



DOCTORAL PROGRAMME IN SUSTAINABLE MANAGEMENT OF AGRICULTURAL, FORESTRY AND FOOD RESOURCES

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XLI cycle – academic year 2025/2026

ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE	Department of Agriculture Food Environment and Forestry			
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WEB	www.phd-gsrafa.dagri.unifi.it			
CURRICULA	 Agri-food Economics and Sustainable Rural Development (EASRS) Economics, Forest Management, and Wood Sciences (EGFSL) Agricultural and Forest Engineering (IAF) Food Science and Technology (STA) 			
	POSITIONS AVAILABLE: 5 Positions with Scholarship: 4 Positions without Scholarship: 1			
SCHOLARSHIPS: 4	University of Florence			
STUDY/RESEARCH PERIODS ABROAD	3 months			
DOCUMENTS REQUIRED FOR THE ADMISSION (under penalty of exclusion)	 Copy of the Identification Document Self-certification for qualifications obtained in Italy (laurea triennale, specialistica o magistrale o ciclo unico) with list of exams taken, credits and related grade, title of the thesis and graduation mark (using this template or similar forms containing the required information) Qualifications obtained abroad (Bachelor's and Master Degrees or combined cycle Degree) with a list of all exams taken, credits and related grade, rating scale, title of the thesis and graduation mark The same documentation except for the final mark must be submitted by those who will graduate within the 31/10/2025 			
DOCUMENTS REQUIRED FOR THE EVALUATION	 MANDATORY Curriculum vitae (European format) Research Project 			

	 OPTIONAL List of publications Any other scientific qualification document 				
RESEARCH PROJECT	The research project must refer to one of the research topics of the PhD program (www.phd-gsrafa.dagri.unifi.it/curricula). The project can be written in Italian or English and should be organized in the following sections: title, research question and state of the art, aims, materials and methods, expected results, cited references. The project should not exceed 12000 characters including spaces (not including references, tables, and figures). The candidate can apply for several rankings by submitting a specific research project for each ranking (clearly state the reference to the chosen thematic). The project will not necessarily be the PhD thesis project of the candidate, should he/she be accepted in the program.				
INTERVIEW MODE	In person (In the application form candidates may ask to conduct the interview remotely) The interview can be taken in Italian or in English language. If in Italian, the English language knowledge is tested during the interview.				
	parameter	minimum score	maximum score		
	Curriculum vitae, publications, other qualification documents	10/120	20/120		
	Research Project	30/120	40/120		
EVALUATION MARKS	Applicants who obtain a mark of at least 40/120 according to the minimum score for each parameter will be admitted to the interview				
	Interview: discussion of the research project and qualification documents	40/120	60/120		
	Eligibility is achieved with a minimum score of 80/120				
FURTHER INFORMATION ABOUT THE EVALUATION PROCESS	The evaluation of the curriculum, any additional qualifications, and the research project will take into account the candidate's preparation and abilities, also in relation to the research topics of the doctoral program's curricula. The discussion of the project and any publications will be aimed at further exploring the elements that emerged during the evaluation of the CV, qualifications, and research project, and is intended to assess the candidate's interest and motivation toward scientific research in the areas covered by the doctoral curricula				

EXAMINATION SCHEDULE					
	DATE	TIME	PLACE		
INTERVIEW	July 18 th 2025	9:30 a.m.	Department of Agriculture, Food, Environment and Forestry (DAGRI) Piazzale delle Cascine 18 - Florence Aula D		

The list of the candidates admitted to the interview and the final ranking will be published at the page **PhD** courses