



SELINUS UNIVERSITY
OF SCIENCES AND LITERATURE

Accredited by



Master of Philosophy

By Research
via distance Learning





Master By Research

Selinus University is a global institution providing distance learning programs. It includes 7 faculties and nearly 200 study programs so as to meet adult students' needs; we assume that our potential students are willing to find a job in industry and trade or to become professionals or companies' titleholders.

Selinus University has a clear vision of its work, study programs and our international students' needs. We claim that research, innovation and professionalism are the basis of every life and work project.

Through the APEL (Accreditation Prior Experiential Learning) validation system, our institution is engaged in the students' profiles evaluations in order to outline professionalism and skills of its potential graduates, hopefully, the future global market leaders.

The modern job market operates on an increasingly larger scale; this awareness strengthens our conviction that any study project has to be supported by precise strategies useful to the students.

Selinus University strategic vision

The main objective of Selinus University is to strengthen the professional and academic profile of adult students willing to access jobs, enhance their career or engage in new projects implementation.

Our students are often managers or already qualified professionals. They can benefit from our distance learning system since they won't need stealing time to their jobs nor neglecting their families.

We trust every adult student's professional goals awareness and we strongly believe in people's capacity for self-determination. Carrying out a distance program without campus attending commitment will let the student prove his/her personality, improve his/her self-esteem and achieve the set goals.

For this reason, we have implemented seven faculties and almost two hundred study programs, many of which are "alternative" to traditional universities; it will be easy for the student to find the right path to professional success.

Faculties and study programs:



Arts & Humanities



Business & Media



Computer Science



Engineering & Technology



Life & Earth Sciences



Natural & Health Science



Psychology

Faculty of Arts & Humanities



Advertising Creativity
Ancient History
Anthropology
Archaeology
Art History
Artistic Design
Audiovisual Communication
Childhood & Special Education
Community & Social Development
Comparative Literature
Creative Writing
Education & Pedagogy
Educational Administration
Educational Technology
ELT English Language Teaching
English Literature
Film Direction & Production
Human Rights
Humanities
Institutional Relations
Interior Design
International Law
International Relations
Journalism
Linguistics
Military Strategy
Multimedia Design
Museology
Mythology & Occultism
Peace Studies
Performing Arts
Philosophy & Critical Thinking
Political Science
Public Affairs
Religion
Sociology
Translation & Interpretation
World History

Faculty of Business & Media



Accounting
Advertising & Media
Bank Management
Business & Economic Consulting
Business Administration
Catering & Restaurant Management
Construction Management
CSR Corporate Social Responsibility
Econometrics
Entrepreneurship & Innovation
Entrepreneurship Management
Environmental Management
Executive Leadership
Finance & Economics
Financial Management
Health Care Administration
Hotel Management
Human Resources
International Business
Logistics
Maritime Port Management
Marketing & Communication
Mass Communication Management
Natural Ecosystems Management
Operations Management
Organizational Communication
Outdoor Recreation Management
Petroleum Industry Management
Project Engineering Management
Protocol & Etiquette
Public Health
Public Policy & Administration
Public Relations
Real Estate
Sales & Product Management
Security & Emergency Management
Special Events Management
Sport Management
Total Quality Management
Tourism & Leisure Industry
Tourism & Leisure Management

Faculty of Computer Science



Artificial Intelligence
Computation Engineering
Computational Intelligence
Computer Science
Computer Systems & Networks
E-Business & E-Commerce
Information Technology
Management Information Systems
Software Engineering
Systems Analysis & Design

