

Subject	<b>History and Institutions of the Americas</b>
Study level and course	Master's Degree in International Relations (LM-52)
Academic year	2025/2026
Total number of credits	6
Professor	<b>Silvio Berardi</b> Link to personal page: <a href="https://ricerca.unicusano.it/author/silvio-berardi/">https://ricerca.unicusano.it/author/silvio-berardi/</a> Nickname: silvio.berardi E-mail: <a href="mailto:silvio.berardi@unicusano.it">silvio.berardi@unicusano.it</a> Reception hours: see the course notices section on the platform and the video conference calendar on the University website.
Course presentation	The course in History and Institutions of the Americas aims at providing students with a basic knowledge of the events of the American continent in the last two centuries (19th and 20th centuries), offering them the tools to interpret this reality. The course is divided into two parts: the first deals with the history of contemporary North America, the second with the history of contemporary Latin America.
Prerequisites	Basic knowledge of Contemporary History and History of International Relations.
Information for Erasmus+ incoming students	Lectures of History and Institutions of the Americas are held in Italian (English only under request). Erasmus+ students may however take the oral examination in English. The examination programme, which involves the use of texts available in the university library, must be agreed directly with the Professor through a student reception (online or in person). Erasmus+ students are advised to make contact with the Professor by email before embarking on the study of the subject.