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POLICYMAKING

Bridging Research into *Policy Impact*

A Training Program for Early-Stage Researchers on Evidence-Informed Policymaking



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TESAR: From Knowledge to Action

A part time, hybrid training program for researchers to bridge research & policy

- Turn your research into real-world impact
- Learn how to influence decisions that matter
- Join a new generation of policy-engaged researchers

 **Starting in September 2026**

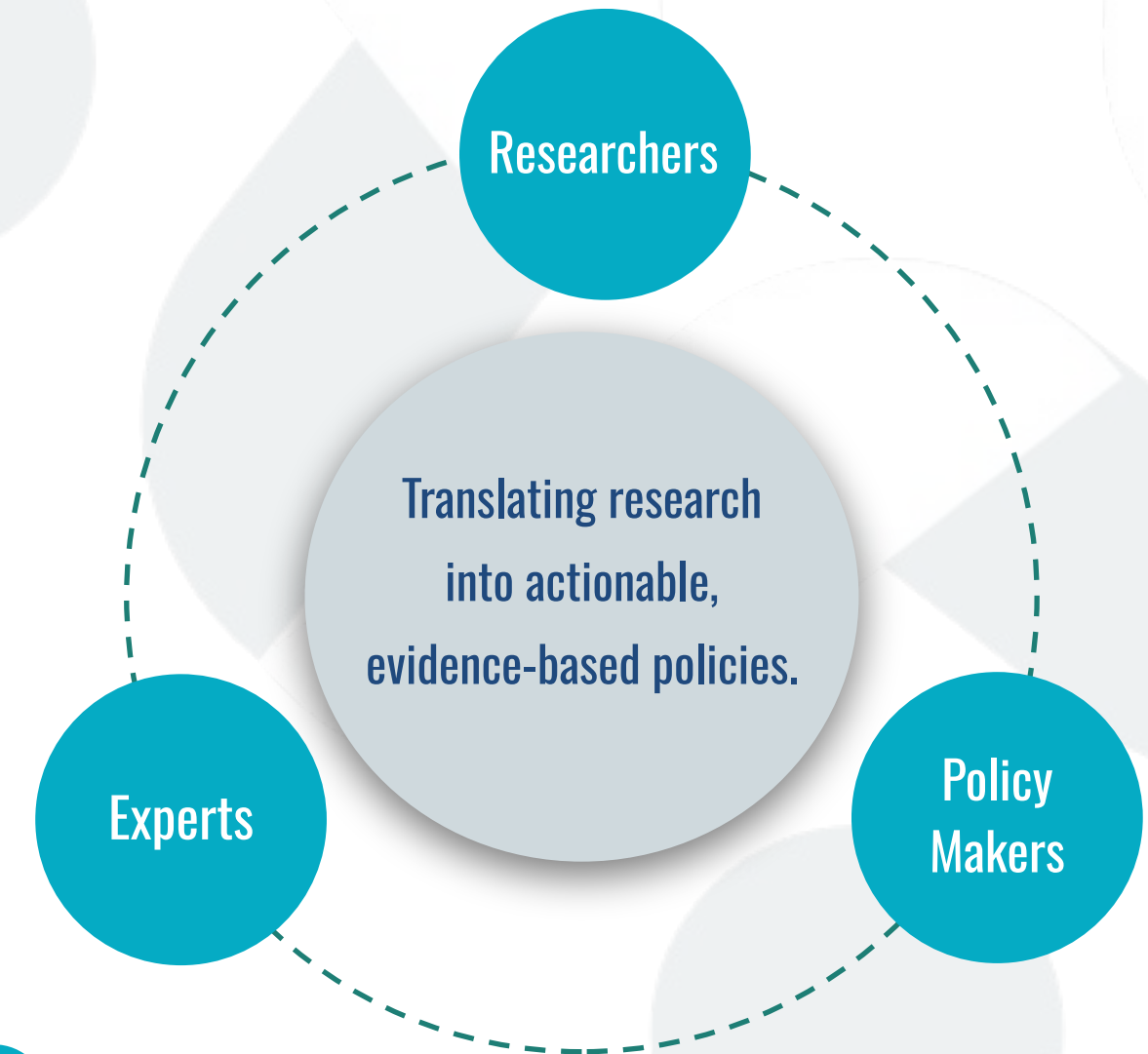
 **Free to join**

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Innovative training modules

Digital simulation environment

AI-driven policy communication tools



Evidence-Informed Policymaking

TESAR bridges the gap between *research* and *policymaking* by empowering **early-stage researchers** (*Master's students, PhD candidates, and postdoctoral fellows*) with knowledge, skills & tools to turn evidence into **impactful policy**.

Over **30 hours** TESAR brings together *universities, research institutions, and training providers* across Europe to develop both *theoretical* and *practical* competences for **Evidence-Informed Policymaking (EIPM)**.



The Erasmus+ KA220-HED project TESAR: Training for Early-Stage Researchers on Evidence-Informed Policymaking is an initiative funded by the European Union under the Cooperation Partnerships in Higher Education programme.



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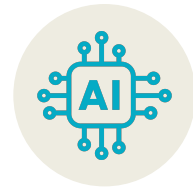
Build the Skills That Make Research Matter



Bridge the **research–policy gap** by equipping early-stage-researchers with *Science for Policy* competences



Practical, hands-on training through **simulations & role-playing exercises**



Harness **AI** to make your research clear, concise, and impactful for decision-makers



