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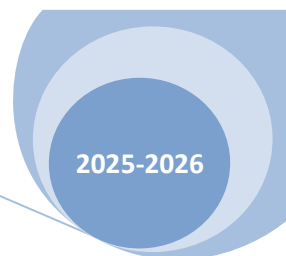
Harvey Medical Course

Second Year

First Semester

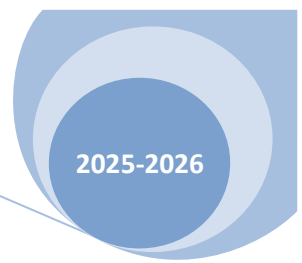
Students' Guide

Version 1



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Dear Students,

In this short brochure you will find information that can be useful during the First Semester of the Second year.

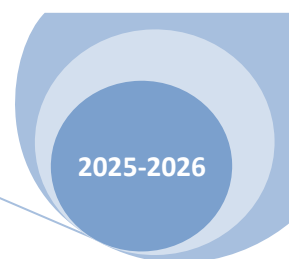
We all hope you will enjoy it!

Yours,

Second year, First Semester's Teachers

Courses and modules

Integrated course	Modules	Teacher	CFUs	Hours	Lectures
506508 ETHICS AND SOCIETY (7 CFU)	506509 Ethics and Medicine (Bioethics)	Valentina Martinelli	4	32	16
	506511 Patient and doctor relationship	Valentina Martinelli	1	8	4
	506510 The public structure of health (forensic medicine)	Scott Anthony Burgess	2	16	8
Total (course)			7	56	28
506512 FUNCTIONS OF THE BODY (20 CFU)	501719 Cardiovascular physiology	Roberto Bottinelli Peri Andrea	3	24	12
	501718 Cell physiology	Konstantinos Lefkimmiatis	3	24	12
	501720 Endocrine physiology	Konstantinos Lefkimmiatis	2	16	8
	501706 Gastroenterologic physiology	Stefano Ciciliot	2	16	8
	501705 Kidney physiology	Konstantinos Lefkimmiatis	2	16	8
	501717 Muscle physiology	Roberto Bottinelli	1	8	4
	501704 Nervous system physiology	Roberto Bottinelli	4	32	16
	501703 Respiratory physiology	Simone Porcelli	2	16	8
	509627 Physiology laboratory	Patrizia Sommi Simone Porcelli	1x3 1	8x3 12	20
Total (course)			21	180	96
Total (semester)			28	236	124



Teachers

Teacher	Role	Telephone	E-mail	Website
Valentina Martinelli	PR	0382.987878	valentina.martinelli@unipv.it	
Scott Anthony Burgess	CB	0382.987787	scott.burgess@unipv.it	n/a
Roberto Bottinelli	PO	0382.987518	roberto.bottinelli@unipv.it	https://medicinamolecolare.dip.unipv.it/en/research/research-teams-and-topics/human-physiology/skeletal-muscle-plasticity-health-and-disease
Konstantinos Lefkimmiatis	PA	0382.987256	konstantinos.lefkimmiatis@unipv.it	https://medicinamolecolare.dip.unipv.it/en/research/research-teams-and-topics/human-physiology/molecular-and-cellular-physiology-konstantinos
Simone Porcelli	PA	0382.987538	simone.porcelli@unipv.it	https://medicinamolecolare.dip.unipv.it/en/research/research-teams-and-topics/human-physiology/human-integrative-physiology-exercise-simone
Patrizia Sommi	PT	0382.987665	patrizia.sommi@unipv.it	
Stefano Ciciliot	RD	0382.987956	stefano.ciciliot@unipv.it	https://medicinamolecolare.dip.unipv.it/en/node/147
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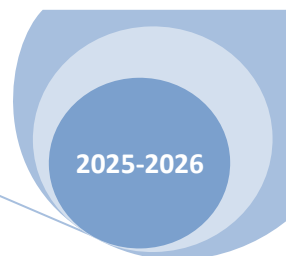
*First semester coordinator, second semester teacher.

