

MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

Post Study Prospects in Italy

According to the clauses of Migration and Mobility Partnership (MMP) Agreement between The Government of The Republic of India and The Government of The Italian Republic the post study prospects are:

- 4.1.6 Both Parties shall promote the possibilities of seeking employment upon completing academic or vocational training, leading to a recognised qualification within the framework of the applicable legislation. To this end, Indian students wishing to gather initial professional experience after completing their academic or vocational training in Italy may be granted permission to continue their temporary residence in Italy for the purpose of seeking employment for a minimum of 9 and a maximum of 12 months, without possibility of renewal. They may request the conversion of this permit into a work residence permit within the period of validity of the permit for pending employment, if they meet the conditions set by the relevant Italian legislation.
- 4.2.1 The course may have a maximum duration of 24 months and must be organized by training institutions authorised by the Region where the training course is to be attended. Upon completion of the training course, the Indian trainees may convert their study residence permit into a residence permit for work reasons, if they meet the conditions set by the Italian legislation.

For detailed MMP agreement, check the following link: https://www.mea.gov.in/TreatyDetail.htm?4159