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## **Notice of Open Competition for Admission to PhD Program Related to the 30<sup>th</sup> Cycle Academic Year 2014/2015**

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### **THE RECTOR**

**CONSIDERING** the Italian Law dated 5 February 1992, No. 104 "Framework Law for assistance, social integration, and rights of disabled people";

**CONSIDERING** the Italian Decree Law dated 30 June 2003, No. 196 "Code concerning the protection of personal data";

**CONSIDERING** the Italian Ministerial Decree dated 3 November 1999, No. 509, "Regulations on the curricular autonomy of universities";

**CONSIDERING** the Italian Presidential Decree dated 28 December 2000, No. 445 "Consolidated laws and regulations on administrative documentation";

**CONSIDERING** the Italian D.P.C.M. dated 9 April 2001 "Provisions for equal treatment regarding the right to higher education, in accordance with art. 4 of the Law dated 2<sup>nd</sup> December 1991, No. 390";

**CONSIDERING** the Italian Ministerial Decree dated 8 February 2013 "Regulations laying down the procedures for the accreditation of offices and PhD Program and criteria for the establishment of PhD Program by accredited bodies";

**CONSIDERING** the applicable Regulations of the University;

**CONSIDERING** the Regulation for accreditation for the establishment and operation of PhD Program at the University of Teramo issued with the D.R. No. 315 dated 15 July 2013;

**CONSIDERING** the Italian Ministerial Decree dated 16 April 2014, No. 10475, "accreditation of PhD Program and criteria for the establishment of PhD Program by accredited bodies 2014/2015";

**CONSIDERING** the resolution of the Academic Senate dated 20 May 2014 concerning the programming of PhD Program of the 30<sup>th</sup> cycle;

**CONSIDERING** the Rector Decree dated 29 May 2014, No. 178 "Reformulation for the programming of the doctoral programs of the cycle XXX";

**CONSIDERING** the memorandum between the University of Teramo and the University of L'Aquila "Consortium Abruzzo Region" Uni Biotech "- University Federation for Research and Higher Education in Biotechnology";

**CONSIDERING** the Italian Ministerial Decree dated 12 February 2012 No. 2900 for a scholarship in the PhD program in "Food Science" through the Fund for the support of young people;

**CONSIDERING** to the agreement signed with the company Gelco Ltd;

**CONSIDERING** the agreement between the University of Teramo and the Istituto Zooprofilattico Abruzzo and Molise "G. Corporale" regarding the PhD program in "Veterinary medical science, public health and animal welfare";

**CONSIDERING** the resolution of the Board of Directors on 17 June 2014 concerning the selection procedures for access to doctoral programs;

**CONSIDERING** the Italian Ministerial Decree dated 22 July 2014 No. 20285 on the Accreditation of doctoral programs academic year 2014/2015;

**CONSIDERING** the selection procedures with regard to individual doctoral courses are subject to the publication of ministerial decrees by will be credited the courses;

**TO RESERVE THE RIGHT** for any modifications, updates or additions to this notice will be released exclusively through publication on the website of the University.

## **ESTABLISHES**

### **Article 1**

#### *Activation*

The PhD Programs listed below are activated, for the academic year 2014/2015, in the context of the 30<sup>th</sup> Cycle, with administrative offices at the University of Teramo. A public exam on qualifications and tests is called for admission to said PhD Programs.

The positions of scholarships may be increased as a result of additional funding that may become available after the publication of this announcement and before the beginning of the selection. Any increase in the number of scholarships will determine an increase of the available places in the competition. This increase will be communicated exclusively on the website of the University (<http://www.unite.it>).

