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Course unit English denomination	Bibliography, plagiarism, academic publishing
Teacher in charge (if defined)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Bruno Costantina</li><li>● Cattarinussi Raffaella</li><li>● Rubino Elisa</li><li>● Visentin Michele</li><li>● Zorzi Michela</li></ul>
Teaching Hours	9
Number of ECTS credits allocated	1
Course period	01/2025-02/2025
Course delivery method	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> In presence <input type="checkbox"/> Remotely <input type="checkbox"/> Blended
Language of instruction	English
Mandatory attendance	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes (100% minimum of presence, apart from exceptional absences that must be justify in advance) <input type="checkbox"/> No
Course unit contents	<p>First module: How to do an effective bibliographic research in Padua University</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Services and resources.</li><li>2. Databases by topics.</li></ol> <p>Second module: Bibliography and Plagiarism</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Bibliographic citations and citation styles. Plagiarism.</li><li>2. Reference management: introduction to Zotero. Integration with LaTeX.</li></ol> <p>Third module: Bibliometrics and academic publishing</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Introduction to bibliometrics. Academic publishing and Open Access.</li><li>2. Padua Research Archive (PRA/IRIS), the institutional repository for academic research.</li></ol> <p>Fourth module: Open Science and PhD thesis</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Institutional repositories for the outputs of research.</li><li>2. Management of PhD theses.</li></ol>
Learning goals	Participants will learn how to conduct effective bibliographic research using university resources and topic-specific databases. They will master citation practices, avoid plagiarism, and gain proficiency in using Zotero for reference management and LaTeX integration. The course will cover bibliometrics, academic publishing, and Open Access concepts, alongside navigation of the Padua Research Archive for research outputs. Finally, participants will understand Open Science principles and manage PhD theses within institutional frameworks, enhancing their academic research skills.

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Teaching methods

● Lectures and practices

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Course on transversal,  
interdisciplinary,  
transdisciplinary skills

Yes  
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Available for PhD  
students from other  
courses

Yes  
 No

Students from other PhD courses may be admitted until the maximum number of students has been reached.

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Prerequisites  
(not mandatory)

None

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Examination methods  
(in applicable)

None

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Suggested readings

Course material available from the instructors

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Additional information

Students who have attended the training activity of the master course in Statistical Sciences are exempt from the first two modules.

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