Faculty of Engineering & Technology



Aeronautical Technology
Architecture & Architectural Design
Automotive Technology
Building Technology & Design
Chemical Engineering
Civil Engineering
Electrical Engineering
Electronics Engineering
Energy Engineering
Environmental Engineering
Geotechnical Engineering
Hydraulic Engineering
Industrial Engineering
Landscape Architecture
Maintenance Engineering Management
Materials Science Engineering
Mechanical Engineering
Mechatronic Engineering
Military Engineering
Mining Engineering
Occupational Safety & Health
Petroleum & Natural Gas Engineering
Petroleum & Natural Gas Production
Process Instrumentation Technology
R & D Research & Development
Renewable Energies
Robotics & Automation
Structural Engineering
Sustainable Architecture
Technological Management
Telecommunication Engineering
Urban Planning & Design

Faculty of Natural & Health Science



Anti-Aging Therapy
Aromatherapy
Ayurveda
Bioenergetic Therapy
Energy Healing
Food Science
Herbology & Phytotherapy
Homeopathy
Human Biology
Iridology
Kinesiology
Manual Therapy & Massage
Natural Beauty & Cosmetics
Natural Health Science
Naturopathy
Nutrition & Diet Therapy
Quantum Healing Therapy
Regenerative Cellular Therapy
Scientific Nutrition
Sensory Therapy
Sports Training
TCM Traditional Chinese Medicine
Toxicology
Wellness & Health
Yoga Therapy

Faculty of Life & Earth Sciences



Astronomy
Biochemistry
Biology & Life Science
Botany & Plant Science
Chemistry
Earth Science
Ecology
Environmental Health
Ethology
Fire Science
Forestry
Genetics
Geography & Cartography
Geology
Human Animal Studies
Livestock & Animal Science
Marine Science
Mathematics
Meteorology
Microbiology & Immunology
Molecular Cell Biology
Optics
Physics
Pure Sciences
Soil Science
Statistics
Sustainable Agriculture
Wood Science
Zoology



Faculty of Psychology

Addictive Behavior
Animal Assisted Therapy
Clinical Psychology
Coaching & Leadership
Cognitive Psychology
Counseling Psychology
Criminology
General Psychology
Gestalt Therapy
Holistic Integral Therapy
Hypnotherapy
Neural & Brain Science
NLP Neuro Linguistic Programming
Organizational Psychology
Parapsychology
Personal Growth Techniques
Psychosomatic Therapy
Psychotherapy
Sexology
Social Psychology
Social Work
Soul Therapy
Transpersonal Psychology





What is a Master of Philosophy “by Research” via distance Learning

The Master of Philosophy (MPhil) is a post-graduate Master by Research consisting in carrying out an academic research in almost total autonomy; the research will culminate in a Final Dissertation (at least 90 pages).

Since admission requirements are different in each country according to their different frameworks, there is a substantial lack of coordination. The result is that each university has its own system. In order to obtain a Selinus distance learning MPhil Degree by Research, 40 Uniselinus Credits are required in addition to a Bachelor's or other Master's degree. We welcome applications from students who have relevant experience and eagerness for successful course completion. That is why Selinus can admit a candidate student by APEL (Accreditation Prior Experiential Learning) system, provided that the validated credits are coherent with the chosen discipline.

The Master of Philosophy (MPhil) represents a high level academic specialization and allows direct access to a PhD. Thanks to their experience in the field, candidates acquire a high disciplinary specialization, precise knowledge and educational experience; all those elements will merge into the final Master thesis. The achievement of Selinus University MPhil will rely on the thesis evaluation content and structure. Besides that, subject originality, structure, candidate's autonomy in carrying out the research will be evaluated. To access a MPhil program a 30 years old minimum age is required (it is necessary to turn 30 within the year of enrolment).

Costs

The MPhil program has a much lower cost than a "traditional" Master's that is usually spread over two or three years. In fact, each credit has a cost of 60 euros, compared to about 150 euros of a traditional program. Since 40 credits are needed, the all-inclusive program cost will be € 2.000 euros to be possibly split up to a maximum of 12 consecutive monthly installments.