### **PHD in "History of Europe from the Middle Ages to Contemporary"**

Topics of the program	<p>The PhD in the History of Europe from the Middle Ages to contemporary art aims to promote the study of European history, taking into account national specificities and common processes, which contribute to so varied and complex landscape of European societies today. Particular attention will be devoted to the political, religious, cultural, economic and social factors that have marked the continent from the Middle Ages to the contemporary age, as well as the study and deepening of the critical issues and problems as much of their historical tradition (structures and institutions , behavior, mentality, religion, culture, etc.) as of the most recent trends (of world history, the history of gender, history, trans-national and cultural experiences). In addition, attention will be devoted to the regional dimensions of European history, both in terms of the relationship between macro-areas (such as between Mediterranean Europe and Balkan Europe, between Mediterranean Europe and Central Europe), both in terms of comparison between individual regional areas to 'internal different contexts.</p> <p>The aim of the PhD is to train researchers capable of moving in a European and international horizon. To this end, we intend to provide doctoral students a high level of scientific training, and opportunities for exchange and contact with teachers, universities and research centers worldwide.</p> <p>Possession of a master's degree or a foreign qualification with suitable thesis in a historical discipline or historical argument</p>
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Admission requirement	Possesso di laurea magistrale o titolo straniero idoneo con tesi di laurea in una disciplina storica o di argomento storico
Number of positions available	6
Number of positions covered by scholarship	6 (finanziate dall'Università degli Studi di Teramo)
Scientific subject areas	M-STO/01; M-STO/02; M-STO/04; M-STO/07; M-STO/08; SECS-P/04; SECS-P/12
Course coordinator	prof. Francesco Benigno
Contacts	Prof. Massimo Carlo Giannini (massgiannini@unite.it) - Prof.ssa Francesca Gallo (fgallo@unite.it)

### PhD in "Cellular and Molecular Biotechnologies"

Topics of the program	<p>Provide a thorough and updated knowledge of the molecular and functional properties of cells and transfer the latest technology for use in the biomedical field the same and their products. Cellular models are treated as a priority:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1.gameti and embryos of mammals;</li> <li>2.cellule fetal stem cells, adult and cancer;</li> <li>3 cellular models of disease (neuro)-inflammatory, neurodegenerative and cancer.</li> </ol> <p>The in-depth knowledge of molecular systems and control mechanisms of cellular function is guaranteed during the teaching and thanks to intensive basic research carried out at the laboratories available to the doctorate. The teaching and research will be aimed at developing innovative strategies for the use of molecules, cells and macromolecular systems in the biomedical field in the following contexts:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1 nutriceutics development of food;</li> <li>2. models in vitro and in vivo monitoring of the effects of nutraceuticals and nutrigenomici of foods, nutrients, trace elements and xenobiotics;</li> <li>3. Development of biopharmaceuticals;</li> <li>4.identificazione of innovative therapies "cell-free and cell-based";</li> <li>5.messa of models for the evaluation of the bioavailability of materials of natural origin and synthesis;</li> <li>6 definition of predictive models and computational systems biology;</li> <li>7 Structural and computational analysis aimed at "drug design."</li> </ol>
Admission requirement	<p>Possesso di una delle seguenti lauree:</p> <p>LM-6 Biologia</p> <p>LM-7 Biotecnologie agrarie</p> <p>LM-8 Biotecnologie industriali</p> <p>LM-9 Biotecnologie mediche, veterinarie e farmaceutiche</p> <p>LM-13 Farmacia e farmacia industriale</p> <p>LM-21 Ingegneria biomedica</p> <p>LM-41 Medicina e chirurgia</p> <p>LM-42 Medicina veterinaria</p> <p>LM-46 Odontoiatria e protesi dentaria</p> <p>LM-53 Scienza e ingegneria dei materiali</p>

