

Abstract – Call for Applications: 5 Student Collaboration Grants (A.Y. 2025/26)

RUFA – Rome University of Fine Arts announces a competition for the award of **5 student collaboration grants** (150 hours each) for the Academic Year 2025/26: **4 positions** in the Library and **1 position** in the Fine Arts Printmaking Laboratory.

Eligibility requirements: Applicants must be regularly enrolled in first- or second-level academic courses (with the exclusion of students enrolled in the first year of either level). Candidates must be up to date with tuition fees and the regional DSU tax. Specific ECTS requirements apply depending on the year of enrolment (48–168 credits minimum), and a minimum grade average of 26/30 is required. The Printmaking Laboratory position is restricted to students enrolled in BA Painting, BA Sculpture and Installation, or MA Fine Arts.

Language requirements: During the interview, Italian students must demonstrate an English proficiency of at least **B1 CEFR**, while international students must demonstrate an Italian proficiency of at least **B1 CEFR**.

Compensation: Each collaboration amounts to a total remuneration of **€1,095.00** (tax exempt), corresponding to an hourly rate of **€7.30**. Payment is made in two instalments after completion of 75 hours each, subject to supervisor approval.

Main duties:

- *Library (4 positions):* opening, loan services, shelving, bibliographic reference support, database updates (theses), assistance with audio-video/digital collections, use of SBNCloud software.
- *Printmaking Laboratory (1 position):* distribution and storage of materials, support for first-year students in the correct use of laboratory tools and materials, supervision of lab spaces outside class hours in agreement with the supervisor.

Application procedure: Applications must be submitted exclusively online via the dedicated form available on [RUFA website](#) by **19 October 2025**.

Selection process: Candidates are evaluated up to a maximum of **30 points**, based on: exam average (up to 10 points), additional academic/professional qualifications (up to 5 points), and oral interview with possible portfolio presentation (up to 15 points, including language assessment). In case of a tie, priority is given to students listed as eligible non-beneficiaries of DSU scholarships in the previous year.

Outcome: Grants are awarded to candidates with the highest scores, with results published on the official RUFA notice board and website.