



**Area dei Servizi Istituzionali
Settore Servizi agli studenti e alla didattica
Ufficio Dottorati di ricerca**

ATTACHMENT 2

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**DOCTORAL PROGRAMME in
MOLECULAR BIOMEDICINE
ADMISSION INFORMATION**

[Overview](#)

Disclaimer: this is only an overview including the main deadlines and a checklist of items to be submitted. Exhaustive information on how to apply for admission is published in the [Notice of Competition](#).

REQUIREMENT	DEADLINE
online application and upload of documents	17 June 2019 1:00 p.m. (Italian time)
payment of the admission exam fee	17 June 2019
for Italian degrees: deadline for graduation	31 October 2019
for foreign degrees	1 October 2019
submission of foreign degree diploma/certificate (if available by 17 th June, please upload it; beyond that date, please email to dottorati@amm.units.it)	within 10 days of graduation (and in any event not later than 11 October 2019)

Documents to be uploaded (*) NOTE: failure to submit the mandatory documents will result in the exclusion of the candidate	Mandatory / Optional
1. proof of identity	mandatory
2. curriculum vitae et studiorum , focusing on experience prior to the PhD and on degree thesis activity (description of techniques acquired, personal contribution, etc)	mandatory
3. university qualifications: a. for graduates or near-graduates in Italy: self-certification of the examinations and relevant scores of second-cycle degree (<i>Laurea magistrale</i> or <i>specialistica</i>) or single-cycle degree (<i>Laurea</i> , delivered prior to the reformed university system). Only for graduates: self-certification of the degree final mark. Self-certification can be drafted using the form available online, or using the online services of the issuing University, where applicable.	mandatory

<p>b. for graduates from abroad: Master diploma/certificate or equivalent qualification giving access to the Doctoral Programme + Transcript of Records including examinations and scores obtained. Where applicable, a Diploma Supplement can be submitted instead of the Transcript. The academic qualification must be comparable by duration and level (and, where applicable, by subject area) with the Italian degree giving access to the Doctoral Programme and allow access to the PhD in the issuing country.</p> <p>c. for near-graduates from abroad: Transcript of Records including examinations and scores obtained in the academic Programme (Master or equivalent). The Transcript must indicate the name of the qualification to be awarded which must be comparable by duration and level (and, where applicable, by subject area) with the required Italian degree and allow access to the PhD in the issuing country.</p> <p>Please note that if all documents as described in points b. and c., are issued in a language other than English or Italian, a translation must be included, along with the original document.</p>	
<p>4. for graduates and near-graduates: abstract of the degree thesis (i.e. Master degree or comparable qualification) to be drawn up according to the template "Thesis Abstract form" available online.</p>	mandatory
<p>5. a statement of purpose in English</p>	optional
<p>6. max two letters of reference from lecturers / researchers</p> <p>Note: Only these documents must be sent by email (do not upload them!) directly by the referees to dmm@units.it (please write in the subject: "Letter concerning - Surname Name") before 17 June 2019 1:00 p.m. (Italian time)</p>	<p>optional (*) exception: submission via email</p>
<p>7. publications</p>	optional

Please note that if you have a degree from abroad, and you have never been enrolled at this University or other Italian university, you must also upload your Secondary Education qualification.

PLACES AND SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE			
without scholarship – cod (SB)		0	
with scholarship		7	<p>Note:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Candidates who accept a subject-specific scholarship are committed to the project topic. - Attendance abroad that entitles to a scholarship increase - min. max. of months for each PhD student (over 3 years) are 0 - 12
Scholarships/Research grants available with indication of their code, total number and funding body	MD/1	1	<p>Scholarship MIUR/University co-financed by the Department of Life Sciences funded by Centro di Riferimento Oncologico Istituto nazionale tumori CRO Aviano</p> <p>Project title: "Integration of clinic, patologic and molecular data from multiple bio-specimen collections: a biobank re-organization for rapid material availability"</p> <p>Principal investigator: Prof. Gabriele Grassi</p> <p>Note: number of months abroad for the purpose of scholarship increase: max 3</p>
	MD/2		<p>Scholarship MIUR/University co-financed by the Department of Life Sciences funded by LNCIB on project AIRC Grant IG 2018 id.21803</p> <p>Project title:" Cell non-autonomous downregulation of DAB2IP in</p>