	LM-54 Scienze chimiche LM-60 Scienze della natura LM-61 Scienze della nutrizione umana LM-69 Scienze e tecnologie agrarie LM-70 Scienze e tecnologie alimentari LM-71 Scienze e tecnologie della chimica industriale LM-86 Scienze zootecniche e tecnologie animali LM/SNT1 Scienze infermieristiche e ostetriche LM/SNT2 Scienze riabilitative delle professioni sanitarie LM/SNT3 Scienze delle professioni sanitarie tecniche LM/SNT4 Scienze delle professioni sanitarie della prevenzione 6/S (specialistiche in biologia) 7/S (specialistiche in biotecnologie agrarie) 8/S (specialistiche in biotecnologie industriali) 9/S (specialistiche in biotecnologie mediche, veterinarie e farmaceutiche) 14/S (specialistiche in farmacia e farmacia industriale) 26/S (specialistiche in ingegneria biomedica) 46/S (specialistiche in medicina e chirurgia) 47/S (specialistiche in medicina veterinaria) 52/S (specialistiche in odontoiatria e protesi dentaria) 69/S (specialistiche in scienze della nutrizione umana) 74/S (specialistiche in scienze e gestione delle risorse rurali e forestali) 77/S (specialistiche in scienze e tecnologie agrarie) 78/S (specialistiche in scienze e tecnologie agroalimentari) 79/S (specialistiche in scienze e tecnologie agrozootecniche) SNT_SPEC/1 (specialistiche nelle scienze infermieristiche e ostetriche) SNT_SPEC/2 (specialistiche nelle scienze delle professioni sanitarie della riabilitazione) SNT_SPEC/3 (specialistiche nelle scienze delle professioni sanitarie tecniche) SNT_SPEC/4 (specialistiche nelle scienze delle professioni sanitarie della prevenzione)
Number of positions available	Corsi di laurea in ambito biologico, chimico/biochimico e sanitario
Number of positions covered by scholarship	7
Scientific subject areas	6 (di cui 3 finanziate dall'Università degli Studi di Teramo e 3 finanziate dall'Università degli Studi dell'Aquila)
Course coordinator	BIO/06; BIO/10; BIO/11; BIO/13; BIO/14; CHIM/09; FIS/07; MED/13; VET/01; VET/02; VET/03; VET/09
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### PhD in "Processes law harmonization between history and system"

Topics of the program	The recent phenomenon of the globalization of law now makes it necessary to push the boundaries of national regulatory institutions, in order to integrate and harmonize the content and objectives at international and European level. In some areas the processes of integration and harmonization are already at an advanced stage, in others they are not fully consolidated in one stage, while in others the defense of state sovereignty is strong. All of these bring the interest of the lawyer in a multidisciplinary perspective on everything. The aim of the course is to train scholars capable of dealing with problems related to the origin and configuration of individual legal institutions from the perspective of harmonization of law, which are able to move between the different legal experiences in time and space. In doing so it seeks to respond better to the needs of the professional world, academia and public and private agencies that increasingly require the ability to manage the integration of open solutions legal systems. The transversality of the issue relies on the wealth of expertise that provides the faculty, which allows you to arrange your course in 4 curricula.
Admission requirement	Tutte le lauree magistrali, specialistiche o vecchio ordinamento
Number of positions available	7
Number of positions covered by scholarship	6 (finanziati dall'Università degli Studi di Teramo)
Scientific subject areas	IUS/01; IUS/02; IUS/04; IUS/06; IUS/07; IUS/08; IUS/09; IUS/10; IUS/11; IUS/12; IUS/13; IUS/14; IUS/16; IUS/17; IUS/18; IUS/19; IUS/20; IUS/21;
Course coordinator	Prof.ssa Alessandra Gianelli (agianelli@unite.it)
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### PHD in "Food Science"

