



TERRA NOVA UNIVERSITY

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WELCOME

Welcome to Terra Nova University Post Graduate School

As a postgraduate university via distance learning, we offer over 200 degree programs and 2500 fields of study, fully compatible with family and professional needs of adult learners, with tuition fees among the lowest globally.

Welcome to the only distance learning institution that offers a real learning experience where you will achieve your goal of obtaining a DPS, PhD or DBA without having to attend a campus.

All of our programs are fully provided via distance learning and cover the vast majority of academic disciplines, except for medical fields and medicine in general, which require specific government licenses and accreditations.

Welcome to a learning system designed in the digital era to value the professional experience already acquired by the students, their previous studies, their creativity and innovation in research aimed at international growth. Access to knowledge has become more flexible, learning is no longer just formal, jobs have been updated and reinvented, which is why our students are better able to face today's epochal changes, such as ecological and technological transitions.

Welcome to a world where students are managers, professionals, entrepreneurs, company Executives. Reference points in their professional communities, able to discover new opportunities and pave the way for a new future, playing a primary role in their social, human and civic environment thanks to their professional and academic experience.





MISSION



The word Terra comes from the Latin “terra” (earth), which is one of the oldest words in Latin and has Indo-European roots. The word Nova comes from the Latin word “novus,” which means “new” or “fresh”. Terra Nova represents new opportunities, new beginnings, the opening of new chapters in our lives. It means innovation, positive change, progress. It evokes images of adventure and exploration in unknown and mysterious territories. In short, it is the perfect representation our University's mission.

Terra Nova University is learning, innovation and progress. The university as a “terra nova” represents a place of continuous discovery, where students, working independently, explore new fields of knowledge and acquire new skills. For many students, university represents the beginning of a new chapter in life, a journey into an unknown territory that leads to transformative personal and academic experiences. The name “Terra Nova” University symbolizes, in fact, a personal adventure, aimed at exploring not only academic subjects, but also new passions and potential for growth.

An institution named Terra Nova has a futuristic vision that emphasizes its mission to prepare students, from all backgrounds, genders and origins, for a future that embraces innovation and global change. It also encourages creativity and suggests the exploration of new approaches and ideas, pursuing learning as a dynamic and ever-evolving personal process, in constant search for new knowledge and perspectives.

Terra Nova University is a powerful symbol of growth, discovery and adventure, both academically and personally. Our mission is your future.

ABOUT US

We are an educational group leading in low-cost distance learning for adults. We operate from Italy throughout the world, under license from U.S. educational institutions, through our companies Uniselinus Europe Networking University srl and Uniselinus Educational Group srl.

We specialize in postgraduate education offering **PhD** (Doctor of Philosophy), **DBA** (Doctor of Business Administration) and **DPS** (Doctor of Professional Studies), ideal programs for professionals, managers, entrepreneurs, business executives.

We are a postgraduate school designed in the digital era, with an exponential growth and a revolutionary mission: to create a new university model, free from traditional government standards, useful and accessible from anywhere in the world.

We are people who adapt to change, who see the world in its constant evolution, who develop projects and plans for a better future.

Our innovative learning environment, flexible and specialized, is perfect for multitasking professions and growth in competitive international contexts.

We operate in a global era from the United States through Italian educational companies, providing educational services around the world, with a well-defined philosophy aimed at implementing programs and leading people.

Our group includes thousands of enrolled students and graduates from over 120 countries around the world.

***We believe in
Terra Nova
University
as a global
educational hub,
capable of uniting
the world's knowledge
into one big cultural
and academic project,
informal and free
from stiff and
outdated
governmental
standards.***



STUDY METHOD

Our education model is based on andragogy: an innovative method, specifically aimed at enhancing adult learning beyond formal recognition and traditional study programs. Coming from the Greek words andros (adult man) and ago (to lead), andragogy is based on the individual's specific identity and activity, aiming at self-realization and favoring acquisition of skills through experience.

Terra Nova University is part of the international group Uniselinus Educational, the first distance learning institution that has managed, with this new educational method, to improve student satisfaction levels as shown by international accreditation and quality certification agencies. By implementing this system, learning is no longer a linear process, bound by predefined standards set by a government authority, but a whole new educational paradigm, based on asynchrony and autonomy, which has been scientifically proved to improve speed and efficiency when absorbing new knowledge.

