UNIVERSITY CORRIDORS
FOR REFUGEES

ARE YOU A REFUGEE?



DO YOU WANT TO CONTINUE YOUR ACADEMIC CAREER IN ITALY?

The University Corridors for Refugees programme provides refugee students currently living in Ethiopia with an opportunity to access a Master degree programme in Italy through a scholarship.

In 2021, 43 refugee students will be selected. Women candidates are strongly encouraged to apply.

HOW TO APPLY

On March 1st 2021, 24 Italian universities will open a call for applications for a Master degree scholarship.

The deadline to apply is April 1st 2021.

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The winners will be exempted from tuition fees and will receive financial support for flight tickets and visa related expenses. The winners will also receive a study grant and will have access to integration support services to help them during their stay in Italy.

THE PRE-SELECTION CRITERIA WILL INCLUDE:

- 1. Residence and recognition of refugee status in Ethiopia
- 2. University degree obtained in or after 2016 and no later than March 31st 2021
- 3. Grade Point Average (GPA) of at least 3.0 according to the Ethiopian tertiary education grading system or equivalent
- 4. Merits of the selected students evaluated by an international panel of experts through the examination of the curriculum vitae, motivation letters/videos (if required by universities) and by carrying out an interview with the candidate.

Refugee students can apply to a maximum of two universities. For additional information for selection criteria or selection procedure, please refer to specific call issued by the University.

Participation in university corridors, including the application process, is totally free. If you know anyone asking or offering money in connection with this project you should immediately contact UNHCR.

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