Topics of the program	The objectives of the ERC doctorate fall within the area of Life Sciences, and specifically in the field LS9 Applied life sciences and non-medical biotechnology, with particular reference to the LS9_6 Food Sciences. The doctorate will be directed to the training of experts with in-depth knowledge of the quantitative and qualitative aspects of food production, obtained either under conventional and organic. As indicated in the EC document "Horizon 2020 - The Framework Programme for Research and Innovation (2014-2020) ", will be given particular emphasis to lines of research that fall within the priority "Industrial leadership "and" Societal challenges ". We propose, therefore, to get professionals to be able to plan and manage production processes through a rationalization of traditional technologies and / or through product innovations and process, to influence and to assess the quality (that varies with its multiple components) , the safety and wholesomeness of food, to make available all the skills for the characterization, development and traceability of food and traditional dishes. The internationalization, the close connection between
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	the purpose and research centers and industry, are elements which render the training of Ph.D. in line with the concomitant process of repositioning the food industry in international markets.
Admission requirement	Possesso di una delle seguenti lauree: LM-6 Biologia, LM-7 Biotecnologie agrarie, LM-8 Biotecnologie industriali, LM-9 Biotecnologie mediche, veterinarie e farmaceutiche, LM-22 Ingegneria chimica, LM-42 Medicina veterinaria, LM-54 Scienze chimiche, LM-56 Scienze dell'economia, LM-60 Scienze della natura, LM-61 Scienze della nutrizione umana, LM-69 Scienze e tecnologie agrarie, LM-70 Scienze e tecnologie alimentari, LM-71 Scienze e tecnologie della chimica industriale, LM-73 Scienze e tecnologie forestali ed ambientali, LM-75 Scienze e tecnologie per l'ambiente e il territorio, 6/S (specialistiche in biologia), 7/S (specialistiche in biotecnologie agrarie), 8/S (specialistiche in biotecnologie industriali), 9/S (specialistiche in biotecnologie mediche, veterinarie e farmaceutiche), 27/S (specialistiche in ingegneria chimica), 62/S (specialistiche in scienze chimiche), 77/S (specialistiche in scienze e tecnologie agrarie), 78/S (specialistiche in scienze e tecnologie agroalimentari), 79/S (specialistiche in scienze e tecnologie agrozootecniche), 81/S (specialistiche in scienze e tecnologie della chimica industriale), 92/S (specialistiche in statistica per la ricerca sperimentale) - Nel caso di richieste di laureati con classe di laurea diverse da quelle indicate il Collegio dei docenti valuterà l'eventuale ammissione in funzione di particolari requisiti curriculari che possano rendere il candidato idoneo a svolgere attività nell'ambito delle scienze degli alimenti
Number of positions available	7 (di cui 1 riservato ad un dipendente dell'impresa GELCO)
Number of positions covered by scholarship	6 (di cui 4 finanziati dall'Università degli Studi di Teramo - 1 finanziato dal Fondo per il Sostegno dei Giovani (MIUR) e 1 finanziato dall'impresa GELCO)
Scientific subject areas	AGR/01; AGR/02; AGR/15; AGR/16; AGR/19; AGR/20; VET/03; VET/04; VET/07; CHIM/01; CHIM/06; ING-IND/25
Course coordinator	Prof. Dario Compagnone (dcompagnone@unite.it)
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**PhD in "Veterinary Medical Sciences, Public Health  
and animal welfare "**

Topics of the program	The purpose is to provide doctoral students the tools they need to apply the latest methods and scientific principles to the learning of skills, methods of research and study in the various fields of Veterinary Medical Sciences. In agreement with the European objectives is to "Horizon 2020", which of OneHealth and in particular in the document relating to Innovative Medicines Initiative (IMI) 2, the graduate students will acquire knowledge and understanding and practice, independent judgment, communication skills within the different branches of medical sciences veterinary, animal welfare and public health including food-borne zoonoses. In addition, the course aims to promote educational programs and research projects that coagulate common interests in different aspects of veterinary clinical sciences, including the study of the genetic basis of human cancers and animals and the issues relating to the protection of animal welfare, the ethics of breeding, conservation of animal biodiversity in the EU and the harmonization of legal rules.
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Admission requirement	Possesso di una delle seguenti lauree: LM-6 Biologia LM-42 Medicina veterinaria LM-54 Scienze chimiche LM-70 Scienze e tecnologie alimentari 6/S (specialistiche in biologia) 47/S (specialistiche in medicina veterinaria) 62/S (specialistiche in scienze chimiche) 78/S (specialistiche in scienze e tecnologie agroalimentari)
Number of positions available	7
Number of positions covered by scholarship	6 (di cui 3 finanziati dall'Università degli Studi di Teramo e 3 finanziati dall'IZS Teramo)
Scientific subject areas	VET/01; VET/02; VET/03; VET/04; VET/05; VET/06; VET/08; VET/09; VET/10; AGR/19; BIO/10
Course coordinator	Prof. Fulvio Marsilio (fmarsilio@unite.it)
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## Art. 2

### Admission Requirements

The application for participation in the tender may be submitted, regardless of age and nationality, by those who, on the date of expiry of the notice, are in possession of master's degree or a foreign qualification or suitable for those who obtain the license applied for 'admission by October 31, 2014, under penalty of forfeiture of admission in case of a positive outcome of the selection. The equivalence of foreign qualifications is determined by the Academic Board of the doctorate based on the documentation submitted by the applicant together with the application for admission to the competition (\*).

For lack of requirements can be arranged at any time, exclusion from the procedure with a note of the charge of the proceedings; the possible admission you will therefore be considered in every case made with reserve.

## Art. 3

### Admission tests

The exam is designed to ensure by appropriate benchmarking, preparation of base acquired, and the candidate's aptitude for scientific research.

