

Area dei Servizi Istituzionali Unità di staff Dottorati di ricerca

ATTACHMENT 12

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DOCTORAL PROGRAMME in REPRODUCTION AND DEVELOPMENTAL SCIENCES ADMISSION INFORMATION

See Overview

Disclaimer: the tables below provide a quick outline of due dates and required documents. Please refer to the <u>Notice of Competition</u> for full information on conditions for applying.

REQUIREMENT	DEADLINE
online application and upload of documents	7 June 2021 1:00 p.m. (Italian time)
payment of the admission exam fee	7 June 2021
deadline for graduation	31 October 2021
upload of foreign diploma or certificate	7 June 2021 (if available after 7 June, please send it by email to dottorati@amm.units.it within 10 days of graduation – see art. 3 of the Call)

	Documents to be uploaded NOTE: applications sent without the mandatory attachments will not be processed	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	a. for graduates and near-graduates in Italy: I) self-certification of all examinations and relevant scores of second-cycle degree programme, i.e. Laurea magistrale (LM), Laurea specialistica (LS) or Laurea vecchio ordinamento (LVO) II) self-certification of LM, LS or LVO final mark (only for graduates).	mandatory

Self-certifications can be drafted using the form available online, or using the online services of the concerned University. b. for graduates and near-graduates from abroad: Transcript of Records including examinations and scores obtained. Where applicable, a **Diploma Supplement** can be submitted instead of the Transcript. II) Master diploma/certificate or equivalent qualification giving access to the Doctoral Programme (only for graduates). The foreign qualification must be comparable by level and course duration (and, where applicable, by subject area) with the required Italian degree and allow access to the PhD in the issuing country; III) Translation into Italian or English of the above documents, if issued in a different language. 4. thesis abstract It must be submitted by both graduates and near-graduates, in English or Italian. Mandatory We recommend to use the "Thesis Abstract form", as failure to do so may lead to exclusion. 5. publications in extenso Optional

Applicants who hold a foreign degree and have never enrolled at this or other University in Italy must also upload their Secondary School certificate.

PLACES AND SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE			
Total number of non-funded place (code: SB)	s	2	
Total number of funded places		7	Note: - Candidates who accept a subject-specific scholarship are committed to the project topic. - Study/research abroad that entitles to a scholarship increase: 0 to 6 months for each PhD student (over 3 years) if not otherwise stated in each scholarship description. The increase can be granted only for uninterrupted periods of no less than 60 days
Scholarships	M/1-4	4	Scholarships MUR/University
(code, total number and description)			The topic must be consistent with the PhD sectors/research lines
docompacity	MD/5	1	Scholarship MUR/University cofinanced by the Department of Medicine, Surgery and Health Sciences funded by IRCCS Burlo Garofolo (TS)
			The topic must be consistent with the PhD sectors/research lines
	D/6-7	2	Scholarships financed by the Department of Medicine, Surgery and Health Sciences funded by IRCCS Burlo Garofolo (TS)
			The topic must be consistent with the PhD sectors/research lines
		RES	SERVED PLACES
	RE	2	Places for highly-qualified staff employed in research institutes or centres (while remaining on salary from the employer)
			The positions are offered to staff of IRCCS materno infantile Burlo Garofolo only (via dell'Istria 65/1, 34137 Trieste)
			Note: The above institution must sign an agreement with the University of Trieste before the candidates'enrolment.

	TERMS AND CONDITIONS		
Required academic qualifications (see art. 2 of the Notice of Competition)			
"Lauree vecchio ordinamento" (awarded in Italy before the D.M. 509/99 reform of the University system)	All		

"Lauree specialistiche" (LS) awarded in Italy	All	
"Lauree magistrali" (LM) awarded in Italy	All	
Selection criteria	Qualifications + interview Maximum final score: 100 – minimum final	score required for eligibility 48
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Evaluation	Qualifications (maximum final score 20 – minimum final score required 0):	
	Curriculum vitae et studiorum	maximum score 6
	Thesis abstract	maximum score 4
	Degree mark	maximum score 6
	• Publications in extenso	maximum score 4
	Interview: maximum score 80 – minimum	score required 48

Note: The Board of Examiners may decide to adopt evaluation subcriteria.

The <u>admission results</u> 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 following the Doctoral Board decision on the assignment of places and scholarships.

Board decision on the assignment of places and scholarships.				
Examination schedule	Assessment of qualification	from 15 June 2021		
	Interview	7 September 2021 at 9:30 a.m. (Italian time)		
		The Board of Examiners may decide to interview candidates on subsequent dates		
		Due to the current COVID-19 outbreak, the Board of Examiners has decided that the interview will be administered only remotely, by videoconference, using Microsoft Teams.		
		Candidates admitted to the interview will receive an invitation by email from MS Teams to join the Team "Interviews PhD program in Reproductive and Developmental Sciences - UNITS" (please check the spam folder, in case the message has landed there instead of the inbox)		
		Candidates who have not yet registered on the platform will need to create a new account using their email address (where they have received the invitation) as username.		
		Microsoft Teams can be accessed via web app or downloading the application from the following link: https://www.microsoft.com/en-us/microsoft-365/microsoft-teams/download-app .		
		Supported browsers for MS Teams: https://support.microsoft.com/it-it/office/trovare-teams-sul-web-33f84aa9-2e8b-47ac-8676-02033454e385#ID0EAACAAA=Desktop .		
		After joining the Team, candidates can access any time the meetings/interviews scheduled from 7 September 2021 9:30 am and on the following days.		
		Meetings are open to any candidate wishing to listen to other candidates' interviews.		
		At the time scheduled for the interview, candidates must be connected with the webcam on, and will have to show a current and valid identity document (eg passport).		
		Any trouble with downloading or connecting to the platform must be notified by the candidate within 4 working days of the start date of the interviews to dottorato.scienzeriproduzione@units.it		
	Language(s) of the interview	Italian English (for non-Italian speaking candidates)		
	Language(s) tested in the interview	English (level of knowledge required: CEFR B2)		

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION (following publication of the Notice of Competition)