Enhance critical thinking, **collaboration**, and policy communication skills



Earn a **micro-credentials certification**



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Core training at a glance

6 Online Modules (10 hours)
(Sep - Dec 2026)



1 In-person Session (1 Day)
December 4 (location: Milan, IT)

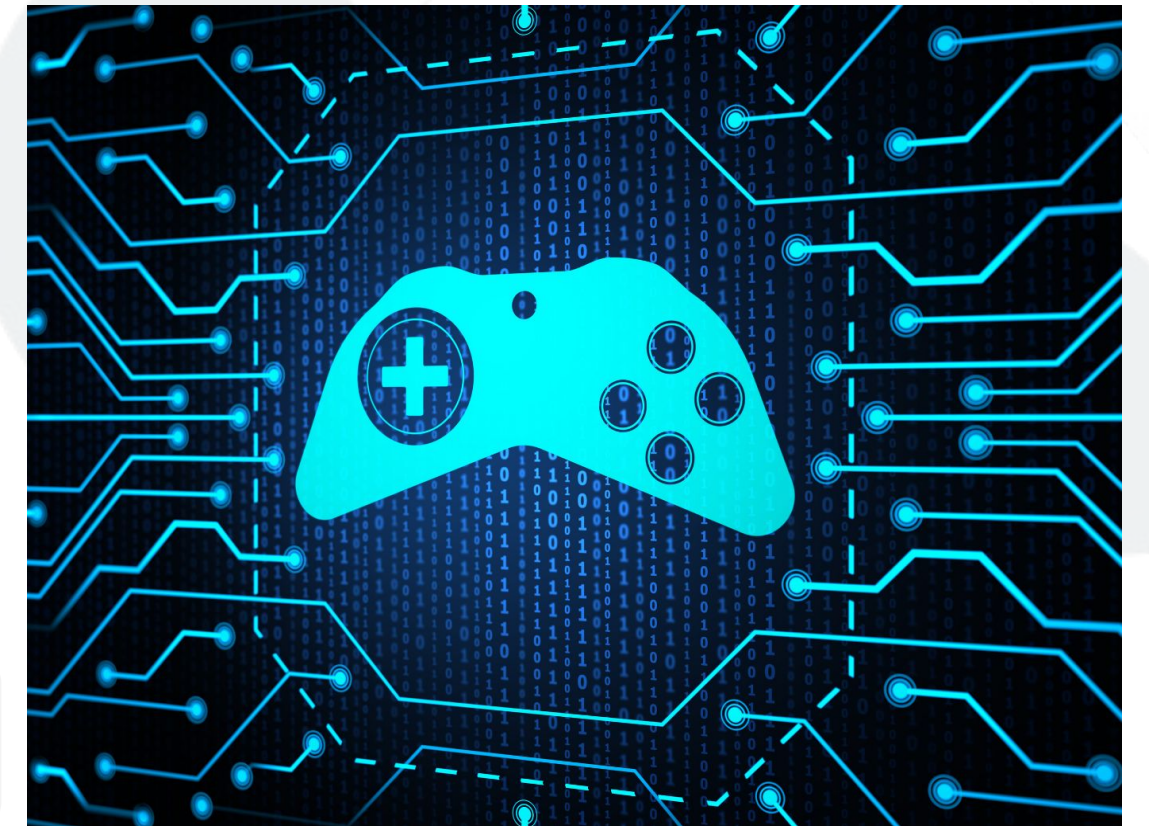


Future of Policy Making



Workshop on Policy Making
case study