Admission to the PhD is based on qualifications and examination and is divided into two phases. In the first phase the Academic Board, meeting in plenary form or restricted, shall make an assessment of the following qualifications by giving each candidate a maximum score of 20 points according to the following breakdown:

#### 1) Research Doctorate in "History of Europe from the Middle Ages to the Contemporary."

- a. thesis, accompanied by an abstract in English (minimum length of the abstract 2,000 - 8,000 characters maximum): up to 5 points;
- b. quality of the research project, consistent with the themes of the course, prepared by the candidate (minimum length 8,000 - 10,000 characters maximum): up to 7 points;
- c. scientific curriculum vitae (academic career including the exams - n. 1 letter of reference from a lecturer or tutor scientific prestige, professional experiences, educational and / or research; degree of knowledge of foreign languages and other qualifications ): maximum 4 points;

d. any publications: up to 4 points - it is specified that will be evaluated only scientific publications with ISBN or ISSN.

2) PhD in "Cellular and Molecular Biotechnologies."

- a. thesis, accompanied by an abstract in English: maximum 4 points;
- b. research project developed by the candidate, consistent with the themes of the course: maximum 6 points;
- c. scientific curriculum vitae (academic career including the exams - letter \ e of reference from professors or tutors scientific and professional experiences, training and \ or research, degree of knowledge of foreign languages and other qualifications): maximum 4 points ;
- d. any publications: up to 6 points.

3) PhD in "Processes law harmonization between history and system."

- a. thesis, accompanied by an abstract in English: maximum 7 points;
- b. research project developed by the candidate, consistent with the themes of the course: maximum 7 points;
- c. scientific curriculum vitae (academic career including the exams letter \ e of reference from professors or tutors scientific and professional experiences, training and \ or research, degree of knowledge of foreign languages and other qualifications): maximum 4 points;
- d. any publications: up to 2 points.

4) PhD in "Food Science".

- a. curriculum vitae scientific and academic career: maximum 8 points;
- b. letter \ e of reference from professors or tutors scientific and professional experiences: maximum points 1;
- c. any publications: 1 maximum points .
- d. quality of the proposed research project developed by the candidate, consistent with the themes of the course: maximum 10 points.

5) Research Doctorate in "veterinary medical sciences, public health and animal welfare."

- a. thesis, accompanied by an abstract in English: maximum 8 points;
- b. research project developed by the candidate, consistent with the themes of the course: maximum 6 points;
- c. scientific curriculum vitae (academic career including the exams - letter \ e of reference from professors or tutors scientific and professional experiences, training and \ or research, degree of knowledge of foreign languages and other qualifications): maximum 4 points ;
- d. any publications: up to 2 points.

At the second stage (oral) are allowed for candidates who have achieved a minimum score of 12 points on the list will be published after the assessment of the securities, on the website of the university. The oral test will consist of an interview of the candidate before the Academic Board, meeting in plenary or restricted form, designed to test the knowledge on the topics of doctoral and content of the proposed research project. During the interview it is always verified knowledge of the English language. The interview may be conducted entirely in English if requested by the applicant. The interview may be conducted via computer if required in the process of submission of the application by the candidate or by the candidate residing abroad differently abled. The maximum score for each candidate for the oral exam is 40 points. At the end of the interview with the Academic Board will proceed to identify suitable to be placed in the general classification, expressed in sixtieths, based on the sum of the scores obtained by the candidates in the valuation of securities and in the interview.

The diary of the oral test, indicating the date, time and venue in which it takes place, will be published



on the website of the university, at least 15 days before taking the test. For the interview, candidates must bring valid photo ID.

#### Art. 4

##### Application and deadline for submission

In order to participate in art. 1 of this announcement, the candidate must fill out and submit the appropriate application - complete with all attachments - using only the on-line procedure on the University website ([www.unite.it](http://www.unite.it)).

The application must be submitted no later than 24:00 pm on 8 September 2014. The notice of the call will be published in the Official Gazette of the Republic, while the full text of the notice will be posted on the University website and also it will be ensured even advertising on the website of the Ministry of University and on the EURAXESS website. The application must be accompanied by proof of payment of € 20.00-not rimborsabili- for expenses related to the admission to the course of the research, to be made by MAV, which will be generated during the on-line compilation of the application or the receipt of the payment made by credit card.

