on lifestyle and studying in Italy, suggestions on how to create a portfolio and much more.

FIND OUT ALL THE DATES OF THE NEXT EVENTS

SCHOLARSHIPS

NABA supports talents with several scholarships and offers students access to financial support initiatives.
Also, the Academy awards applicants who make an early decision to enrol and meet admission requirements with reductions on the total fees.

Over 500 scholarships per year

500

1 student out of 5 receives a scholarship valid for all the years of the study course

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ADMISSIONS

To study at the Academy it is necessary to follow all the phases of the admissions process through which NABA can evaluate the interest and requirements needed to enrol to the chosen course. Contact the school to find out more.

- Application
- Admission evaluation
- Admission result
- Matriculation

INDUSTRY AND CAREER

The Industry Relations and the Career Service and Alumni Relations offices represent a bridge between the Academy and the working world during the study path, involving students in innovative collaborations and projects with leading companies in different fields, through many initiatives such as Talent Harbour, Recruiting Day, and Design Marathon.
Thanks to a constantly expanding network of partners, the offices value the skills of each student by promoting internships and job opportunities in line both with their attitudes and the demands of the job market.

And afterwards?

Employment rate within 1 year after graduation

90%

94% Masters of Arts and Academic Masters graduates

Satisfaction with current job

87%

Country of current job

79% ITALY

21% ABROAD

Source: yearly occupational survey by BVA Doxa, a leading market research company, related to graduates in 2023 one year after graduation.

NABA collaborates every year with more than 900 brands for projects, partnerships, internships and placement, among others:

BORBONESE · CANALI · Canon · Dr. Martens · eni · Hard Rock · CAROLINA HERRERA · LEXUS · LUXOTTICA · Ogilvy · oppo · SANDOZ · STAEDTLER · Venchi 1878 · WARNER BROS. DISCOVERY · Yakult

SUCCESS STORIES

COMMUNICATION AND GRAPHIC DESIGN AREA

DOMENICO D'ERCOLE

SENIOR DESIGNER AND ART DIRECTOR, OGILVY
MA in Visual Design and Integrated Marketing Communication graduate

DESIGN AREA

TIANZHOU CHEN

INTERIOR DESIGNER, LISSONI & PARTNERS
BA in Design graduate

FASHION DESIGN AREA

CAITLIN MAEVE CHAISSON

EVENTS PROJECT MANAGER, LOUIS VUITTON
AM in Fashion Digital Marketing graduate

MEDIA DESIGN AND NEW TECHNOLOGIES AREA

GIOVANNI MICELLI

REAL TIME GRAPHIC DEVELOPER, SKY
BA in Film and Animation graduate

SET DESIGN AREA

SABINA ILINCA BRATU

SET AND CONCEPT DESIGNER, BALICH WONDER STUDIO
BA in Set Design graduate

VISUAL ARTS AREA

CAMILLA ALBERTI

VISUAL ARTIST, CENTRAL PAVILION OF THE MALTA BIENNALE
MA in Visual Arts and Curatorial Studies graduate

Galileo Global Education™

NABA, Nuova Accademia di Belle Arti is part of Galileo Global Education, a leading international provider of higher education with an offer that spans from applied arts, fashion, design and digital/Internet to business and medicine. Through its network of 70 schools, the group is present in over 120 campus in 20 countries around the world and has 300,000 enrolled students. Galileo is Europe's largest higher education group, in terms of both geographical spread and breadth of course offering. Its ambition is to be the world education leader in innovation, creativity, arts and culture - driven by students' employability, agility and impact.

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Institutional networks

Cumulus Association

ELIA

New European Bauhaus
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ADCI
Art Directors Club Italiano

ADMEMBER

Piattaforma
Sistema Formativo Moda

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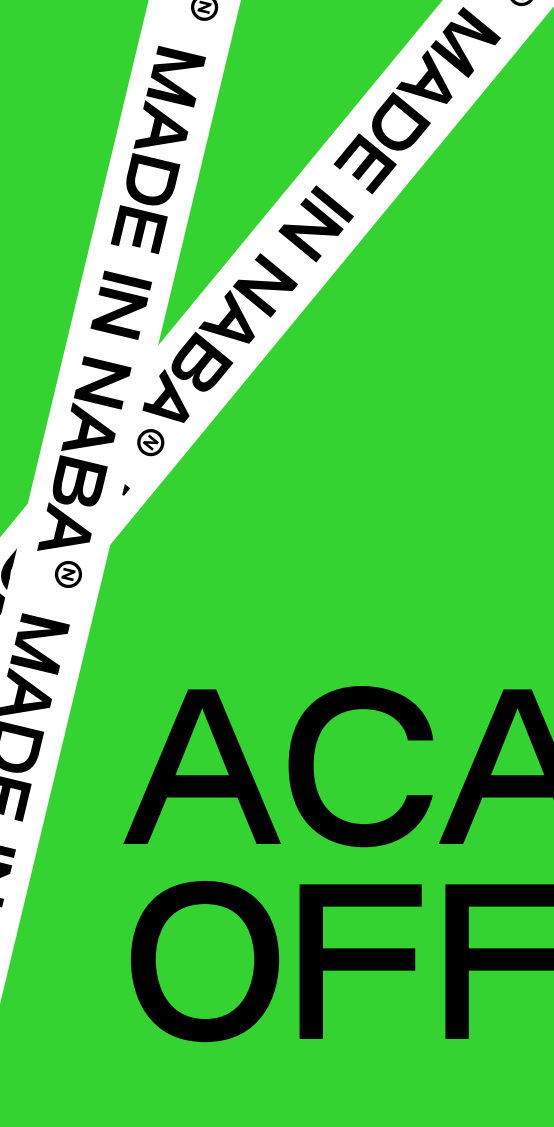