Legend: CB and PR: Docente a contratto; PO: Professore ordinario; PA: Professore Associato; RD: Ricercatore a tempo determinato RC: Ricercatore confermato; PT: Personale tecnico; AdR: Assegnista di Ricerca.

Office time and meeting place for students

<i>Teacher</i>	<i>Office hours for students</i>	<i>Address and room</i>
Roberto Bottinelli	Please, make an appointment in advance by email.	Department of Molecular Medicine Unit of Human Physiology, Via Forlanini, 6 Room “Studio Prof. Bottinelli” (First floor, corridor on the left)
Konstantinos Lefkimmiatis	Please, make an appointment in advance by email.	Department of Molecular Medicine Unit of Human Physiology, Via Forlanini, 6
Valentina Martinelli	Please, make an appointment in advance by email.	Department of Brain and Behavioral Sciences, Unit of Psychiatry, via Bassi 21 (cascina Cravino)
Simone Porcelli	Please, make an appointment in advance by email.	Institute of Physiology Department of Molecular Medicine University of Pavia, Italy Via Forlanini 6, 27100 Pavia - Ital
Scott Anthony Burgess	Please, make an appointment in advance by email.	Department of Molecular Medicine, Biochimica "A. Castellani" Viale Taramelli 3/B 27100 Pavia
Patrizia Sommi	Please, make an appointment in advance by email.	Department of Molecular Medicine Unit of Human Physiology, Via Forlanini, 6 (First floor, corridor on the right Room: 1036)
Stefano Ciciliot	Please, make an appointment in advance by email.	Department of Molecular Medicine Unit of Human Physiology, Via Forlanini, 6 (First floor, corridor on the right, penultimate door on the left)
Scotti Claudia*	Please, make an appointment in advance by email.	Department of Molecular Medicine Unit of Immunology and General Pathology, Via Ferrata, 9 Room T4 (Ground floor)

* Second year, first semester coordinator.



Teaching Calendar

The U-planner teaching calendar is available at this link:

<https://unipv.prod.up.cineca.it/calendarioPubblico/linkCalendarioId=6131de259f5a940011ad7e93>

Please, keep it constantly under control to be updated about possible changes in due course.

Courses starting date

Wednesday, 1st October 2025

Holidays

1st November 2025

9th December 2025

20rd December 2025 – 8th January 2026.

IMPORTANT: Attendance

Please, note that the Harvey course has **MANDATORY** attendance. Failing to attend **at least 75%** of classes might prevent you from being admitted to any of the exams or require extra work on further material to be assessed during the exam. Attendance will be checked by the teachers using the “MyUniPV” App, available for free on Google Play and Apple Store. Please, download and install it on your mobile phone in case you have not yet done so. Access requires your credentials. Alternatively, you can access the check-in procedure at the following link:

<https://unipv.appmobile.cineca.it/>

In case of health or other types of issues that you expect will prevent you from attending classes, you are invited to immediately contact the teachers and/or the second-year coordinator to clarify the situation. Please, note that you will be required to prepare and provide documents demonstrating your current impediment (for example, illness) in order to justify your absence to the teacher(s), the second year coordinator and the Dean of the course. They will then suggest you the best course of action.

Well-being and disability

At Harvey, we very much care about your well-being: we want your studying experience to be challenging but enriching both from the scientific and the human point of view. In case you experience stress or other problems which challenge your physical and mental well-being, please contact the second-year coordinator (claudia.scotti@unipv.it), C.O.R. or Prof. Gabriele Ceccarelli (gabriele.ceccarelli@unipv.it) to ask for suggestions. A psychological support is also available from C.O.R. Ways to access it are available here:

<https://medicineandsurgeryharvey.cdl.unipv.it/en/services/counselling-and-healthcare>

If you have a disability, this link is for you:

<https://saids.unipv.it/index.php/en/>

Exams*

Exam schedule

Modules	Winter session	Summer session	Fall session	Winter session
All	February 2026	June-July 2026	September 2026	December 2026

Exam theatres and dates

Please always check ESSE3 for exam details (dates and location): they will be available soon after the publication of this guide.