In the application form the applicant shall declare, under their own responsibility:

- 1 the name and surname;
- 2 the date and place of birth;
3. the tax code;
4. the residence, with the indication of the street, the street number, city, province, zip code;
5. citizenship;
6. the degree possessed or to be obtained, the university from which it was obtained or by which he will be achieved, and the date of attainment, or the qualification obtained abroad and recognized as equivalent by the competent authorities to accordance with applicable law;
- 7 have an adequate knowledge of the Italian language (such declaration shall be made only by foreign nationals) ;
- 8 I will attend full-time PhD program in accordance with the regulations laid down by the Academic Board;
9. the language from English or Italian with which the oral exam;
- 10 the mode of conducting the interview in presence or remotely with an indication of the Skype contact;
11. the email address where you want to be sent any communication related to this procedure, as well as the telephone number and email address and a commitment to notify any subsequent changes. Applicants must also be submitted as attachments. The absence of even one of these attachments, will be excluded from selection:

- Identification document: a copy of the identity card (for EU citizens) or passport, bearing the pages with the photograph, biographical data, the number, date and place of issue, expiration date and stamp of the competent authority . Any other proof of identity will not be taken into account;

- Copy of the card showing the tax code;

- A full copy of the thesis;

- Summary (in English) of the thesis giving reasons for the thesis, the research methodology and results obtained (maximum 4 pages);

- Scientific curriculum vitae preferably on Europass:

<http://europass.cedefop.europa.eu/europass/home/vernav/Europass+Documents/Europass+CV.csp>;

- Letter \ e of reference from professors or tutors scientific;

- Research project drawn up by the candidate, consistent with the themes of the course;

- Self-certification to attest to whether the income is higher or lower than EUR 10,329.00 per year for any use of the scholarship;

- Receipt of payment of EUR 20.00 rimborsabili--not for expenses related to the admission to the PhD program, to be carried out by MAV.

Applicants may also submit other attachments (attachments optional):

- Publications;
- Other qualifications useful for the assessment (professional experiences, documentation, prizes, scholarships, training activities, research experiences, specializations, master etc..).

Candidates who wish to qualify for the scholarship must submit a self-certification to attest to the personal gross annual income, making use of Annex B and combining the declaration of a photocopy of an identity document, in compliance with art. 38 of Presidential Decree December 28, 2000, n. 445.

Aspiring candidates with disabilities to obtain, in accordance with art. 20 dated 5 February 1992, n. 104, the granting of the necessary tools in relation to their different abilities, as well as any additional time for the conduct of examinations, must attach to the application form the relevant certification and medical care.

The candidate will have to affix a penalty of exclusion, in the bottom of the application's signature. Without prejudice to the cases of exclusion expressly stated in the contract, may be requested at any time regularization of the questions, signed and mailed in time, prove to be formally illegal for remediable defects, incorrect, incomplete or not in accordance with the application form attached to this decree.

The Administration assumes no responsibility for the loss of communications due to incorrect address details from the candidates or missing or late notification of a change of address indicated in the application or for any problems or telematic are attributable to third parties in case unforeseeable circumstances or force majeure.

#### Art. 5 Admission to the course

The official approval of the acts and relative rankings will be published on the University website. Candidates will be admitted to the course in the order list until the number of places available. The candidates admitted to the course shall, under penalty of forfeiture, submit to the Office research training in the application form, using the appropriate form available also electronically on the website of the university, duly completed and signed, within the period maximum of 10 days (ten), starting from the day following the publication of the final merit. In the case of placement in more than one classification, the candidate will have to opt for a single PhD program. Those who do not regularizzeranno registration by the deadline, will be considered to have withdrawn.

Those who have made false declarations will be declared forfeited.

In case of cancellation or forfeiture, will replace the candidate who, in the ranking, will occupy the next position to that of the dismissive or decayed.

The takeover will occur, also, in case someone were to give up within three months from the effective start of the course.

#### Art. 6 Admission supernumerary

May be admitted to the PhD course in supernumerary suitable candidates in order of merit that are:

- Holders of research grants, pursuant to art. 22 of the law of 30 December 2010 no. 240;
- Employees of businesses, governments or public service, in an amount not exceeding 30%, rounded up to the top of the posts to be filled, including those who are found to be suitable as a result of bankruptcy proceedings on the basis of specific conventions.