All of our programs are provided via distance learning, ensuring a high-quality education that is flexible and adjusted to the specific needs of students, allowing them to achieve their academic, social and professional goals without any hindrance to their family and work commitments.



PROFESSIONAL DEGREES

Terra Nova University offers several study programs to earn non-formal degrees, such as the **DPS (Doctor of Professional Studies)**, the **DBA (Doctor of Business Administration)** and the **PhD (Doctor of Philosophy)** by Research.

These study models, which do not adhere to government standards but are accredited by private institutions with ISO quality certification, are called Professional Degrees. They cover a wide range of learning opportunities, based on the student's research and background elaboration, and are extremely useful for professionals, managers and entrepreneurs.

Through the development of a final thesis, candidates implement the skills acquired during their years of professional activity in the specific area of knowledge in which they have been working. It also represents a formidable research and learning opportunity, very useful to demonstrate the real expertise gained and to strengthen the candidate's technical, scientific or literary background.

Those who obtain a DPS, a PhD or a DBA at Terra Nova University prove to their professional and social environment that they possess strategic and cross-cutting skills, meeting the demands of an ever-changing society and a rapidly evolving marketplace that increasingly require modern and trained professionals, capable of dealing with the momentous changes we are witnessing today.





Accreditation

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(World Certification Institute)

All programs offered by Terra Nova University are globally accredited by the WCI (World Certification Institute). The WCI is an international reference authority established to recognize professional skills, competencies and practices in line with the best globally accepted professional standards, accrediting educational programs offered by educational institutions such as universities, colleges, schools and professional institutions.

The mission of the World Certification Institute perfectly aligns with Terra Nova University's one, which caters to a global clientele of qualified professionals, entrepreneurs, managers and executives who have already graduated and operate in various professional fields. The process of accrediting courses is extremely rigorous: it entails detailed examination of the program content and duration, qualifications and competence of trainers, financial strength and integrity of course providers, available facilities and resources, method of delivery and assessment, and most importantly their relevance to occupational and career development, in line with the mission of Terra Nova University.

Only WCI Councilors or WCI-appointed Committees of Experts can accredit courses. When a course is successfully accredited, graduates of the accredited course are deemed to have met the qualification criteria for WCI Certified Credential Awards. An organization that has its courses successfully accredited will receive a Certificate of Accreditation from WCI that lists the courses accredited. On the Degree Certificates, Terra Nova University includes the wording “Accredited by World Certification Institute” alongside WCI logo.

To verify Terra Nova University’s accreditations, simply enter one of the following certificate numbers of the programs (available below) in the “Verify Credential” box on the WCI home page

(<https://www.worldcertification.org/>):

- Doctor of Professional Studies (DPS): 3002-2311-69**
- Doctor of Business Administration (DBA): 3002-2311-70**
- Doctor of Philosophy (PhD): 3002-2311-71**

A list of all the institutions accredited by the WCI is available at the following link:

<https://www.worldcertification.org/accreditation-of-courses/accredited-organizations/>

In the US, Terra Nova University is not accredited by CHEA. Unfortunately, most accreditation agencies relate to formal learning standards set for young students, relying on one-sided procedures and outdated requirements that are no longer useful for senior students and are even in direct conflict with Terra Nova University's mission. Indeed, the objective of Terra Nova University is to award professional degrees aimed at career enhancement and skills certification, offering a unique higher education - dynamic, accessible and top-quality - created specifically for adult graduate students, who strive to increase their knowledge and refine their professional expertise without having to follow traditional on-campus programs. Terra Nova University degrees are perfectly legal and must be understood correctly, i.e. as a facilitator of professional employment or as an incentive for career advancement (towards middle/high-level positions) in national and multinational companies and organizations.

Terra Nova University degrees are not to be considered a substitute for a traditional degree, but rather a useful alternative useful for many purposes, but not for all.



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DOCTOR OF PROFESSIONAL STUDIES (DPS)

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DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY (PhD)

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DOCTOR OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION (DBA)

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