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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

1st Italian Fine Arts Academy worldwide

Top 50 QS World University Rankings® by Subject Art & Design 2026

NABA is the 1st Italian Fine Arts Academy worldwide and 41st among the Top 50 for QS World University Rankings® by Subject Art & Design. The largest in Italy, for more than 40 years it has been at the forefront of creative education. With campuses in Milan, Rome and London, it offers internationally recognised undergraduate and postgraduate degrees in the fields of fashion, design, communication, visual and multimedia arts, new technologies, and set design, alongside PhDs, Special Programmes, and a Management Hub. The vision of **NABA, Nuova Accademia di Belle Arti** is grounded in an interdisciplinary approach that combines research, experimentation and close engagement with leading professional networks, addressing the defining challenges of our time – from AI to sustainability and innovation.

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

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NUOVA ACCADEMIA DI BELLE ARTI

NUMBERS AND CAMPUSES

60,000+	sqm	**20**	buildings
6,000+	students	**100+**	countries
42%	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
HACKNEY WICK DISTRICT

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

LABORATORIES

ECOLOGICAL AND CREATIVE TECHNIQUES AT THE GRAPHIC DESIGN LAB

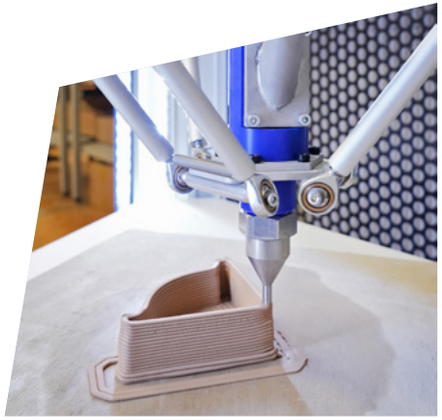
Multi-support / Editorial design / Large format printing / Prespaced lettering / Labels / Mimaki Plotter / UV-LED technology

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 / Sneakers lab / Weaving with jacquard TC2

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.

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.

AI AND NEW LANGUAGES OF CREATIVITY

At NABA, AI is part of an integrated creative ecosystem: within courses and through laboratories such as Giulietta Lab, students combine artistic and design research, transforming it into an active cultural practice. NABA also has an AI Commission, which explores its ethical, anthropological and pedagogical implications, and the X-Lab AI, which coordinates educational and transdisciplinary initiatives.

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.

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 campuses, consultation and borrowing services are available for printed and digital volumes, theses archives and sector-related magazines and access to some of the most prestigious online databases (BoF, JSTOR, WGSN, Vogue Archive). The NABA Library is also among the first in Italy to integrate AI into its online catalogue. In Milan, a display of samples of innovative materials and papers is open to the users. In Rome, a small Cinema Room allows users to have access to streaming content from major online platforms.

housing

NABA supports students and families through the important journey to Milan, Rome and London by offering a network of selected partners and providers, such as Milanhousing and Campus X, helping them find the most suitable accommodation solution for every need, turning change into a positive and mindful experience. For more information, please visit the NABA website.

STUDY ADVICE

Open Day

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

	2026 / 2027
MILAN	14/11 - 16/01 - 13/03 - 7/07 - 8/09
ROME	21/11 - 23/01 - 20/03 - 7/07 - 8/09
LONDON	17/10 - 14/11 - 9/12 - 9/01 - 13/02 - 17/03 - 24/04 - 22/05
ONLINE	18/11 - 20/01 - 17/03 - 8/07 - 9/09

2027 London dates are subject to change, visit the NABA website for updates.

NABA one-to-one advice sessions

Personalised guidance sessions, available online, on campus, or in students' home countries, designed to help them explore NABA's programmes and identify the course that best matches their interests, talents, and aspirations.

NABA webinars

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

FIND OUT ALL THE DATES OF THE NEXT EVENTS

SCHOLARSHIPS

NABA is committed to supporting talented students through a variety of scholarships and financial aid opportunities. Applicants who make an early enrolment decision and meet the admission requirements may also benefit from the Academy's Early Enrolment Scholarship, offering a reduction in tuition fees.

Over 500 scholarships per year

500

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

1/5

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 us to find out more.

Application

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Admission evaluation

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Admission result

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Matriculation

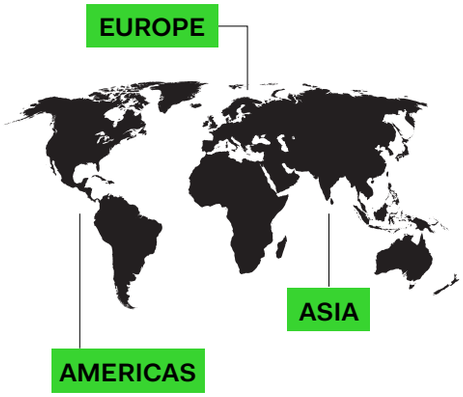
INDUSTRY AND CAREER

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

92%



Source: 2026 Graduate Employment Survey conducted by Ipsos Doxa, a leading market research company, among NABA BAs, MAs and Academic Masters' graduates one year after graduation.

