

Università degli Studi di Napoli
"Parthenope"

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Decree No. 459

THE RECTOR

- In consideration of** Law No. 168 of May 9, 1989, with special reference to art. 6 and 16;
- In consideration of** Law No. 210 of July 3, 1998, with special reference to art. 4 for Ph.D. regulation;
- In consideration of** Law No. 240 of December 30, 2010;
- In consideration of** the Statute of the "Parthenope" University of Naples, issued with the Rector Decree No. 830 of November 2, 2016;
- In consideration of** D.M. No. 45 of February 8, 2013, regarding PhD programs accreditation;
- In consideration of** the "Parthenope" University of Naples Regulations for Doctoral Programs of issued with Decree No. 378 of May 29, 2014;
- In consideration of** the Ph.D. programs proposed by the Departments of the "Parthenope" University of Naples, according to the rules established in D.M. No. 45 of February 8, 2013;
1. Information and Communication Technology and Engineering
 2. Energy Science and engineering
 3. Diritto e istituzioni economico-sociali: profili normativi, organizzativi e storico-evolutivi
 4. Economics, Management and Accounting con curriculum
 5. Scienze delle attività motorie e sportive
 6. Economia statistica e sostenibilità
 7. Eurolinguaggi e Terminologie specialistiche
 8. Ambiente, risorse e sviluppo sostenibile
 9. Fenomeni e rischi ambientali
 10. Il diritto dei servizi nell'ordinamento italiano ed europeo
- In consideration of** the fact that for the research doctorate course in " Ambiente, risorse e sviluppo sostenibile", the total number of positions offered is 3 instead of 6 as 3 students have already been selected for the Marie Curie project within the Horizon 2020 MSCA-ITN -2018;
- In consideration of** the deliberations of April 16th and April 17th, 2019 by the governing body of the "Parthenope" University of Naples, which approved the proposed PhD programs and the assignment and allocation of the scholarships as follows:

Information and Communication Technology and Engineering:

6 scholarships, 3 funded by the University, 2 funded by CNR (IREA, IMM e ICAR), 1 funded by Istituto Superiore delle Comunicazioni e delle tecnologie dell'Informazione, and 2 positions without scholarship

Energy Science and engineering

4 scholarships, 3 funded by the University, 1 funded by Dipartimento di Ingegneria, and 1 position without scholarship

Diritto e istituzioni economico-sociali: profili normativi, organizzativi e storico-evolutivi

6 scholarships, 3 funded by the University, 3 positions reserved for employees of the Company "Initiatives and industrial development srl", of the company "Financial Research and Analytics srl" and of the company "APL Lavoro Network" and 2 positions without scholarship

Governance, Management and economics con curriculum

4 scholarships funded by the University, 1 position reserved for employees of the Company "Socrate Soc.Coop.Sociale-Ricerche e Valutazioni Economico Aziendali" and 1 position without scholarship

Scienze delle attività motorie e sportive

4 scholarships, 3 funded by the University, 1 position reserved for employees of the Company "Gruppo Forte Fisioterapia e riabilitazione" and 1 position without scholarship

Economia statistica e sostenibilità

5 scholarships, 3 funded by the University, 2 positions reserved for the employees of the Company "Società AGB Company SPA" and of the Company "Società EPM", and 1 position without scholarship

Eurolinguaggi e Terminologie specialistiche

5 scholarships, 3 funded by the University, 2 positions reserved for the employees of the Company "Fattorie Garofalo Soc.Coop.Agricola" and of the Company "Acetificio Marcello De Nigris", and 1 position without scholarship

Ambiente, risorse e sviluppo sostenibile

2 scholarships, 1 funded by the University, 1 funded by ASMEL, and 1 position without scholarship

Fenomeni e rischi ambientali

4 scholarships, 3 funded by the University, 1 position reserved for the employees of the Company "ARPAC", and 1 position without scholarship