ACADEMIC OFFER 2026/27

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FASHION DESIGN AREA
AREA LEADER
COLOMBA LEDDI
ADVISOR
NICOLETTA MOROZZI

MEDIA DESIGN AND NEW TECHNOLOGIES, SET DESIGN AREAS
AREA LEADER
VINCENZO CUCCIA
SET DESIGN ADVISOR
MARGHERITA PALLI

BACHELORS OF ARTS

Comics and Visual Storytelling

LANGUAGE: Italian - English
CAMPUS: Milan - Rome

Graphic Design and Art Direction

- Brand Design
- Creative Direction
- Visual Design

LANGUAGE: Italian - English
CAMPUS: Milan - Rome

Marketing and Management for Creative Business NEW!

LANGUAGE: Italian - English
CAMPUS: Milan

Design

- Interior Design MILAN - ROME
- Product Design MILAN
- Product and Innovation Design ROME

LANGUAGE: Italian - English
CAMPUS: Milan - Rome - London COMING SOON

Fashion Design

- Fashion Design
- Fashion Styling and Communication

LANGUAGE: Italian - English
CAMPUS: Milan - Rome - London COMING SOON

Fashion Marketing Management

LANGUAGE: Italian - English
CAMPUS: Milan - Rome - London COMING SOON

Creative Technologies

- Game
- VFX and 3D

LANGUAGE: Italian - English
CAMPUS: Milan

Film and Animation

- Filmmaking
- Animation

LANGUAGE: Italian - English
CAMPUS: Milan - Rome

Set Design

- Theatre and Opera
- Media and Events

LANGUAGE: Italian - English
CAMPUS: Milan

Painting and Visual Arts

- Painting
- Visual Arts

LANGUAGE: Italian - English
CAMPUS: Milan - Rome

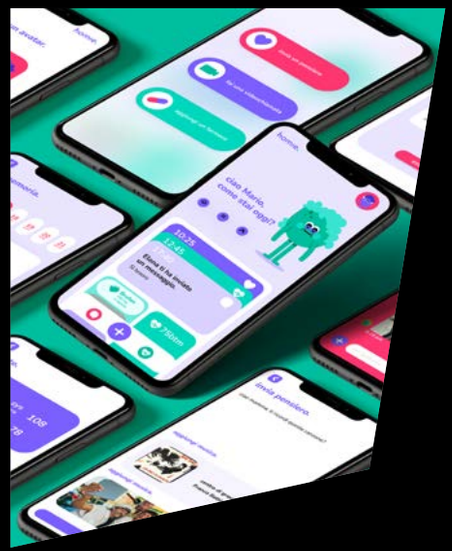
COMING SOON

NEW CAMPUS
LONDON

Discover the courses of the new London campus:

- → **Bachelor of Arts in Design**
- → **Bachelor of Arts in Fashion Design**
- → **Bachelor of Arts in Fashion Marketing Management**
- → **Foundation Course**

MASTERS OF ARTS



Social Design

LANGUAGE: English
CAMPUS: Milan

Fashion and Costume Design

LANGUAGE: Italian - English
CAMPUS: Rome

Fashion Design

LANGUAGE: Italian - English
CAMPUS: Milan

Textile Design

LANGUAGE: Italian - English
CAMPUS: Milan

User Experience Design

LANGUAGE: Italian - English
CAMPUS: Milan

Visual Design and Integrated Marketing Communication

LANGUAGE: Italian - English
CAMPUS: Milan - Rome

Interior Design

LANGUAGE: Italian - English
CAMPUS: Milan

Product and Service Design

LANGUAGE: Italian - English
CAMPUS: Milan

Creative Media Production

Documentary

Interactive Media

LANGUAGE: Italian - English
CAMPUS: Milan

Digital and Live Performance

LANGUAGE: Italian - English
CAMPUS: Milan

Visual Arts and Curatorial Studies

LANGUAGE: Italian - English
CAMPUS: Milan - Rome

ACADEMIC MASTERS

Creative Advertising

LANGUAGE: English
CAMPUS: Milan

Sustainable Innovation Communication

LANGUAGE: English
CAMPUS: Milan

Luxury Brand Management NEW!

