

TUITION WAIVER FOR OUTSTANDING MAMA CANDIDATES

In collaboration with the Advisory Board for the Arts

SDA Bocconi School of Management (in collaboration with the Advisory Board for the Arts) is making available one partial merit-based tuition waiver up to € 7,500 (25% of the tuition fee) to 2027-28 MAMA candidates with an outstanding profile.

1. Beneficiaries and Requirements

The tuition waiver is available only to students with an outstanding personal, academic and professional background who meet all admissions requirements for participation in the 2027-28 MAMA Program.

Only candidates who have regularly applied, producing all required documentation, and have been admitted to the 2027-28 MAMA Program are eligible for the tuition waiver.

An interest in the strategic management, innovation and organizational development of arts and cultural organizations may be considered a preferential element during the evaluation process.

2. Incompatibility and Loss of Tuition Waiver

The waiver can be combined with any other scholarship, award, or financial support for specialized masters by public or private organizations or companies if the total amount does not exceed the total tuition fee.

The beneficiary must self-certify that the above-mentioned accumulation has not been exceeded.

The beneficiary must comply with this condition for the whole duration of the MAMA Program.

The right to the tuition waiver is subject to the regular completion of the 2027-28 MAMA Program as indicated in the 2027-28 MAMA Rules.

3. Lodging of Applications and Results

Applications for the tuition waiver must be sent through the online application portal in accordance with the deadlines indicated in the table below.

The assignment of the tuition waiver will be formally communicated to the beneficiary by the Commission through an assignment letter, no later than the Communication of the assignment dates indicated in the table below:

Tuition Waiver Application Time Frames and Communication of Results:

	Application for the Tuition Waiver	Communication of the assignment
1st round	Deadline: 26/11/2026	Within 28/01/2027
2nd round	Deadline: 11/02/2027	Within 25/03/2027
3rd round	Deadline: 15/04/2027	Within 27/05/2027
4th round	Deadline: 10/06/2027	Before the start of the program

Applications will be evaluated according to the following criteria: analysis of academic and professional record, results of the MAMA selection process, and any aligned interest in the strategic management, innovation and organizational development of arts and cultural organizations, if present (as mentioned above). The tuition waiver may be awarded in any application round at the Commission's discretion. The Commission's decision is final and not subject to appeal. A limited number of applicants, at the discretion of the Commission, who were not assigned a tuition waiver during their round may be placed on a waiting list and reconsidered in the following rounds.

4. Acceptance of the conditions

Application for the tuition waiver involves full acceptance of the conditions herein.

Under penalty of immediate withdrawal, the candidate must confirm enrollment in the 2027-28 MAMA as well as formally accept all tuition waiver conditions with the Guidance, Recruitment & Admissions Service by the deadline indicated on the tuition waiver assignment letter.

Milan, 28 September 2026