Candidate profile

Selinus University's distance learning Master of Philosophy by Research is perfect for graduates and professionals from various disciplines who wish to increase their academic credentials obtaining a prestigious postgraduate degree. Candidates, professionals, entrepreneurs, managers and simple students will have to show a high level of flexibility and appreciation of the distance method. Selinus University is a non-formal Distance University that enjoys an excellent international reputation. However, its study programs are suitable for many purposes but not for all, so we recommend students to check the degree usability for professional purposes in their country before enrolment.



Accreditation - Education Quality - Reputation

The accreditation process is non-governmental and voluntary. A distance education University normally appeals to a private, regional or professional association for accreditation; when any University applies, the accrediting institution performs an overall assessment and grants the accreditation only when deemed appropriate. Note that each accrediting organization has its own accreditation criteria. No worldwide accreditation standards are currently available for any distance learning higher education institutions such as Selinus University. A distance learning degree is useful for many purposes but not for all. It gives access to many professions and jobs while others require government-accredited diplomas. For this reason, before enrolling, we suggest our potential students to verify the correct degree use in their country. Professional reputation depends on people's skills as well as acquired know-how; that is only virtually represented by the obtained degree. We have to bear in mind that any company relies on problem-solving skills and competences owned by aspiring employees rather than on their degree.

For most companies, the completion of a distance university program is as valid as attending courses on a formal university campus. In fact, completing a distance degree course demonstrates an unquestionable level of will, responsibility, motivation and personal organization. These skills are highly valued in the workplace and explain why HR managers do not value employees earning degrees only.

Selinus University of Science and Literature has the WCI (World Certification Institute) accreditation

Selinus University is globally accredited by the WCI (World Certification Institute), a leading global certifying body that grants credential awards to individuals besides accrediting educational institutions and organizations. The WCI accredits courses and study programs delivered by universities, colleges, schools, professional institutions and training companies.

WCI has accredited Selinus University of Science and Literature after carefully reviewing, validating and authenticating its study programs.

The World Certification Institute examined the following parameters: course content and duration, teacher qualifications and expertise, financial strength and integrity of course providers, available facilities and resources, delivery and assessment method and most importantly the titles relevance to professional and career development, in line with Selinus University's mission.

The WCI Board has recognized that Selinus University's programs of study are up to global educational standards and conferred accreditation. University is not accredited by an accrediting agency recognized by the United States Secretary of Education.

The accreditation process is non-governmental and it is a voluntary, self-regulatory process to ensure the academic quality of educational institutions. There are no worldwide accreditation standards.

Accreditation does not correspond to legality or recognition, but is a non-governmental and voluntary quality standard.

Selinus University's higher distance education is accredited by recognized bodies or members of private international bodies and meets the educational quality standards of these organizations.



Quality management Certification Selinus University ISO 9001 Certified Selinus University ISO 29990:2010 LSMS Certified Business School ISO 21001:2018 EOMS Certified

In February 2022, the Selinus University of Science and Literature was awarded the **ISO 9001 quality management certification**. A certification for which organisations must undergo thorough conformity checks by an accredited certification body and which attests to the quality with which Selinus University implements systems and solutions for its students.

Since December 2022, it is also certified **ISO 29990:2010** as an international university for the conduct of career-focused study programmes via Distance Learning for Bachelors, Masters and Doctorate degrees.

Selinus University Business School is also certified **ISO 21001:2018 EOMS** as an International business school for Professionals, Managers and Entrepreneurs for conducting study programmes aimed at awarding Bachelors of Business Administration (BBA) Masters of Business Administration (MBA) Doctor of Business Administration (DBA) and Global Executive PhD.

ISO standards are defined by the International Organisation for Standardisation (ISO) and outline the requirements for quality management systems within organisations and companies in both the private and public sectors. It consists of a series of standards, which can be applied to various processes within organisations.

Guarantees of Certifications

The ISO 9001, 29990, 21001 certifications obtained by Selinus University place the student and his or her satisfaction at the centre of the activities and processes implemented in all phases of management. Selinus University thus demonstrates that it adopts a quality management system by analysing and understanding the needs and expectations of its students. Furthermore, it guarantees the characteristics of its services by performing continuous monitoring. It prevents non-conformities and adopts improvement processes by carrying out internal audits.