LANGUAGE: Italian - English
CAMPUS: Milan

Discover the new **FAST TRACK** option

Interior and Living Design NEW!

LANGUAGE: Italian - English
CAMPUS: Milan

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Italian Design

LANGUAGE: English
CAMPUS: Milan

New Urban Design

LANGUAGE: English
CAMPUS: Milan

Fashion Digital Marketing

LANGUAGE: Italian - English
CAMPUS: Milan

Sneaker Design

LANGUAGE: Italian - English
CAMPUS: Milan

Screenwriting for Series

LANGUAGE: English
CAMPUS: Rome

Art and Ecology

LANGUAGE: English
CAMPUS: Milan

Contemporary Art Markets

LANGUAGE: Italian - English
CAMPUS: Milan

Photography and Visual Design

LANGUAGE: Italian - English
CAMPUS: Milan

Registrar and Collection Management NEW!

LANGUAGE: Italian
CAMPUS: Milan

FAST TRACK OPTION

Possibility to directly access a predefined **Master of Arts' programme** of the same Area upon completion of the Academic Master and achieving a sufficient number of credits.

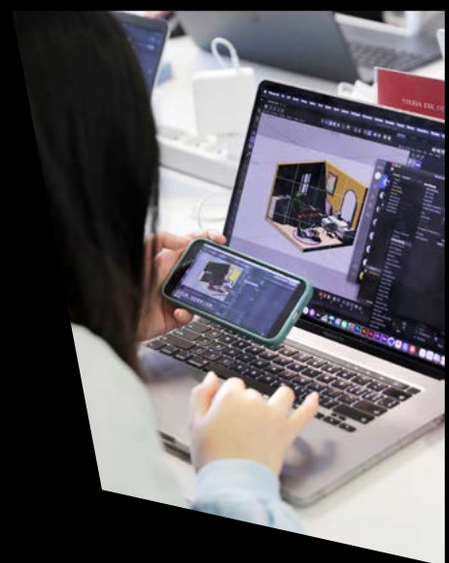
RESEARCH DEGREES

PhD in Artistic Practice

LANGUAGE: English
CAMPUS: Milan

PhD in Artistic Practices and Design Culture

LANGUAGE: Italian
CAMPUS: Milan



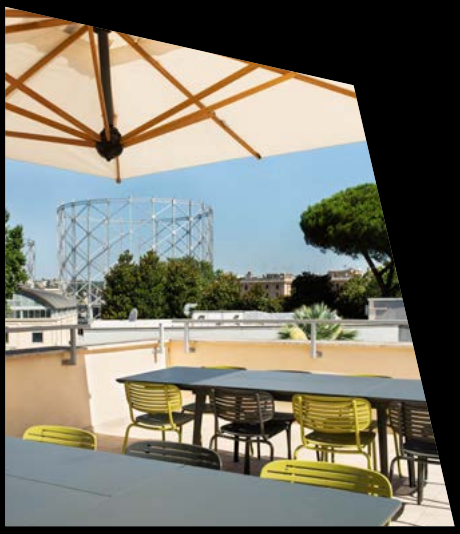
SPECIAL PROGRAMMES

→ Foundation Course

LANGUAGE: Italian - English
CAMPUS: Milan - London COMING SOON

→ Gap Year Programme

LANGUAGE: Italian - English
CAMPUS: Milan - Rome



→ Semester Abroad Programmes

LANGUAGE: Italian - English
CAMPUS: Milan - Rome

→ Summer Courses

LANGUAGE: English
CAMPUS: Milan - Rome

Some of the programmes indicated in this brochure may undergo variations or accreditation due to academic choices, ministerial directives, or collaborative provisions in UK with Regent's University London.

For Milan and Rome courses*: the degrees awarded at the end of AFAM programmes are First Level (Bachelor of Arts) and Second Level (Master of Arts) Academic Degrees, and First Level Academic Master Degrees (Academic Master), recognised by MUR and equivalent to University Degrees. Further details on the degrees awarded in specific cases are available on NABA website. Where present, the specialisations are activated based on a minimum number of requests.

For the upcoming London courses: participants who successfully complete the Bachelors of Arts will receive a BA (Hons) Degree awarded by Regent's University London* and a total of 360 UK credits (equivalent to 180 ECTS/CFA credits). NABA London courses don't have specialisations.

*Please refer to our website for the current status of course validations and further details regarding our academic offer: www.naba.it