		the tumor niche. Biological impact and therapeutic opportunities” Principal investigator: Prof. Licio Collavin Note: number of months abroad for the purpose of scholarship increase: max 6
MD/3	1	Scholarship MIUR/University co-financed by the Department of Life Sciences funded by Professors Scocchi, Gennaro, Pallavicini Project title “Host defense peptides as leads against antibiotic resistance” Principal investigator: Prof. Marco Scocchi Note: this scholarship does not include funding for research conducted abroad, except for any supplementary funding from the pertaining department.
MD/4	1	Scholarship MIUR/University co-financed by the Department of Life Sciences funded by LNCIB on project AIRC Grant IG 2018 project code 22174 Project title: “The impact of mutant p53 dependent cellular metabolism in cancer” Principal investigator: Prof. Giannino Del Sal Note: number of months abroad for the purpose of scholarship increase: max 6
M/5-6	2	Scholarship MIUR/University The topic must be consistent with the PhD sectors/research lines.
FSE/7	1	Scholarship funded by the Region Friuli Venezia Giulia - European Social Fund – Operational Programme 2014/2020 – Axis 3. The project/research must be consistent with the objective of integration with the territory as per art. 4 of the Notice of Competition. This scholarship can be allocated only after prior approval of the project draft submitted by the University to the Region FVG. The eligibility criteria are laid down in art. 4 of the Notice of Competition. Note: number of months abroad for the purpose of scholarship increase: max 6
RESERVED PLACES		
R/D	3	Recipients of scholarships granted under international mobility programmes Places reserved for the H2020-MSCA-ITN-2018 Programme financed with the TRIM-NET – GA 813599 Project Principal investigator: prof. Germana Meroni
R/C	2	Recipients of scholarships granted by foreign countries. Positions reserved for citizens of the Philippines and funded by the Philippine Council for Health Research and Development (PCHRD) to conduct research at the Italian Liver Foundation (FIF). A Panel (members: proff. Manfioletti, Collavin, Tiribelli) will identify the two successful PhD students from among the candidates pre-selected by PCHRD/FIF, based on their academic records and background.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

Academic qualification required: see Notice (art. 2 - Requirements)

“Lauree vecchio ordinamento” awarded in Italy All

"Lauree specialistiche" awarded in Italy	All	
"Lauree magistrali" awarded in Italy	All	
Selection criteria	Qualifications + interview Maximum final score: 120 - minimum final score required for eligibility 80	
Evaluation criteria	Qualifications (maximum final score 20 – minimum final score required 10):	
	• curriculum vitae et studiorum	maximum score 6
	• abstract of the degree thesis	maximum score 0
	• exams taken	maximum score 6
	• statement of purpose in English	maximum score 2
	• letters of reference (max 2)	maximum score 4
	• publications	maximum score 2
	Interview: Maximum score: 100 - Minimum score required for eligibility: 70	
<p>Note: The Examination Panel may decide to adopt evaluation subcriteria.</p> <p>The admission results will be published online. The admission process includes the following steps: Assessment of foreign degrees >> Assessment of other qualifications >> Interview. The merit list will be published after approval by the Rector.</p>		

Examination schedule	<i>Assessment of qualification</i>	from 24 June 2019
	<i>Interview</i>	15 July 2019 at 09:00 a.m. (Italian time) , at the University of Trieste – Department of Life Sciences – Building Q – 2 nd floor, aula emiciclo 224/C - Via L. Giorgieri, 5 – 34127-TRIESTE The Examination Panel may decide to interview candidates on subsequent dates
	<i>Language(s) of the interview</i>	Italian and English. English only for non-Italian speaking candidates.
	<i>Language(s) tested in the interview</i>	English (level of knowledge required: CEFR B1) Upon request of the candidates, the interview may be carried out by videoconference via Skype. Any candidates, who had not requested a video conference interview at the time of the application, can submit the request for video conferencing by sending an email to dmm@units.it up to four working days before the date of the interview, stating the grounds for their request. The Videoconference interview form is available on http://www2.units.it/dott/files/VideoconfInterview.pdf The Examination Panel will meet on 15 July 2019. The Panel may arrange with the candidate a different time for the interview.
	<i>Videoconference interview</i>	

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION (following publication of the Notice of Competition)	
17/07/2019	Two positions reserved for scholarship recipients from the Philippines (see code R/C above).