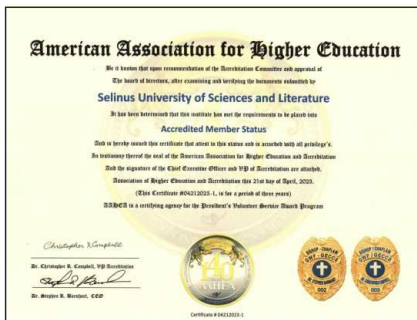


Selinus University has been granted full accreditation by the AAHEA (The American Association for Higher Education)

The American Association for Higher Education (AAHEA) is the oldest non-profit association in the United States dedicated to the advancement of higher education.

The American Association for Higher Education (AAHEA) is an independent professional organisation that promotes change and reform in higher education, fosters quality teaching and learning at the college and university level, and promotes public awareness of the value of higher education in the United States and around the world.

The goals of the AAHEA include identifying and analysing critical problems, trends, and developments in higher education and seeking constructive solutions; helping to coordinate the efforts of educational institutions and agencies at all levels; encouraging the improvement of professional work in all areas of higher education; and developing a better understanding by the general public of higher education and higher education as a profession. In pursuit of these objectives, the AAHE provides a forum for the expression of ideas related to higher education and public policy.



The Selinus University has obtained the ECICEL International Membership

The European Centre for Independent Certification in E-Learning (ECICEL) is an international professional association governed by Council and officials. It was founded in 2010 to improve the quality of the sector, which includes maintaining the standards of the education system and promoting modern administrative practices in pedagogy.

ECICEL essentially provides services to colleges, schools, training organisations and universities worldwide.

With over 15 years of experience in the sector, ECICEL offers a unique insight into the global online education market.



Selinus University has the QAHE accreditation (International Association for Quality Assurance in Higher Education)

The QAHE, registered in Delaware USA, is an independent, private and international organization which is funded through fees charged for its accreditation services to Higher Education Institutions, Certification Bodies, E-Learning Management System Providers and Training Organizations. We use our expertise to support the development of quality assurance systems worldwide. As the accrediting agency has grown in size and complexity, the quality assurance systems have evolved and, progressively, tasks are articulated and delegated, with official certifications.

QAHE is an expert in recognizing higher education institutions for research performances, student services and quality of teaching to value the confidence of the public along with supporting the development of quality assurance systems worldwide. Furthermore, QAHE has been assessed and found to conform to the requirements of ISO 9001:2015(Quality Management System), ISO 29990 (Non-formal Education and Training Services Management System), ISO/IEC 17011:2017 (requirements for the competence, consistent operation and impartiality of accreditation bodies assessing and accrediting conformity assessment bodies), ISO/IEC 17040:2005 (the general requirements for the peer assessment process to be carried out by agreement groups of accreditation bodies or conformity assessment bodies), ISO 20000:2018 (Service Management System) and ISO 27001:2013 (Information Security Management System).

With its huge network and recognition from worldwide organizations, QAHE accreditation status signifies your institution's commitment to quality education which is in compliance of international standards.



Selinus cooperates with the California University CFE for the issuance of the equivalent degree in the USA

Thanks to this partnership, a validation procedure of the credits obtained allows Selinus University students to obtain the equivalent US Degree.

California University FCE is a unified assessment organization that works in unison with other social service agencies, nonprofit corporations and associations. CUFCE helps US citizens and non-US citizens achieve their American dream.

California University FCE is organized under the Nonprofit Public Benefit Corporation Act for public and charitable purposes and is subject to California Franchise Tax Exempt Status. It is registered with the State of California Registrar of Deeds. California University FCE has applied for and been granted a five-year renewable institutional registration by the Registrar of Los Angeles County, California, current registration number: 20100880209.

Selinus University graduates can apply to CUFCE to obtain the Dual degree.