Exam modalities

Exams will be in various format: oral interview, written examinations on paper or, alternatively, at the computer through the Kirotesting platform, the twin of Kiro, in which case they will typically be held in a computer room.

Please, inform the Disability office as soon as possible in case you have specific requirements that require special organization of the exam sessions.

Lecture theatre

Aula G.R. Burgio

IRCCS Policlinico San Matteo

Clinics of Pediatrics

Building n. 31

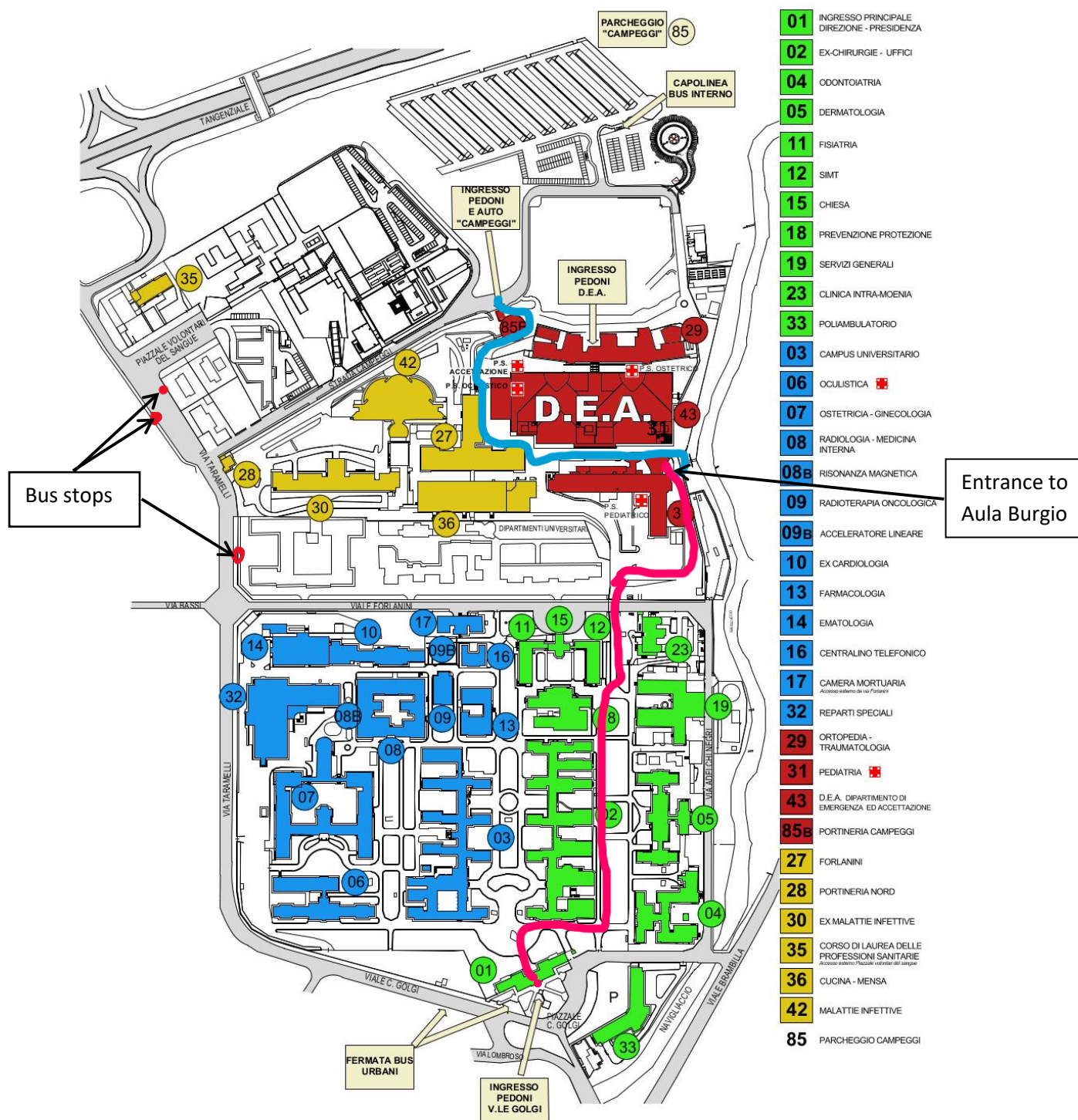
First Floor

Maps and indications to reach the lecture theatre

The “Aula Burgio” Lecture theatre is located inside Policlinico San Matteo. The main entrance to the hospital is located in Piazzale Golgi, 2, but you can also access it from Via Campeggi (“Ingresso DEA”) and, soon, through an entrance dedicated to the students. Here are a satellite view and a map to help you orientate yourself:

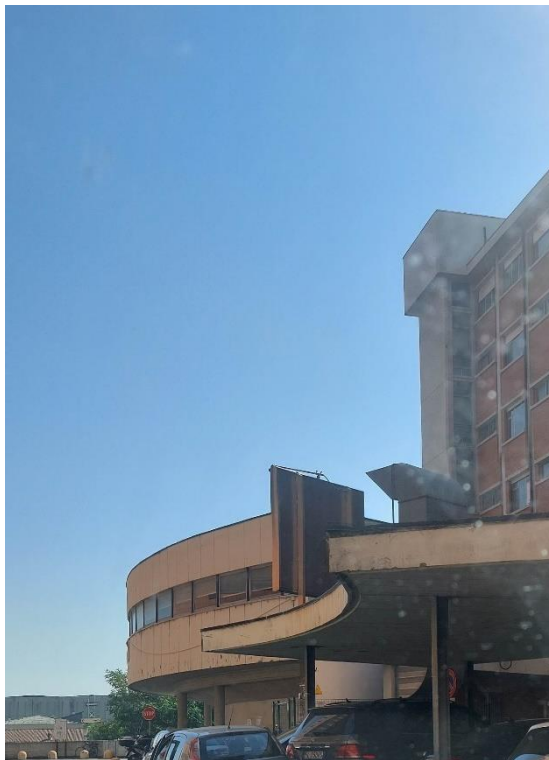


Below, in blue and fuchsia the routes you can take ON FOOT to reach Building 31 (Pediatrics) starting from the entrances in Via Campeggi and in Piazzale Golgi, respectively.



If you have a car, you must park it outside unless you have a disability. If you need to apply for a disability permit, please, contact the Disability Office of the University in order to have indications on how to proceed. The parking lot “Parcheggio Campeggi”, n. 85 on the map, is a fee-based service.