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

ASPESI	BORBONESE	Canon	CAROLINA HERRERA
Dr. AirWair Martens	eni	FREITAG	Hard Rock
LEXUS	LUXOTTICA	Ogilvy	oppo
Venchi 1878	vitra.	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 AND CURATORIAL STUDIES AREA

CAMILLA ALBERTI

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

Here is a selection of Success Stories from recent years. Discover more on NABA website.

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 campuses 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.

www.ggeedu.com

Institutional networks

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New European Bauhaus
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ACADEMIC OFFER 2027/28

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SET DESIGN ADVISOR
MARGHERITA PALLI

VISUAL ARTS AND CURATORIAL STUDIES AREA

AREA LEADER
ANDRIS BRINKMANIS

NABA's didactic programmes are structured across the Communication and Graphic Design, Design, Fashion Design, Media Design and New Technologies, Set Design, and Visual Arts and Curatorial Studies Areas, alongside a cross-disciplinary Management Hub.

BACHELORS OF ARTS

Comics and Visual Storytelling

LANGUAGE: Italian - English
CAMPUS: Milan - Rome

Graphic Design and Visual Communication

Brand Design

Creative Direction

Visual Design

LANGUAGE: Italian - English
CAMPUS: Milan - Rome

MANAGEMENT HUB

Marketing and Management for Creative Business - Empowering AI

LANGUAGE: Italian - English
CAMPUS: Milan - Rome

Design

Interior Design MILAN - ROME

Product Design MILAN

Product and Innovation Design ROME

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

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NEW!

MANAGEMENT HUB

From 2026/27, NABA offers an incubator for **Creative Industries Management** to support the growth of creative projects and turn ideas into market-ready business opportunities.

Fashion Design

Fashion Design

Fashion Styling and Communication

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

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MANAGEMENT HUB

Fashion Marketing Management

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

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Creative Technologies

Game

VFX and 3D

LANGUAGE: Italian - English
CAMPUS: Milan

Film and Animation

Filmmaking

Animation

LANGUAGE: Italian - English
CAMPUS: Milan - Rome

NEW!

NABA GLOBAL

International study opportunities
Milan - Rome - London

Discover NABA's new experiences in **Design**, **Fashion Design** and **Fashion Marketing Management** that offer those who wish to develop global skills the opportunity to connect with three European leading capitals of fashion and design.

Set Design

Theatre and Opera

Media and Events

LANGUAGE: Italian - English
CAMPUS: Milan

Visual Arts

Painting

Visual Arts

LANGUAGE: Italian - English
CAMPUS: Milan - Rome

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 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

Contemporary Art and Curatorial Practice

LANGUAGE: Italian - English
CAMPUS: Milan - Rome

MASTERS

Creative Advertising

LANGUAGE: English
CAMPUS: Milan

MANAGEMENT HUB

Luxury Brand Management

LANGUAGE: Italian - English
CAMPUS: Milan - Rome

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Visual Brand Design

LANGUAGE: Italian - English
CAMPUS: Milan

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MANAGEMENT HUB

Design Management NEW!

IN COLLABORATION WITH LUISS BUSINESS SCHOOL

LANGUAGE AND CAMPUS:
Italian - Rome
English - Milan

Interior and Living Design

LANGUAGE: Italian - English
CAMPUS: Milan

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FAST TRACK

Italian Design

LANGUAGE: English
CAMPUS: Milan

Fashion Design NEW!

LANGUAGE: Italian - English
CAMPUS: Milan

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FAST TRACK

MANAGEMENT HUB

Fashion Digital Marketing

LANGUAGE: Italian - English
CAMPUS: Milan

MANAGEMENT HUB

Fashion Management NEW!

LANGUAGE: Italian - English
CAMPUS: Milan

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Sneaker Design

LANGUAGE: Italian - English
CAMPUS: Milan

MANAGEMENT HUB

Digital Entertainment Business NEW!

IN COLLABORATION WITH LUISS BUSINESS SCHOOL

LANGUAGE: English
CAMPUS: Amsterdam (Luiss Business School) - Rome (NABA)

Screenwriting for Series

LANGUAGE: English
CAMPUS: Rome

MANAGEMENT HUB

Contemporary Art Markets

LANGUAGE: English
CAMPUS: Milan

Photography

LANGUAGE: Italian - English
CAMPUS: Milan

MANAGEMENT HUB

Registrar and Collection Management

LANGUAGE: Italian
CAMPUS: Milan

FAST TRACK

Complete your Master's and take the next step at NABA with the possibility to direct access to a predefined **two-year MA programme**.

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
FOUNDATION UK: on campus
(integrated into BA Hons)
FOUNDATION ITALY: on campus - hybrid - online

→ 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

→ English Art Summer Camps NEW!

LANGUAGE: English
CAMPUS: London

Programmes and specialisations are activated upon reaching a minimum number of requests and may undergo accreditation/validation processes or variations due to Italian or British academic choices or ministerial directives.
For updates, conditions and further information on the academic offer, study options and awarded degrees, please contact the Academy and consult the NABA website.