Il diritto dei servizi nell'ordinamento italiano ed europeo

4 scholarships, 3 funded by the University, 1 position reserved for the employees of the Company "Società Michele Bottiglieri Armatore SPA", 1 position without scholarship, 2 positions reserved for foreign scholarship holders, and 1 position without scholarship reserved for students graduated abroad

In consideration of the opinion expressed, in the CINECA database by the Nucleo di Valutazione regarding the PhD courses;

In consideration of the Note of 11.06.2019 issued by MIUR which communicated that ANVUR has approved all the PhD courses listed above for the 35th cycle;

In consideration of the deliberations mentioned above;

In consideration of the Statute of the “Parthenope” University of Naples;

DECREES

ART. 1 – ESTABLISHMENT AND ACTIVATION OF PH.D. PROGRAMS - “35TH CYCLE “

At the “Parthenope” University of Naples, according to the doctorate accreditation rules, the following Ph.D. programs for the 35th cycle are activated

1. Information and Communication Technology and Engineering
2. Energy Science and engineering
3. Diritto e istituzioni economico-sociali: profili normativi, organizzativi e storico-evolutivi
4. Governance, Management and economics con curriculum
5. Scienze delle attività motorie e sportive
6. Economia statistica e sostenibilità
7. Eurolinguaggi e Terminologie specialistiche
8. Ambiente, risorse e sviluppo sostenibile
9. Fenomeni e rischi ambientali
10. Il diritto dei servizi nell’ordinamento italiano ed europeo

ART. 2 - ADMISSION

Public competitive examinations are announced for the admission to the courses listed in art. 1. A short presentation of each Ph.D. Program is reported in the Annexes labeled from 1 to 10.

ART. 3 - ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

PhD positions are open for students holding an Italian degree “Laurea magistrale” or equivalent title (second level or master degree) from a recognized foreign institution. The validity of a foreign degree is assessed by the Examining Committee of the PhD program, in compliance with the regulations in force in Italy and in the issuing country.

Applicants that will complete their degree and who will be issued the title by October 31st, 2019 will also be considered. In this case, the admission to the competitive examination will be “conditional” and the applicant will be required to submit the relevant degree certificate.

ART. 4 – APPLICATIONS

All applicants must submit their Ph.D. application form, only using the format attached to the present call (Annex A). The applications, duly filled, must be addressed and delivered to: Rettore dell’Università degli Studi di Napoli “Parthenope” Via Acton, 38 – 80133 Napoli – UFFICIO PROTOCOLLO.

The applications can be sent by PEC mail, delivered by hand or sent by regular mail. They must arrive **by September 2nd, 2019.**

Applications delivered after this date will not be considered.

All the document, if delivered by regular mail, must be sent in a closed envelope; on the outside of the envelop the following statement must be written:

“DOCUMENTAZIONE SELEZIONE AMMISSIONE DOTTORATO DI RICERCA”

In case the day set for the deadline to receive the applications is not a working day, the deadline is extended to the first following working day.

The applications submitted by regular mail must be received by the deadline date.

In the case of hand delivery, the date of delivery is proven by the date of the University protocol.

The applications can also be sent to the following address by PEC mail concorsi@pec.uniparthenope.it.

Only foreign applicants can submit a scanned copy the application sending an e-mail to: direzione.generale@uniparthenope.it. In this case the e-mail must be sent by the deadline date. Foreign candidates admitted to the doctoral courses must produce the original copy of their application form.

If the candidate intends to apply to more than one PhD program, he/she must produce separate applications, prepared as specified below. If in the same application more PhD programs are specified, only the one indicated first will be considered.