The “Aula Burgio” lecture theater is located at the first floor of the Pediatrics Clinics building. Here are some pictures to help you find it in case you arrive from the entrance in Via Campeggi. Below, on the left, a picture of the outside of the Clinics, Building n. 31. The curved part corresponds to Aula Burgio. Following this curved part, you will find the small block in the red circle, which contains the entrance to the stairs which lead to Aula Burgio.



On the outside of the block, on your right, you will find the indication to Aula Burgio (red circle, picture on the left, below), and, in front of you, the entrance door (picture on the right, below). After the door, you will find the stairs on your right.



The stairs are on your right, behind the wall. Go to the first floor and enter the door you find on your right. Turn right again and you will find the entrance door to Aula Burgio.



Welcome to the inside of Aula Burgio!

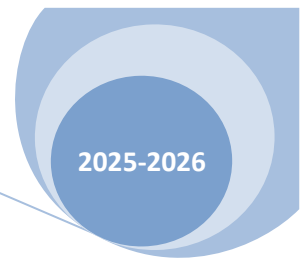


Prof. Burgio

Prof. Burgio was an important paediatrician. Here you can find his short biography in English, introduced by a paragraph in Italian:

<https://ordinemedicipa.it/notizia.php?tid=1716>





Syllabus and course material

In the [Syllabus](#) you will find the details of each course you are going to attend.

The teaching material is located on the [Kiro](#) Platform and each teacher will arrange any other forms of extra material that will need to be provided to you.

By Claudia Scotti, 29th July 2025