## ANNEX A

# ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS FOR BACHELOR'S DEGREE PROGRAMMES IN ARCHITECTURE

## **ACADEMIC YEAR 2019/2020**

# STUDENTS WITH AN ITALIAN EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATION

#### LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS

For the Bachelor's degree programme in Architecture taught in English: applicants must have an English language certificate – B2 level of the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR).

The English language certificates or exemptions accepted by Politecnico di Torino to ascertain applicants' knowledge of English (B2 level) are available at:

https://didattica.polito.it/cla/en/certificates

# How to upload your English language certificate to the Apply@polito platform

- 1. For IELTS certificates: please enter your TRF Number in the *Language abilities* section of the Apply@polito platform. You can find this number on your certificate or in the message you received by e-mail when the results were published.
- 2. For Cambridge certificates: please enter your CANDIDATE'S ID NUMBER and CANDIDATE'S SECRET NUMBER. You can find these numbers in the message you received by e-mail after registering for the exam.

In these two cases, you do not need to upload a copy of your certificate.

3. If you do not have a TRF Number, CANDIDATE'S ID NUMBER or CANDIDATE'S SECRET NUMBER (this is the case if you got your certificate when this service was not available), or if you have an English language certificate other than IELTS or Cambridge (but included in the list of accepted certificates available at: https://didattica.polito.it/cla/en/certificates), please follow the instructions provided in the specific section of the Apply@polito platform.

## **OTHER REQUIREMENTS**

High school diploma (self-certificate)

#### ORIGINAL DOCUMENTS TO BE PRESENTED FOR ENROLMENT

- a) Identification document
- Certificate providing evidence of English language competency. This certificate is compulsory for enrolment in the Bachelor's degree programme in Architecture taught in English.
- c) For underage applicants: self-certificate (*dichiarazione sostitutiva di certificazioni* articles 5 and 46 of Presidential decree no. 445 of 28/12/2000) signed by a parent or a legal guardian and a photocopy of the singer's identification document. This form is available on your Apply@polito personal page.
- d) For non-EU applicants: residence permit (if they already reside in Italy) or student visa type D.

## STUDENTS WITH A NON-ITALIAN EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATION

#### LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS

• For the Bachelor's degree programme in Architecture taught in Italian: PLIDA B1.

The certificates or exemptions accepted by Politecnico di Torino in substitution for PLIDA are available at:

# https://didattica.polito.it/cla/en/certificates.

• Bachelor's degree programmes entirely taught in English (or with first year in English only): applicants must have an English language certificate – B2 level of the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR).

The English language certificates or exemptions accepted by Politecnico di Torino to ascertain applicants' knowledge of English (B2 level) are available at:

https://didattica.polito.it/cla/en/certificates.

# How to upload your language certificate to the Apply@polito platform

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- 2. For Cambridge certificates: please enter your CANDIDATE'S ID NUMBER and CANDIDATE'S SECRET NUMBER. You can find these numbers in the message you received by e-mail after registering for the exam.

In these two cases, you do not need to upload a copy of your certificate.

3. If you do not have a TRF Number, CANDIDATE'S ID NUMBER or CANDIDATE'S SECRET NUMBER (this is the case if you got your certificate when this service was not availabe), or if you have an English language certificate other than IELTS or Cambridge (but included in the list of accepted certificates available at: https://didattica.polito.it/cla/en/certificates), please follow the instructions provided in the specific section of the Apply@polito platform.

#### OTHER REQUIREMENTS

- High school diploma obtained after a period of at least 12 years of school attendance
  - If you were awarded your high school diploma after attending less than 12 years of school:

High school diploma awarded after a period of 11 years of school attendance + firstyear university exams completed with a passing grade

or

High school diploma awarded after a period of 10 years of school attendance + first and second-year university exams completed with a passing grade

or

High school diploma awarded after a period of 10 or 11 years of school attendance + a post-secondary final qualification awarded by a non-university institution in a field of study related to the Bachelor's degree programme you have chosen

Foundation course (preparation year) successfully completed at a higher education institution. Politecnico di Torino assesses the Foundation course certificate and decides on its eligibility for admission.

You can enrol at Politecnico if you have one of the following qualifications:

U.S. high school diploma with at least 3 Advanced Placement courses (APs) passed with a grade between 3 and 5 in three different subjects related to the Bachelor's degree programme you have chosen (see Annex B for further details)

or

U.K. high school diploma (GCSE) with at least three A-levels in three different subjects related to the Bachelor's degree programme you have chosen (see Annex B for further details)

or

Scottish high school diploma with at least three Advanced Highers, or, alternatively, 2 Advanced Highers + at least 4 Highers (see Annex B for further details)

• For countries where university admissions are regulated by a specific admission test: certificate stating that you passed the national admission test.

#### ORIGINAL DOCUMENTS TO BE PRESENTED FOR ENROLMENT

- a) Identification document or passport
- b) Fiscal code
- c) For non-EU nationals: residence permit for applicants who already reside in Italy, or student visa type D
- d) For underage applicants: self-certificate (*dichiarazione sostitutiva di certificazioni* articles 5 and 46 of Presidential decree no. 445 of 28/12/2000) signed by a parent or a legal guardian and a photocopy of the signer's identification document. This form is available on the your Apply@polito personal page
- e) High school diploma
- f) For applicants with a U.S. high school diploma: certificate stating that you passed 3 Advanced Placement courses (APs), as specified in Annex B
- g) For applicants with a U.K. high school diploma (GCSE): certificate stating that you have 3 A-levels, as specified in Annex B
- h) For applicants with a Scottish high school diploma: certificate stating that you have three Advanced Highers, or, alternatively, 2 Advanced Highers + at least 4 Highers, as specified in Annex B
- i) High school diploma official translation into Italian
- j) For countries where university admissions are regulated by a specific admission test: certificate stating that you passed the national admission test.

- In the event of school education lasting less than 12 years: university transcript of records (with official translation into Italian) with the results of the exams passed in the first year or in the first two years; or, post-secondary final qualification (with official translation into Italian) awarded by a non-university institution in a field of study related to the Bachelor's degree programme you have chosen; or, successful completion of a Foundation Course.
- m) Statement of validity (*dichiarazione di valore*) of the high school diploma or certificate issued by ENIC-NARIC
- n) Language certificate (Italian or English): this document must be provided exclusively by applicants referred to in point 3 of the paragraph "How to upload your language certificate to the Apply@polito platform".