The application form, signed by the candidate must be written in Italian or in English, and it must include the following information:

- a) Last name, first name, date and place of birth; country of citizenship; country of residence and permanent address; National Identification Number (in Italy fiscal code; in USA Social Security Number or Tax code);
- b) The selected PhD Program in which the applicant wishes to participate;
- c) A certificate or self-declaration attesting the applicant's proficiency in Italian or English language, which states the grade, date and place when the certificate was issued;
- d) certificate or self-declaration attesting achievement of the Master Degree (or Second level Degree) or equivalent second-level title, reporting the full denomination, final grade, if already obtained, date and place of issuance. Any other document the applicant considers useful to support his/her application (other First or Second level academic titles, awards, professional activities, publications, and any other document useful to assess the suitability of the applicant, etc.);

All documents typed in a language different from Italian or English, must be translated into one of these two languages and certified as authenticated copy either from the University or from the Italian delegation in charge, according to the regulations in force. These documents must be produced by November 30th, 2019

In particular, the non-EU student, if admitted to the PhD course, must produce, under penalty of exclusion from admission to the course, the declaration of value of their degree no later than November 30th, 2019

- e) possible other funding schemes (in this case it is necessary to attach a proper request);
- f) the applicant commitment to follow the PhD program as full time student, according to the organization that the PhD Board will decide;
- g) the foreign language known and the one chosen for the possible interview;
- h) to be/not to be employed in the public administration in Italy;
- i) to have/not to have previously received a scholarship (even for a single year) for a PhD program;
- j) to have read the present call for admission;
- k) the address to where all communications concerning the present call should be sent, including the Zip code, a phone number and the e-mail address, the applicant should also readily inform this administration of any changed to the information provided. Foreign applicants should possibly send an Italian address, or the address of their country Embassy in Italy to be used for communications.

If the candidate wishes to participate in the reserved places, he / she must declare (alternatively or jointly as required and specified in the attached PhD program):

- ***to be an employee of companies engaged in highly qualified activities,***
- ***to be an employee of the partner companies,***
- ***to be graduated abroad,***

- *to be in possession of the specific requirements of the international research programs envisaged by the PhD course*
- *to accept the research grant instead of the equivalent scholarship*

Applicants must also attach to the application the following:

- a copy of a valid ID (only passports will be accepted for foreign students)
- a filled form for possible other funding schemes

All requests for possible other funding schemes are considered after the merit ranking of the competitive examination is published on the University website.

Under existing legislation, applicants with disabilities must specify in their application the assistance required in relation to their handicap and the possible need for additional time for the completion of the Competitive exams.

Applications will not be considered unless they contain the following information:

- Full name and surname of the applicant;
- Residence address and contact to where all communications regarding the application should be sent;
- The name of the PhD program to which they wish to apply;
- The exact name of the degree held, with the date it was issued, the duration of the degree program the University that issued it, or the equivalent degree obtained at a foreign country with the date of the decree that has declared the equivalence of the degree;

All applicants who:

- will not have gained a required degree **by October 31, 2019**
- will not translate **by November 30th, 2019** all documents typed in a language different from Italian or English, into one of these two languages and certify as authenticated copy either from the University or from the Italian delegation in charge, according to the regulations in force
- will not produce, if non-EU student, the declaration of value of their degree **by November 30th, 2019**

will automatically be excluded.

The Administration may, by Rector's decree, in any stage of the recruitment process, decide of the exclusion of the candidate for lack of requirements.

The University administration has no responsibility in the event of loss of communications, due to errors in the place of residence declared by the candidate or for late communication of change of residence, nor for any postal or telegraphic misplacement or error.

Candidates must provide, at their own expenses, within six months of the completion of the competition, for the recovery of the documents and any publications sent to the University. After the time indicated above, the Administration will not be responsible in any way for the aforementioned publications and documents.

ART. 5 – COMPETITIVE EXAMINATION

The competitive examination to select the candidates for each PhD program will evaluate the candidate's motivations, skills and competence; these will be evaluated based on both the documents attached to the application form and from an interview of the applicant.

The details of the examination, which vary depending on the chosen PhD program, are specified in the Annexes.

