**DOCTORAL PROGRAMME**

**IN**

**SUSTAINABLE MANAGEMENT OF AGRICULTURAL, FORESTRY AND FOOD RESOURCES**

*Director prof. Erminio Monteleone*

**XXXVI cycle – academic year 2020/2021**

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<td>4. Food Science and Technology</td>
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**POSITIONS AVAILABLE: 5**

- Positions with Scholarship: 4
- Positions without Scholarship: 1

**SCHOLARSHIPS: 4**

University of Florence

**STUDY/RESEARCH PERIODS ABROAD**

Mandatory only for positions with scholarship

**MANDATORY PERIOD REQUIRED**

3 months

**DOCUMENTS REQUIRED FOR THE ADMISSION**

(under penalty of exclusion)

- Copy of the Identification Document
- Replacement Declaration Form self-declaration for:
  - Italian Degree required for the access
  - transcript of records with marks *(for those candidates whose degrees will be awarded within the 31st October 2020)*
  - acknowledgment of compliance for any other qualification documents enclosed with the application
- Foreign Degree required for the access *(those candidates whose degrees will be awarded within the 31st October 2020 shall enclose the list of the examinations completed with marks)*

**DOCUMENTS REQUIRED FOR THE EVALUATION**

**MANDATORY**

- Curriculum vitae (European format)
- Research Project

**OPTIONAL**

- List of publications
- Any other scientific qualification document

**REFERENCE LETTERS**

A section is provided in the online application to specify the e-mail address of one professor/researcher willing to provide information about candidates training path and activities performed within a scientific field related to the Ph.D. course.
**RESEARCH PROJECT**
The research project must refer to one of the research topics of the PhD program ([http://www.phd-gsrafa.dagri.unifi.it/ls-13-curricula.html?newlang-english](http://www.phd-gsrafa.dagri.unifi.it/ls-13-curricula.html?newlang-english)). 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 project will not necessarily be the PhD thesis project of the candidate, should he/she be accepted in the program.

**EVALUATION PROCEDURE**
- Evaluation of curriculum vitae, research project, publications and other qualification documents
- Interview

As detailed in the section below “Evaluation Marks”.

**OTHER LANGUAGE FOR THE INTERVIEW**
English

**INTERVIEW by remote mode**
Google Meet or Skype

**FURTHER INFORMATION**
Interview in English or Italian. If in Italian, the English language knowledge is tested during the interview.

**EVALUATION MARKS**

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<td>Curriculum vitae, publications, scientific qualification documents</td>
<td>10/120</td>
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<td>Research Project</td>
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**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 curriculum vitae, research project, publications, scientific qualification documents will consider the candidate’s preparation and skills in relation to the research topics of the curricula of the PhD programme.

**THEMATICS**
Discussion of the research project and of any other academic and scientific titles and publications will aim at evaluating the candidate’s interest and motivation towards scientific research in the fields of interest of the PhD curricula.

Further information available at the following web page: [http://www.phd-gsrafa.dagri.unifi.it/ls-12-phd-program.html](http://www.phd-gsrafa.dagri.unifi.it/ls-12-phd-program.html)

**EXAMINATIONS SCHEDULE**

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The list of the candidates admitted to the interview and the final ranking will be published at the following web page: [https://www.unifi.it/p11741.html](https://www.unifi.it/p11741.html)