

B-IJ Italský jazyk a literatura

**Orientation day
9/9/2024**

What is B-IJ

- It is a study programme dedicated to the study of Italian language **and** Italian linguistics (i.e., language theory), Italian literature, Italian history and culture
- It is part of the Department of Romance Languages and Literatures, so the study of the various disciplines is declined from a **Romance and European perspective**

What B-IJ is not

- It is not a language school
 - A successful course includes the achievement of
 - linguistic skills in the Italian language equal to level C1 of the [CEFR](#)
 - **and** skills in each of the theoretical subjects

B-IJ Staff

- doc. [Egle Mocciaro](#), Guarantor of the Bachelor programme; Italian linguistics
- dr. [Valeria De Tommaso](#), Departmental facilitator for Italian studies; Practical Italian
- doc. [Paolo Divizia](#), Erasmus coordinator for Italian studies; Authorial philology
- dr. Irene Cecchini, Italian literature
- [Magdaléna Nahálková](#), Language assistant; Practical Italian, Italian history and culture
- [Kristýna Lorenzová](#), PhD candidate; Practical Italian, Italian linguistics

In addition, tutors/trainees who are native speakers of Italian (Erasmus students etc.)

Department Staff

Department of Romance languages and literatures

- doc. [Ivo Buzek](#), Department head
- doc. [Egle Mocciaro](#), Department vice head

Study plan

- General description of [Italian Language and Literature – bachelor's studies | Masaryk University \(muni.cz\)](#)
- Catalogue <https://is.muni.cz/predmety/?pvysl=6575015>

Study plan

- ❑ CORE (<https://www.muni.cz/en/students/spolecny-univerzitni-zaklad/what-are-core-courses>)
(<https://is.muni.cz/predmety/?pvysl=15225602;lang=en;volby=hledtext:core%40hledkod:1>)
- ❑ Compulsory (CJV*, PH*, IJ1A*) and optional (IJ1B*) courses
(https://is.muni.cz/auth/predmety/studijni_plan?lang=en;setlang=en;fakulta=1421;plan_id=24343)
- ❑ Towards the completion of the programme:
 - Academic writing
 - 2 Thesis Seminars
 - Proficiency test in Italian

*Students of the Minor programme will not write the thesis and take the final test and exams at the end of the 2nd year

Instruction language

□ 1st year

- Italian Linguistics (I and II), Italian history and culture (I and II) will be held in Czech
- Practical Italian (courses and seminars) will be held in Italian (and in Czech)

□ 2nd and 3rd year

- All courses will be held in Italian

Teaching mode

- Classes will be held in presence
 - Participation online is not permitted (except for occasional invited teachers)
 - Attendance is mandatory for at least 80% of each course
 - Each course has a person in charge (guarantor), who is also a teacher.
 - There may be several teachers in the same course (see IS for details).

- Institutional platforms (teaching materials, exercises etc.)
 - IS, MS Teams
 - ELF (for Practical Italian)

Communication mode

☐ Office hours

- Check staff's personal pages (e.g., <https://is.muni.cz/auth/person/245565>)

☐ Communication tools

- emails, MS Teams, messages delivered to the [department secretariat](#)
- email exchanges take place Monday to Friday from 8 a.m. to 7 p.m.

***Messages received from institutional sources are official communication

***You are required to regularly check your email account and reply accordingly

Other links

- Office for Studies (Studijní oddělení), <https://www.phil.muni.cz/onas/organizacni-struktura/219913-studijni-oddeleni>
- Study programme forum (including FAQ), https://is.muni.cz/auth/discussion/komunita/phil/B/B-IJ/italsky_jazyk_a_literatura/?lang=en
- Digital resources (databases) available to MU students and staff <https://ezdroje.muni.cz/prehled/?lang=en>

Other links

- Registration templates

<https://is.muni.cz/auth/predmety/sablony?fakulta=1421;lang=en;uzel=2168157>

- Control templates

<https://is.muni.cz/auth/predmety/sablony?fakulta=1421;lang=en;uzel=2205606>

- Erasmus applications

<https://isois.ois.muni.cz/en/outgoing-application/application/>

- Other information for Italian studies (study plans, deadlines, Erasmus+)

https://is.muni.cz/auth/discussion/komunita/phil/B/B-IJ /italsky_jazyk_a_literatura/?lang=en

Where to look for more general information

- www.phil.muni.cz/prvak – Faculty Guide to Starting Your Studies
- Instagram **muni_ff**
 - instructional videos
 - important information always in stories
- www.phil.muni.cz/student – Faculty signpost for students
- www.muni.cz/studenti - University signpost for students

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