The Academic Board may admit supernumerary non-EU citizens who are in possession of a degree appropriate for admission and are holders of scholarships granted by the Italian State or from national and international institutions, the European Union or other European or international scientific institution. Admission decisions on a case by case basis with the Academic Board.

#### Art. 7

##### Contributions to the enrollment and attendance of courses

Students not been awarded a scholarship are required to pay a contribution to the enrollment and attendance in the amount of € 1,000.00 yearly, to be divided in two equal installments: the first installment is to be paid at registration 'act for the course and for subsequent years by December 31. The payment of the second installment, for each year of the course, must be made by April 30. You are required to pay the fee even those enrolled in research grant holders and employees of agencies or businesses enrolled in the industrial doctorates.

All students enrolled in the course are required to pay € 140 per year, regional tax in favor of the Company for the Right to University Studies, together with the annual amount of revenue stamps. All payments must be made by MAV, generated in the section of the University website "PhD - XXX cycle."

#### Art. 8

##### Scholarships

The financial support is given to the candidates according to the merit list of up to the number of forms of support provided.

In case of forfeiture or waiver within three months of a candidate the next applicant in accordance with the ranking. If the withdrawing have monthly payments already received scholarships, is required to return them.

The criteria for the allocation of different types of handbags, even with a specific theme and dedicated funding, are established by the Academic Board, in accordance with the requirements and attitudes of winners.

The scholarships last one year and shall be renewed provided that the candidate has completed the program of activities for the previous year as well as verified by the Academic Board. The amount of the scholarship, to be paid in monthly installments is given in EUR 13.638,47 expenses charged to the candidate provided by law.

The scholarship PhD is subject to the payment of social security contributions INPS separately managed in accordance with Article 2, paragraph 26, of the Law of 8 August 1995, n. 335, as amended, to the extent of two-thirds to one-third over the administration and the responsibility of the fellow. Students enjoy the protections and rights.

This amount is increased to a maximum of 20 percent for a total period not exceeding 18 months if the student is authorized by the Academic Board to conduct research abroad. Starting from the second year each student is insured, within existing financial resources, a budget for the research activities in Italy and abroad.

The recipient of the scholarship must have a personal gross annual income does not exceed € 10,329.14. Overcoming whether or not such income limit shall be declared by the beneficiary of a scholarship pursuant to Presidential Decree December 28, 2000, n. 445.

The determination of such income, which is reported annually to award the scholarship, contribute patrimonial income derived from rents and interest fees as well as any other character with the applicant, with the exception of those with occasional or nature arising from military service. The principles referred to in this Article shall not apply to fellows of foreign states or beneficiaries of financial support under specific programs of mobility in relation to the provisions of specific regulations and does not apply to employees of institutions or companies enrolled in the Industrial

## PhD

The scholarship can not be combined with any other scholarships, except those conferred by national or foreign institutions designed to integrate with foreign travel, training or research of doctoral candidates; in this case the entitlement to the expected increase in the scholarships. Those who have already earned a title of PhD or equivalent title to it can be allowed to attend a different PhD program, subject to overcome the selection tests. Those who have already benefited, even partly, of a scholarship to attend a PhD program, it can not receive a second one.

## Art. 9

### Rights and duties of doctoral students

The student has the status of a university student for the entire period of attendance of the course. Students are required to perform with diligence and commitment to the study and research in the manner prescribed by the Academic Board.

Students, as an integral part of the training project, can play, subject to the approval of the Faculty Board, without this leading to any increase in scholarship, tutoring of students in undergraduate and master's degree, and, in any case within the maximum limit of 40 hours in each academic year, supplementary teaching activities.

PhD students apply the existing provisions for the protection of motherhood and fatherhood. And 'forbidden, during the legal duration of the PhD program, to enroll in another doctoral degree, an undergraduate degree, a graduate school or a master of Unite or from another University. In the case of justified grounds which do not allow to the student the actual rate of progress will not be less than the right of the continuation of the PhD program. Any absences and the reasons for making them will be evaluated for the purposes of suspension, by the teaching staff. In particular, in the case of documented serious illness, frequency of active internship program for the training of teachers (TFA), or more serious and documented reasons, we will apply the suspension by the Academic Board at the request of the student.