Simulation & Teamwork (12 h)
(Jan-Jun 2027)



TAKE AWAY: Microcredentials 

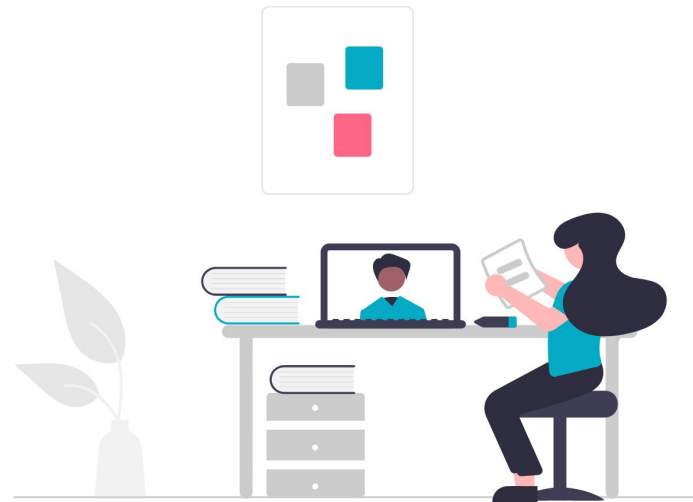
Policy Briefs 

Community 

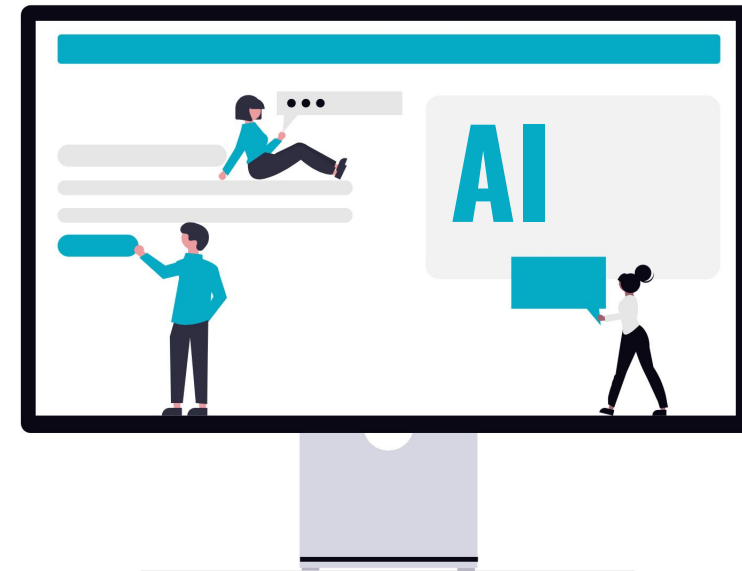
Online Modules

- 1 **Advise the political level** 
- 2 **Innovate for policy impact** 
- 3 **Work with evidence** 
- 4 **Be future literate** 
- 5 **Engage with citizens & stakeholders** 
- 6 **Communication & collaboration for Policy Making** 

