

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

ATTACHMENT 9

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PhD IN REPRODUCTION AND DEVELOPMENTAL SCIENCES OVERVIEW

IN BRIEF					
Lines of research	1 Clinical	epidemiology			
	2 Molecu	lar genetics			
Administrative legation					
Administrative location	University of Trieste				
Organizing Department	Department of Medicine, Surgery and Health Sciences				
Partner University Department	Department of Life Sciences				
Duration	3 years				
Attendance abroad that entitles to a scholarship increase - min. max. of months for each PhD student (over 3 years)	0 - 6				
Official language	Italian				
Language (alternative to Italian) partially used in PhD activities	Most PhD activities are carried out in english, namely workshops and journal clubs.				
Subject Areas	05	BIOLOGY			
(in alphabetical code order)	06	MEDICINE			
Macro Research Fields	05/G	EXPERIMENTAL AND CLINICAL PHARMACOLOGY			
(in alphabetical code order)	06/A	PATHOLOGY AND LABORATORY MEDICINE			
	06/D	MEDICAL SPECIALITIES			
	06/G	PAEDIATRICS			
	06/H	GYNAECOLOGY			
	06/N	TECHNOLOGY AND METHODOLOGY IN MEDICINE, NURSING AND SPORT SCIENCES			
Scientific Disciplinary Sectors (in alphabetical code order)	BIO/14	PHARMACOLOGY			
	MED/03	MEDICAL GENETICS			
	MED/05	CLINICAL PATHOLOGY			
	MED/07	MICROBIOLOGY AND CLINICAL MICROBIOLOGY			
	MED/17	INFECTIOUS DISEASES			
	MED/38	PAEDIATRICS			
	MED/40	OBSTETRICS AND GYNAECOLOGY			
	MED/50	APPLIED MEDICAL TECHNOLOGY AND METHODOLOGY			
Domain European Research Council	LS	LIFE SCIENCES			
ERC Panels	LS7	DIAGNOSTIC TOOLS, THERAPIES AND PUBLIC HEALTH: AETIOLOGY, DIAGNOSIS AND TREATMENT OF DISEASE, PUBLIC HEALTH, EPIDEMIOLOGY, PHARMACOLOGY, CLINICAL MEDICINE, REGENERATIVE MEDICINE, MEDICAL ETHICS			

LS2	GENETICS, GENOMICS, BIOINFORMATICS AND SYSTEMS BIOLOGY: GENETICS, POPULATION GENETICS, MOLECULAR GENETICS, GENOMICS, TRANSCRIPTOMICS, PROTEOMICS, METABOLOMICS, BIOINFORMATICS, COMPUTATIONAL BIOLOGY, BIOSTATISTICS, BIOLOGICAL MODELLING AND SIMULATION, SYSTEMS BIOLOGY, GENETIC EPIDEMIOLOGY
LS6	IMMUNITY AND INFECTION: IMMUNOBIOLOGY, AETIOLOGY OF IMMUNE DISORDERS, MICROBIOLOGY, VIROLOGY, PARASITOLOGY, GLOBAL AND OTHER INFECTIOUS DISEASES, POPULATION DYNAMICS OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES, VETERINARY MEDICINE

	DISEASES, VETERINARY MEDICINE		
	WHO'S WHO		
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Web site	http://web.units.it/dottorato/scienzeriproduzionesviluppo/en		
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Course description and objectives	The aim of the Doctorate in Reproduction and Development Sciences is to provide an interdisciplinary and, when possible, international academic professional training program, aimed at preparing highly qualified researchers in the field of biomedical sciences and, particularly, in the maternal and newborn child health area. The School mission is to form practitioners able to represent in the future the staff of Universities, IRCCS (Scientific Research Institutes) and other Biomedical Research Institutes and Industries. The Doctorate makes also available the opportunity to be trained in international cooperation research programs in the development of emerging countries. The training program consists of two research areas: Clinical epidemiology and Molecular genetics. The purpose of the Clinical epidemiology school is to enable researchers to carry out clinical trials in the biological and medical field, to validate new guidelines, to propose innovative therapeutic and diagnostic approaches. The aim of the school is also to train researchers to relieve necessity of people and perform epidemiological surveys to assess the health effects of preventive measures. The Molecular genetic path has the purpose to train qualified experts in different fields of research (basic and applied), diagnostics and personalized treatments, able to communicate and interact with clinical environment, and finalizing their experience to care needs.		
Job placement opportunities	The Doctorate in Reproduction and Development Sciences trains highly specialized experts that, thanks to the multidisciplinary nature of the skills involved, the high level of theoretical and practical training and collaborative relationships with prestigious national and international institutions, will be able to find employment in medical specialties, molecular biological and educational fields. The main areas of employment are: - Clinical facilities with special vocation for research (university hospitals and IRCCS) - Public and private biomedical research institutes - Institutions that conduct research in the social field (health advisories, schools, etc.) - Ethics committees Besides the possibility of employment in public and private health care facilities - national as well as international - PhD students will be employed in hospitals and institutions of our region, responding to an important objective of third-level education, i.e. to provide the territory in which the University acts with highly qualified staff.		
Main cooperating international Universities and Research Institutions	 Sanger Wellcome Trust Institute, Cambridge, UK Centre for Genomic Regulation (CRG), Barcelona, Spain Department of Pharmaceutical Sciences, St Jude Children's Research Hospital, Memphis, USA. Ospedale Divina Providencia, Luanda, Angola 		

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