The exclusion from the PhD is approved by the Academic Board in the case of non-admission to the following year which may occur as a result of non-achievement of the learning outcomes and research or for the incompatibility with the work activity in the absence of authorization or unjustified and prolonged absences.

The title of Doctor of Philosophy, abbreviated with the words "Dott. Ric. "Or" Ph.D. ", is released as a result of the positive evaluation of a research thesis that contributes to the advancement of knowledge or methodologies in the field of study chosen.

Within one month from the end of the last year of the course, students must submit the thesis, signed by the Course Coordinator and tutor at the Office research training.

## Art. 10

### Head of the procedure

Under the Law of 7 August 1990, n. 241, the head of the procedure referred to in this announcement is Dr. Sabrina Saccomandi – Research Area - (tel. 0861/266334 - [ssaccomandi@unite.it](mailto:ssaccomandi@unite.it)) - for information: Office of Research Training (tel. 0861/266307 - 0861/266335 - [dottorati@unite.it](mailto:dottorati@unite.it)).

## Art. 11

### Privacy policy

All personal data submitted by candidates with the questions of participation, pursuant to art. 11, paragraph 1, of Legislative Decree 30 June 2003, n. 196, will be used exclusively for the purposes of administering this procedure.

Providing such data is required. The information thus acquired may be disclosed to other government

and regulatory bodies in the monitoring of any affidavits made by the aspiring candidate. The party also enjoys the rights under Art. 7 of the Legislative Decree, including the right of access to data relating to him, the right to correct, update or delete incorrect, incomplete or not collected in conformity with the law, and the right to object to the their treatment for legitimate reasons. Holder of the treatment, against which can be asserted the rights mentioned in the preceding paragraph, it is Chancellor of the University of Teramo, in its capacity as legal representative of the same.

Art. 12  
Text Reference

For matters not covered by this notice, please refer to the legislation currently in force.

**THE RECTOR**  
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(\*) Academic title awarded abroad: university degree obtained abroad must be comparable to the title of Master of Science in duration, level and subject area. In accordance with this principle, acting on their eligibility with the Academic Board. Applicants who have a foreign qualification that has not already been declared equivalent (1) to an Italian degree will make implicit request for equivalence in their application for admission, must attach the following documents: certified the degree with exams and the corresponding vote (EU citizens may submit a self-certification according to Presidential Decree no. 445 of 28.12.2000, as amended, English translation, if the document is not already in that language, the certificate the degree earned, with exams taken and grades obtained, signed under their own responsibility, in order to allow the teacher to assess their suitability, solely for purposes of participation in the contest; any other documentation deemed useful to assess the eligibility of the title held for participation in the competition (Diploma Supplement (2), or declaration of local value (3), etc.). Candidates holding a degree not achieved in Italy winners of the contest must submit to the Service PhDs by February 28, 2014: Declaration of Value-site together with the degree certificate with exams and grades, translated and authenticated by Italian diplomatic authorities in the country where the institution that issued it. The Value Statement must certify that the qualification obtained is valid in the country of graduation for enrollment in an academic course similar to the Ph.D.; or, if the Value Statement above is not yet ready for the date indicated, a document showing that the release request has been submitted to the diplomatic mission of competence; In this case, the student must then deliver the Declaration of Value in the original as soon as available; or, as an alternative to Value Statement, the Diploma Supplement in English, according to the model developed by the European Commission, the Council of Europe and UNESCO / CEPES. In the absence of such documents will not be achieved the title of Doctor of Philosophy.

(1) For more information visit the web page <http://www.cimea.it/default.aspx?IDC=113>.

(2) With Diploma Supplement is a document attached to a diploma of higher education with the aim of improving the 'transparency' international and facilitate academic and professional recognition of the qualifications (diplomas, degrees, certificates, etc.). The Diploma Supplement should be issued by the same institution that issued the license. More details on the website: [http://ec.europa.eu/education/lifelong-learning-policy/doc1239\\_en.htm](http://ec.europa.eu/education/lifelong-learning-policy/doc1239_en.htm).

(3) The Value Statement is issued by the Italian diplomatic missions abroad (embassies / consulates) competent. For more information, visit <http://www.cimea.it/default.aspx?IDC=118>.