

## New Call for Applications for the Erasmus Mundus Joint Master on Climate Change and Diversity: Sustainable Territorial Development (CCD-STeDe) a. y. 2025/2027

We are glad to inform you that the first call for applications for the next academic year (2025/26) of the Erasmus Mundus Joint Master on **Climate Change and Diversity: Sustainable Territorial Development** (CCD-STeDe) is now open until the 15th of February 2025!

CCD-STeDe is a two-year Master's Degree course (120 ECTS) that aims to prepare experts in the area of **sustainable territorial development** in the context of **global climate and environmental emergencies**. This unique, inclusive, high-quality, innovative, multi-languages, Erasmus Mundus Joint Master is mutually managed by a consortium of 2 EU and 3 non-EU universities and 3 EU and 1 non-EU professional partners.

CCD-STeDe is organised in **4 academic paths**, combining different languages, and different types of teachings: in presence, blended, and online:

- Climate change, sustainability, development / Cambio Climático, Sustentabilidad y Desarrollo (University of Padova and Universidad Andina Simón Bolívar; teaching languages: English and Spanish)
- Regional and local studies / Estudos Regionais e Locais (University of Padova and Universidade da Madeira; teaching languages: English and Portuguese)
- Territorial management / Aménagement du Territoire (University of Padova and Université Joseph Ki Zerbo; teaching languages: English and French)
- Environmental Management (University of Padova and University of Johannesburg; teaching languages: English and French)

CCD - STeDe refers to a Consortium of high-level international universities and professional partners in the field of sustainable territorial development. The 5 partner universities of the Consortium are the University of Padua, programme coordinator (Italy), Universidad Andina Simón Bolívar (Quito, Ecuador), Université Joseph KI-ZERBO (Burkina Faso), Universidade da Madeira (Portugal), University of Johannesburg (South Africa).

The professional partners are: The European Association for Local Democracy - ALDA (France/Italy), Via Via Tourism Academy (Belgium), Fundación Pachamama (Ecuador), GISHub Association (Padova/Italy).

At the end of the courses students will receive a double degree (path 1,2,3) or a joint degree (path 4 – from University of Padova and University of Johannesburg):

- Laurea Magistrale in Sustainable Territorial Development – Climate Change diversity cooperation, Classe n. LM-81 delle Lauree Magistrali in Scienze per la Cooperazione allo Sviluppo – (D.M. 22/10/2004, n.270), awarded by the University of Padua, Italy

And, depending on the path followed, one among the following degrees:

- Maestría de investigación en Cambio Climático, Sustentabilidad y Desarrollo awarded by Universidad Andina Simón Bolívar, Quito, Ecuador
- Mestrado em Estudos Regionais e Locais, awarded by Universidade da Madeira, Portugal
- Master on Environmental Management, awarded by University of Johannesburg, South Africa
- Master recherche en Géographie Spécialité: Aménagement du Territoire, awarded by Université Joseph Ki Zerbo, Burkina Faso

Thanks to EU support 20 Erasmus Mundus scholarships per year are allocated to the best-ranked students from all over the World and distributed between the 4 academic paths. Other students will be admitted with partial support, fee waiver, or self-funded.

Registration for the first call is now open until the 15th of February 2025.

For more information visit: <https://ccd-stede.eu/>



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