

PARTIAL TUITION WAIVER – Sailing Club

Thanks to the contribution of the SDA Bocconi Sailing Club, the School of Management is making available one merit-based tuition waiver of € 43,000 (50% of the tuition fee) to 2027/28 MBA candidates with an outstanding profile.

1. Beneficiaries and Requirements

Tuition waiver is available only to students with an outstanding personal, academic and professional background and meeting the following requirements:

- They have a strong interest and experience in sailing activities.
- They meet all admissions requirements for the participation in the 2027/28 MBA Program.

Only candidates who applied, producing all required documentation: Application Form, GMAT or GRE or EA (exceptionally SDA Test); TOEFL or IELTS or PTE or Cambridge C1 Advanced or Duolingo English Test, Reference letters, Admissions Application Fee, and have been admitted to the 2027/28 MBA Program are eligible for tuition waivers.

2. Incompatibility and Loss of Tuition Waivers

The waiver can be combined with any other scholarship, award, or financial support for specialization courses by public or private organizations or companies if the total amount does not exceed the total registration 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 MBA Program.

As beneficiaries of a financial grant awarded on merit basis, participants must prove high academic performance during the MBA Program to preserve the right to the tuition waiver, according to a minimum performance limit set by the School, which will be communicated to the recipients. The right to the tuition waiver is subject to the regular completion of the 2027/28 MBA program as indicated in the 2027/28 MBA Rules.

3. Selection process 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.

Tuition Waiver Applications must include a Motivation Letter that should demonstrate the candidate's strong interest and experience in sailing activities.

The assignment of the tuition waiver will be formally notified to the beneficiary by the Admissions Committee through an awarding e-mail, as per the dates indicated below. **Please note that the tuition waiver is most likely to be awarded during the final selection rounds, due to the specific eligibility requirements.**

Tuition Waivers Application Time Frames and Communication of Results:

	Application for the Tuition Waivers	Communication of awards
1st round	Deadline: 15/10/2026	Within 10/05/2027
2nd round	Deadline: 14/01/2027	
3rd round	Deadline: 11/03/2027	
4th round	Deadline: 28/04/2027	Within 16/06/2027

Applications will be evaluated according to the following criteria: analysis of academic and professional record, analysis of the requirements indicated above, results of the MBA selection process. The decision of the Admissions Committee is final and not subject to appeal. A limited number of applicants, at the discretion of the Committee, who were not assigned an award during their round may be placed on a waiting list and be reconsidered in the following rounds.

In the event that two candidates are deemed equally deserving based on the evaluation criteria, the Admissions Committee reserves the right to divide the tuition waiver equally between them, granting each an equal share of the total amount.

4. Project Activities

The student, beneficiary of the tuition waiver, becomes a representative of the SDA Bocconi Sailing Club's spirit. For this reason the student will be asked to actively support the Sailing Club activities.

5. Acceptance of the conditions

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

Under penalty of immediate withdrawal, the candidate must confirm their enrolment in the 2027/28 MBA as well as formalize his/her acceptance of all tuition waiver conditions with the Admissions office by the deadline indicated on the tuition waiver assignment letter.