

DOCTORAL PROGRAMME IN COMPARATIVE LANGUAGES, LITERATURES AND CULTURES

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XL cycle – academic year 2024/2025

HUMANITIES AREA			
ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE	Department of Education, Languages, Intercultures, Literatures and Psychology		
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CURRICULA	 German Studies (Florence-Bonn) European Founding Myths in the Arts and Literature (Florence-Sorbonne-Bonn) Language, Literature and Philology: Intercultural perspectives Linguistics and Oriental Studies 		
	POSITIONS AVAILABLE: 4 Positions with Scholarship: 4 Position without Scholarship: not available		
SCHOLARSHIPS: 4	University of Florence		
"VINCI PROGRAM" CALL 2024 - Université FRANCO ITALIENNE	In the frame of Vinci Program 2024 the PhD Course submitted a project -Topic: "Charles Baudelaire reader of Théophile Gautier: for a rhetorical analysis of the intertext" for the funding of one scholarship for a PhD Thesis in co-tutorship with the Université de Lorraine. The outcome of the Call will be announced by the end of June.		
	Knowledge of the French language (C1-C2 level) is required.		
	Further information on the Call are available at: https://www.universite-franco-italienne.org/menu-principal/bandi/programma-vinci/bando-2024/bando-vinci-2024-130291.kjsp		
	In the event that the scholarship is assigned to the PhD course in Comparative Languages, Literatures and Cultures the candidate will be identified among the eligible candidates, according to the order of the ranking list, upon the assessment of French language proficiency (Level C1- C2)		

STUDY/RESEARCH PERIODS ABROAD	12 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. 				
DOCUMENTS REQUIRED FOR THE EVALUATION	The same documentation except for the final mark must be submitted by those who will graduate within the 31/10/2024 MANDATORY Curriculum vitae Abstract of Bachelor and Master Thesis (or equivalent) Research Project OPTIONAL List of publications Any other scientific qualification document				
RESEARCH PROJECT AND DOCUMENTS	The research project, of maximum five pages (A4 format) including notes and references, should define the discipline in which candidates intend to specialize, and refers to the thematics of each curriculum as listed in the next section "Thematics". It shall be written in Italian or in one of the foreign languages: German, French, English, and Spanish. The project and qualifications will be discussed during the interview. The abstracts of the Degree theses defended (Bachelor's Degree, Master's Degree, or other) of maximum one page per abstract The abstract of publications (maximum 250 words per article), stressing the original aspects of the various works.				
INTERVIEW MODE	In person (In the application form candidates may ask to conduct the interview remotely) Languages in which the interview can be conducted: German, French, English, and Spanish. English will be tested anyway. Italian will be tested for foreign candidates, English for Italian candidates.				
EVALUATION MARKS	parameter	minimum score	maximum score		
	Curriculum vitae, publications, other qualification documents	5/120	10/120		
	Research project Applicants who obtain a mark of at least	35/120 40/120 acco	50/120		
EVALOATION 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, publications, and other qualification documents	40/120	60/120		
	Eligibility is achieved with a minimum score of 80/120				

Curriculum German Studies (Florence-Bonn)

- 1. Classical-romantic culture and its reception
- 2. 19th century German literature between Realism and Nihilism
- 3. Themes and currents of 20th-century German Literature
- 4. Italo-German studies
- 5. Theory and history of translation and publishing techniques
- 6. Gender studies
- **7.** Historic-literary anthropology
- 8. Aesthetics and poetics of modernity
- 9. Theory and science of literature
- **10.** Literature and arts

Curriculum European Founding Myths in the Arts and Literature (Florence-Sorbonne-Bonn)

- 1. Modernity and new myths
- **2.** Reception of Classical antiquity and the Italian Renaissance in European culture
- 3. Mythical figures of European culture
- 4. Studies on 18th-century Europe
- 5. Literature and arts
- **6.** Aesthetics and poetics of modernity
- 7. Classical-romantic culture and its reception

Curriculum Language, Literature and Philology: Intercultural perspectives

Areas of research: Estonian, Finnish, English, Comparative Literature, Spanish, Turkish, Hungarian, Russian.

Curriculum Linguistics and Oriental Studies

- Linguistic theory. Analysis of natural languages: phonetics, phonology, morphology, syntax, semantics, pragmatics. Psycholinguistics and neurolinguistics.
- **2.** Linguistic variation. Dialectology, sociolinguistics. Second language acquisition. Multilingualism, language contact. Linguistic change. Translation. *Corpora* and automated processing. The lexicon and specialized languages.
- **3.** Philological and linguistic analysis of texts, with particular attention to oriental languages. Analysis and interpretation of documents and texts in modern and ancient languages. Textual genres.

EXAMINATION SCHEDULE					
	DATE	TIME	PLACE		
INTERVIEW	July 11 th , 2024	09:00 a.m.	Dipartimento FORLILPSI, Via Santa Reparata 93 Room 209		

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

THEMATICS