



UNIVERSITÀ DEGLI STUDI DI BERGAMO

PROGRAMMI INTERNAZIONALI

Dear Exchange/Erasmus Student,

**INFO on how to reach Bergamo is available at www.unibg.it,
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Here is some practical information concerning your upcoming stay in Bergamo.

1) Firstly, please remember to fax the **travel information form** to our office (milena.plebani@unibg.it) **at least one week before your arrival**. Once you reach Bergamo, depending on arrangements made with the Accommodation Service, it might be necessary for you to stay at the Youth Hostel (Via Ferraris, 1 – Tel. 035 361 724) for a few days, so do make sure to book ahead of time: www.ostellodibergamo.it or at the Central Hostel in Via Ghislanzoni 30 www.centralhostelbg.com

2) Bergamo is situated in the centre of Lombardy, about 60 km east of Milan. It can be reached by plane, train or car (it's on the A4 autoroute).

Your best option is to fly directly to Bergamo. The **BERGAMO -ORIO AL SERIO AIRPORT** is approx 5 km from the city centre (www.orioaeroporto.it). The **AIRPORT BUS** <http://www.atb.bergamo.it/airportbus> is available every 20 minutes and connects the airport to Bergamo town (Railways Station). The ticket airport bus (24h) can be bought at the airport (**€5.00 for a single ticket into town**).

You can also get a **taxi** (Radio TAXI 035/4519090) for approx €16-20.

If you cannot find a flight to Bergamo-Orio al Serio AIRPORT, you should try to get a flight to **MILANO - LINATE AIRPORT (7 km from Milano centre)** (www.sea-aeroportmilano.it) or to MILANO-MALPENSA AIRPORT (45 km from Milan).

From Milano-Linate AIRPORT take the bus ticket to **Milano - STAZIONE CENTRALE** .

From **MILANO STAZIONE CENTRALE** you have two options:

- **take a TRAIN to Bergamo** (www.trenitalia.it). Departures are every 30 minutes.
- **take the BUS ORIO SHUTTLE** (www.orioshuttle.it) to Bergamo /Orio AIRPORT. Departures are every 30 minutes . Route time 50 minutes. Ticket bus: €5,00
- take a **TAXI** at the arrivals: approx price from MILANO- LINATE AIRPORT to MILANO CITY, €30,00.

If your flight arrives at **MILANO- MALPENSA Airport** (www.sea-aeroportmilano.it), the journey time to get to Bergamo is quite a bit longer, you have many options:

- take the **BUS ORIO SHUTTLE to reach Bergamo Town** (www.orioshuttle.com) a ticket costs €18,00 (one way). Route time 2 hours. Departures are every 30 minutes.
- take the **BUS MALPENSA SHUTTLE** (www.malpensas Shuttle.it) to **Milano-Stazione Centrale**. Departures are every 20 min. from Terminal 1. Ticket costs €10.,00 (one way).
- take the **TRAIN TRENORD MALPENSA EXPRESS** (www.malpensaexpress.it - **at Terminal 1- Floor 1**) to **Milano-Stazione Centrale** or **Milano- Cadorna Railways Station**. Departures are every 30 minutes. A Ticket costs 12€.
- **TAXIS** are quite expensive. You can get one at the Arrivals (approximately €70,00 to go to Milano-Stazione Centrale).

3) On arrival at **Bergamo Railway Station**, depending on time of arrival and arrangements made through the Accommodation Office, you will need to get to Porta Nuova, two bus stops away from the Station (buses n. 1/2/7 or 8). A ticket "per la città" can be bought at the Newspaper kiosk or tobacconist's inside the Station (€1,30). A slightly-cheaper-in-the-long-run multiple ticket: "Un tesserino" (10 rides) costs € 11,50. From Porta Nuova either take a bus directly to the International Office and/or Accommodation Office ("Centro Stampa"), located in the University Campus, Via dei Caniana (bus n. 5 from Porta Nuova). Taxis are also available from the Station (it's a short ride). Bus tickets are valid 75 minutes after they are stamped the first time you board a bus. Alternatively, from Porta Nuova, you can take bus (line 2) and get off in via Baschenis or via Previtali. The International Office is at a short distance.

THE INTERNATIONAL OFFICE is in via S. Bernardino, 72 (2nd floor - room 20/22), just off the via dei Caniana building. If you find the gate closed, please ring the door bell with "Università degli studi di Bergamo" written on it. During arrival period, our office will be open every day of the week, except Friday afternoon, from 9 to 12 and from 2 pm to 4 pm.

Wishing you a safe journey to Bergamo!

The International Office