# DOCTORAL PROGRAMME

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## DEVELOPMENT ECONOMICS AND LOCAL SYSTEMS (DELoS)

*Director prof. Donato Romano*

**XL cycle – academic year 2024/2025**

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## CURRICULA

1. Development Economics
2. Local Systems

## POSITIONS AVAILABLE: 4

- Positions with Scholarship: 4
- Positions without Scholarship: *not available*

## 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-declaration for qualifications obtained in Italy (laurea Triennale, Specialistica o Magistrale o ciclo unico) with a list of all exams taken and their marks, title of the thesis and graduation mark (download the form [here](#) make sure you fill in all the fields)
- Qualifications obtained abroad (Bachelor’s and Master Degrees or combined cycle Degree) with a list of all exams taken and their marks, title of the thesis and graduation mark. *The same documentation except for the final mark must be submitted by those who will graduate by 31/10/2024*

## DOCUMENTS REQUIRED FOR THE EVALUATION

**MANDATORY**
- Research proposal
- CV in Europass format

**OPTIONAL**
- Any international certificate of English language knowledge (C1 level or higher in the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages)
The Research Proposal will focus either on a development economics topic or a local systems topic. The [DELoS Research Proposal Template](http://www.phd-delos.unifi.it/) must be used to submit it.

**INTERVIEW MODE**

Remotely (videocall)

The interview will be conducted in English language only.

The selection is a two-step procedure:

a) first, applicants are shortlisted assessing their CV, Research Proposal, publications (if any) and any other documents/certifications enclosed to the application;

b) then, shortlisted applicants are interviewed to (i) discuss their own Research Proposal and other documents/certifications (if any), and (ii) assess the applicant’s qualifications, skills/abilities and motivation.

The final ranking will be compiled according to the scores as detailed in the “Evaluation marks” section.

Further information available at: http://www.phd-delos.unifi.it/

### EVALUATION MARKS

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<th>Parameter</th>
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<td>Shortlist: CV, Research Proposal, publications, any other certification/qualification</td>
<td>40/120</td>
<td>60/120</td>
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<td><strong>Applicants who obtain a mark of at least 40/120 in the evaluation of the above parameters will be admitted to the interview</strong></td>
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<td>Interview: Research Proposal, applicant’s qualifications, skills/abilities and motivation</td>
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### EXAMINATION SCHEDULE

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The list of candidates admitted to the interview and the final ranking will be published at the following web page: [https://www.unifi.it/p12593](https://www.unifi.it/p12593)