UNIVERSITY CORRIDORS FOR REFUGEES



Are you a refugee studying in an Ethiopian University?

Do you want to continue your academic career in Italy?

The aim of the project is to give university refugee students currently based in Ethiopia an opportunity to continue their higher education career in Italy. 20 refugee students will be included in this project in 2020.

10 universities throughout the country are participating with over 160 degree courses offered.

DEADLINES

The call for applications is expected to be released on **April 20th 2020**. The expected deadline for applications is on **May 20th 2020**.

A call for scholarships to attend master degree programmes at the universities in Italy will soon be announced. The winners will be exempted from tuition fees at the universities participating in the programme and will receive financial support for plane tickets and Visa-related expenses, and a study grant to help them during their stay in Italy. Transparent criteria will be applied to select the refugees eligible for the project.

Pre-selection criteria will include:

- Current attendance of the last year or past attendance and graduation within 20th May 2020 of a Bachelor course at Ethiopian universities;
- 2 Grade point average (GPA) in the Bachelor programme of at least 3.0 according to the Ethiopian tertiary education grading system;
- Merits of the selected students: it will be evaluated by an international panel of experts, by examining the Curriculum vitae, motivation letter, videos and by interviews with candidates.

For more information and a complete list of Universities and courses available please visit **universitycorridors.unhcr.it**

Participation in university corridors, including the application process, is free. If you know anyone asking or offering money in connection with this project you should immediately contact UNHCR.



