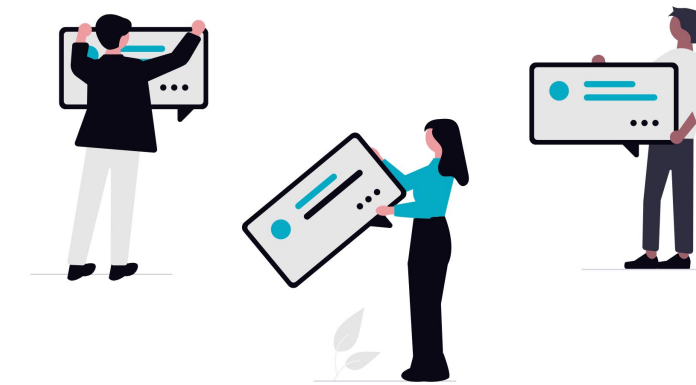
Interactive Learning Environment



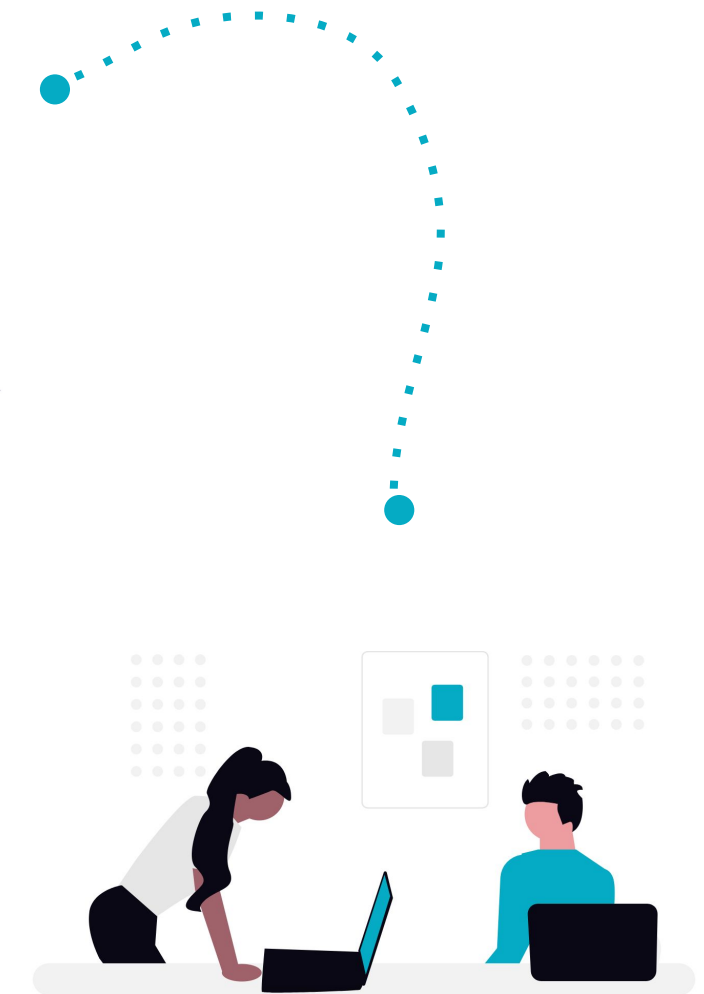
Theory Digital Modules



Application Sandbox
with AI-powered assistant



Sharing & Networking Seminar



Action Policy Brief
as final Team Project

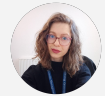


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Meet the Trainers



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Fabijan Popović - PAR University of Applied Sciences



Dora Šimunović - PAR University of Applied Sciences



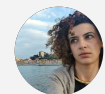
Magda Hewitt - PAR University of Applied Sciences



