



MEDICINE AND SURGERY DEPARTMENT

Master's General Information

Master Title	Intestinal Ultrasound in Inflammatory Bowel Disease
Level	II Level
Director	Professor Silvio Danese
Academic Year	2026/2027
Duration	12 months
ECTS	60 ECTS
Language	English
Admission Requirements	Master's Degree in Medicine and Surgery, with qualification to practice.
Preferred Qualifications	Best suited candidates hold a specialization in Digestive Diseases, Internal Medicine, Emergency Medicine and Critical Care Medicine, General Surgery, Paediatrics, Diagnostic and Interventional Radiology.
Learning Objectives	<p>The Master aims to provide and strengthen the competencies concerning the role and indications of intestinal ultrasound in the diagnosis and treatment of inflammatory bowel diseases (IBDs).</p> <p>Significant emphasis will be placed on hands-on training through sessions in the ultrasound room, where participants will initially act as observers and subsequently progress to performing examinations under supervision.</p> <p>The objective of the course is to enable participants with no prior experience to become autonomous in performing intestinal ultrasound, or, for those already experienced, to refine their management skills and achieve proficiency in advanced techniques.</p>
Field of Employment	The Master is oriented to doctors, particularly those specialized in Gastroenterology and Digestive Endoscopy, Internal Medicine, Emergency Medicine and Critical Care Medicine, General Surgery, Paediatrics, Diagnostic and Interventional Radiology.
Delivery Format	<i>Blended</i>
Learning Activities' Structure	<p>Frontal teaching activities will be delivered remotely, both asynchronously (theoretical lessons) and synchronously (end-of-module Q&A sessions).</p> <p>Practical activities will take place in person according to the arrangements and schedule defined with the Master's Director and tutors.</p> <p>The award of the qualification is subject to the completion of a total of 60 ECTS credits, distributed as follows:</p>



	Frontal teaching activities: 32 ECTS Professional training: 24 ECTS Final thesis: 4 ECTS
Attendance	Mandatory
Available Spots	8
Minimum number of enrolled students required for activation	1
Evaluation	<p>The admission to the Master is based on an evaluation of the candidate's academic and professional titles.</p> <p>Each candidate could achieve a <u>maximum of 10 points</u> based on the following criteria:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Title of Specialization: maximum 3 points (3 points for the specialization in Digestive Disease; 2 points for Internal Medicine, General Surgery, Paediatrics, Diagnostic and Interventional Radiology; 1 point for Emergency Medicine and Critical Care Medicine);• Other qualifications: maximum 1 point;• Academic and Professional Curriculum: maximum 3 points;• Scientific publications: maximum 3 points. <p>An admission ranking will be listed.</p>
Admission Deadline	20 October 2026
Enrolment Fee	<p>Tuition fee: 8.000 Euro</p> <p>The amount can be paid in a single payment upon enrolment or in two instalments, divided as it follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 5.000 euro upon enrolment;• 3.000 euro within 6 months after the beginning of the Master
Start Date	From 23 November 2026
Administrative HQ	Università Vita-Salute San Raffaele
Venue	Università Vita-Salute San Raffaele; IRCCS Ospedale San Raffaele, Gastroenterology and Digestive Endoscopy Department (IBD Center)