Please, contact the Secretariat for further information.



NOTE

Very rarely our students, that are managers, professionals and entrepreneurs, need to obtain licenses or transfer academic credits to/from other institutions; most of the times they already have a degree and are established professionals. However, in the United States, many licensing authorities require accredited degrees as a basis for licensing. In some cases, accredited universities may not accept non-accredited universities degrees for transfer courses and some employers may require an accredited degree as a basis for employment eligibility. Selinus University respects the specific rules and regulations of each country and does not seek to influence the respective authorities.

In the event that a potential student wishes to enroll at Selinus University in order to access a governmental process of public or state employment using the degree obtained at Selinus University, we recommend that the requirements of such a process are explored in detail with the relevant authorities in one's country to assess whether the degree is useful for one's purposes, as the university does not intervene in such processes.

How to enroll

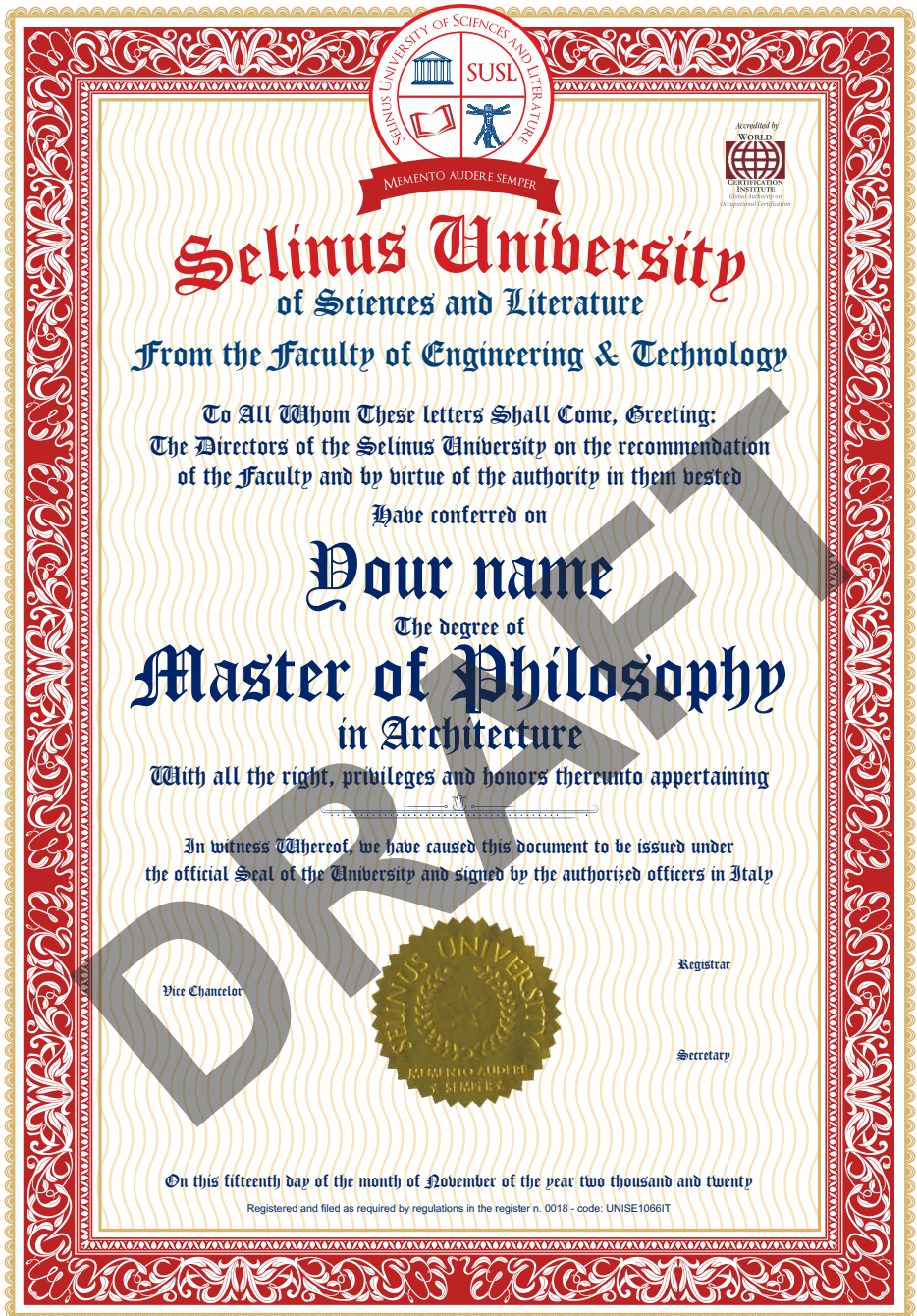
If you are willing to apply to the Master program, you need to fill in the Application Form, indicating the Master you wish to pursue and the relevant academic discipline (Major) - for example: Master of Science in Psychology, or Master of Arts in History. Attach your CV, two passport size photos, tax code and a copy of your ID card or passport.