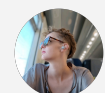
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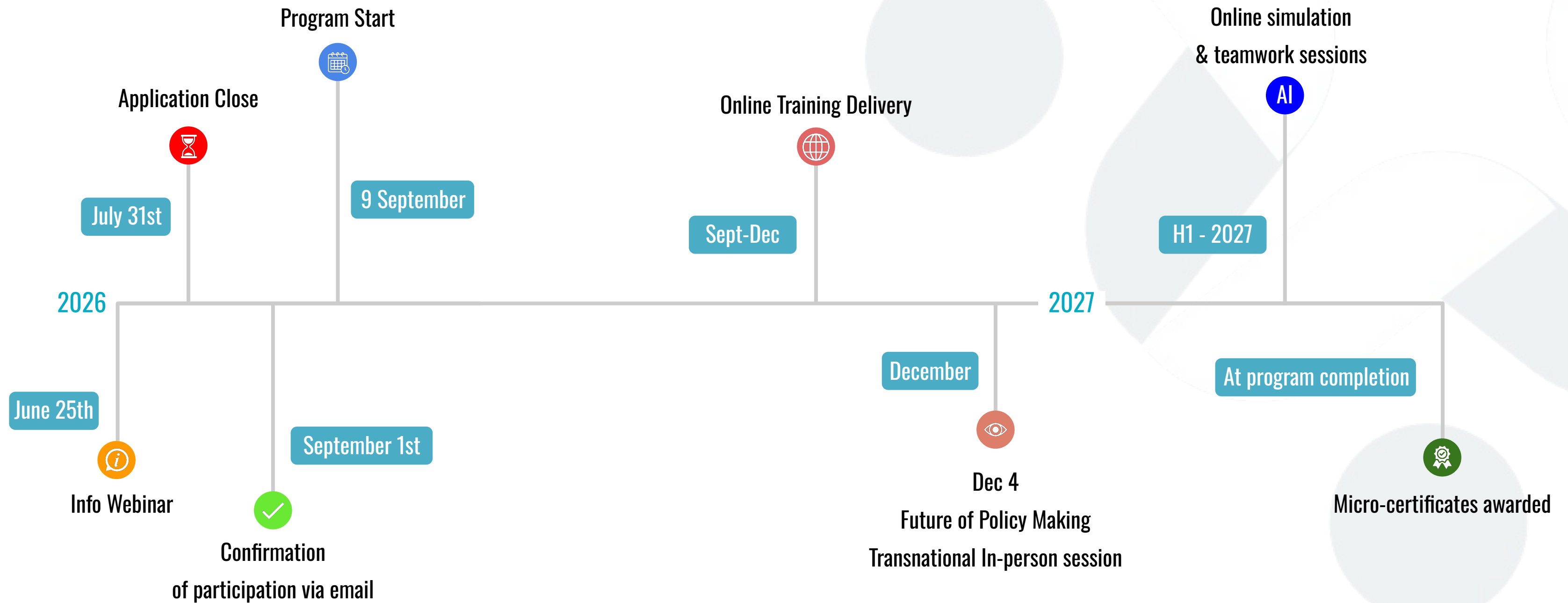


+ *Experts & Policy makers*



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Training Calendar



Is Tesar for you?

Who can apply

- Researchers who want to create policy impact
- PhD candidates, postdocs, early-stage researchers
- Open to all research fields (engineering, health, humanities, etc.)
- Open worldwide
- Affiliated with an institution (university, company etc.)
- Motivated to shape societal outcomes



FREE TO JOIN *Training fee covered by the EU*

Please note: travel costs are not covered

Partner Institutions

-  University of Southern Denmark [↗](#)
-  Centro Ricerche e Studi dei Laghi Srl [↗](#)
-  PAR University of Applied Sciences [↗](#)
-  Taras Shevchenko National University of Kyiv [↗](#)
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Applications open until

Midnight Friday, 31 st July 2026



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