



## **Pre- Call for Application for Lab Rotation Abroad**

### **Virgilio program – Academic Year 2025-26**

Virgilio program at UNIMIB is launching Pre-Call for Application for Lab Rotation Abroad. The objective is for students to prepare the necessary documentation required. **The actual Call for Application will be open from 1st - 10th July, 2025.**

**Duration:** The mobility for laboratory rotations abroad will have a duration of one month (4 weeks full-time) and must take place between August 1, 2025, and July 31, 2026. At the end of the rotation, selected students will receive 14 university credits (CFU) for the activities carried out.

**Eligible Activities** – During the mobility period, research laboratories are allowed at universities, hospitals, public or private organizations.

**Eligibility Requirements** – Students enrolled in the 6th, 7th, or 8th cohort of the Virgilio Program are eligible to apply for the international laboratory rotation program.

#### **Scholarship Amount:**

EU Member Countries (including the United Kingdom and Switzerland) – €1,500 (gross)

Non-EU Countries – €2,500 (gross)

**Selection:** will be based on merit and includes:

- Weighted average of exams completed by the application deadline;
- Evaluation of the curriculum vitae, with particular attention to previous experience in research laboratories and other relevant skills/interests;
- Evaluation of the motivation letter, with particular focus on the reasons behind the choice of the host laboratory in relation to the applicant's research interests and professional goals, as well as the expected benefits of the proposed rotation for their academic training.

**Documents to prepare:** The application must include the following documents:

- Application form - attached
- Self-certification listing exams taken with grades (downloadable from the student's personal page)
- Curriculum vitae: with a focus on education, experience in basic research laboratories, and other relevant skills/interests
- Motivation letter: indicating the chosen laboratory and the intended period of the rotation (written in English, maximum 1,000 words)

**Apply:** Interested students who meet the eligibility requirements outlined above must submit their application via email to: [virgilioprogram@unimib.it](mailto:virgilioprogram@unimib.it), between July 1st and July 10, 2025, by 12:00 PM (noon).

**Please Note:** In order to apply, you must have confirmation from the hosting lab. You are free to contact the labs abroad and may also seek support from your mentor or other Virgilio faculty members.

For any doubts or queries, please do contact us.

We recommend to start preparing all the documents for the application and then apply as soon as the call opens on July 1st.

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