If your application is successful, you will receive a Certificate of Enrollment, the Confirmation Letter and the payment plan as indicated in your application.

You can download a copy of the Application Form on our website: www.uniselinus.education clicking in the section Master (Mphil).

All documents have to be scanned and sent as email attachment to the following email address: **info@selinusuniversity.it**

Master of Philosophy Certification Sample



Master of Philosophy Transcript Sample

SELINUS UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCES AND LITERATURE



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Official Transcript

THE SUSL GRADING SYSTEM

To earn any SUSL credits a grade of E (2.0-50%) or higher is required

- A 4.0 - Excellent (91-99%)
- B 3.5 - Very Good (81-90%)
- C 3.0 - Good (71-80%)
- D 2.5 - Satisfactory (61-70%)
- E 2.0 - Sufficient (51-60%)
- F 1.5 Fail (<50%)

ACADEMIC YEAR 2019/2020
NOVEMBER, 15 2020

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COMMONWEALTH DOMINICA

Registration Code:

SOURCES OF SUSL CREDITS:

- * *PR.ED* Code Credits: Transferred from documented previous education
- * *APEL* Code Credits: Accreditation of prior experiential learning
- 001 = General Educational courses
- 002 = Specific Educational
- 003 = Bachelor's Specialist & Expert
- 004 = Bachelor's courses
- 005 = Master's courses
- 006 = Master's & Doctorate courses
- 007 = Doctorate courses
- 008 = Thesis

1 SUSL CREDIT = 1 USA Semester Credit
= 15 hours of notional learning
= 30 ours of study or working
1 SUSL CREDIT = 2 ECTS Credits



Official Transcript

Name **YOUR NAME**

From

Birth Date:

Degree	Major / Minor	Graduation Date
Master of Philosophy	Architecture	November 15 , 2020



Faculty of Engineering & Technology

BUILDING TECHNOLOGY & DESIGN

DEGREE CREDITS: **160** ECTS Equivalent: **320**

Undergraduate: 120	+ Postgraduate: 40	= SUSL Credits: 160	Grade Point Average: 3.93
APEL Credits 120	Academic Credits 40	Accumulated: 160	

Approval Thesis Date	CIC	Master program	Academic Credits	Grade
	APEL	Examination Units validated by APEL max (Accreditation Prior Experiential Credits)	120	
13/10/2020	008	Academic Assessment of Final Dissertation Final Dissertation (Thesis): <i>Thesis title</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Candidate's contribution to the research • Formulation and motivation of the research problem • Research structure • Research methodology • Scientific, social and practical relevance of research • Field of research, knowledge and use of literature • Consistency, stylistic and linguistic form of presentation • Scientific relevance of research results 		
		Total Credits	40	

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**Please note that Selinus University does not provide
visas and immigration services, because all our
distance degree programs can be completed at home**

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