The examinations will be held on the dates specified in the Annexes 1 to 10. The place where the examinations will be held, as well as any other communications related to the examinations, will be announced through the official website of the University <http://www.uniparthenope.it/>

ART. 6 – EXAMINATION COMMITTEE

The competitive examination to select the candidates for each PhD program will be carried out by an Examination Committee appointed by the Rector; these Committee will be composed by a minimum of three members, chosen among professors and senior researchers experts of the scientific areas of the Ph.D. Program, and it may be integrated with experts of high scientific reputation, both Italian or international, chosen among academic or non-academic, public or private, research institutions.

In accordance with the criteria established during the first meeting of each Committee, at the end of the interview, the Examination Committee will express a joint evaluation of each candidate, by giving them a score, and will prepare the merit ranking and the related report within 3 days from the end of interviews.

All reports of the meetings of each Committee for the competitive examinations and the merit rankings for the admission to the Ph.D. programs, together with full list of scholarships assigned to candidates are approved by the Rector within 10 days from the delivery of the Examination Committee reports.

From this date and within 5 days, appeals may be presented

ART. 7 – MERIT RANKING

The merit ranking for each Ph.D program will be approved by a Rector's Decree.

In case of two or more candidates with the same score, the youngest candidate will take precedence in the ranking.

Applicants will be declared winners of the Competitive Examination (Candidates of the PhD Program) based on the merit ranking, until all available positions for each PhD program are assigned.

The Committee assigns full scholarships to the Candidates according to the order of admission in the merit ranking, and the number of scholarships available.

The candidates successfully placed on the merit ranking will have to comply with the obligations set forth in the following Art. 8.

In case the successful candidates do not enroll or withdraw from the PhD program, which will be formalized within thirty days from the beginning of the program, an equal number of candidates chosen in the order of the merit ranking will be contacted to enroll them the PhD program.

In case the same candidate is successfully placed in more than one PhD program's merit ranking, they will have to opt for a single PhD program.

ART. 8 - ENROLLMENT

Following the transmission of the Examination Committee's reports, and after their certification of their regularity, the merit rankings for the PhD programs are approved by a Rector's decree within 15 days; the Rector's decrees with the lists for all PhD programs is then published in a dedicated section of the website of "Parthenope" University of Naples: "<http://www.uniparthenope.it>".

This posting represents the official notification to successful candidates of their results.

Successful candidates must submit or send – subject to forfeiture – the enrollment form, within fifteen days from the abovementioned posting, and not later than the beginning of the PhD

programs, whose date is reported on the University website in the dedicated section; enrolment forms must be submitted or sent to the “Ufficio Affari Generali dell’Università degli Studi di Napoli “Parthenope”, Palazzina Spagnola, I Piano, Via Acton 38, 80133 Napoli, during the following hours: Monday to Friday from 11:00 to 13:00, and must be written according to the form released by the administration and available on the University website <http://www.uniparthenope.it>. The enrolment form must contain, besides the candidate personal data, the following statements:

- a) that he/she is not enrolled, and undertakes not to enroll in any another University (*according to Art. 142 of the Consolidated Laws on Higher Education approved according R.D. n. 1592/1933, he was forbidden to enroll in several university courses. Consequently, it is not possible to simultaneously enroll in Master programs, Postgraduate Schools, PhDs, Master of Science or Bachelor's Degree/Master*) for the whole duration of the PhD program indicated above;
- b) that he/she is not enrolled in a Postgraduate School and, if so, to commit to resign before the beginning of the Ph.D. Program;
- c) that he/she has/has not already been enrolled with a scholarship in another a PhD program in Italy;
- d) that he/she is available/not available to be involved in educational activities (such as teaching assistant duties) at the University, as part of the program carried out by the Graduate School, in the manner prescribed by the University;
- e) that he/she is/is not employed in the Italian public administration;
- f) that he/she is/is not the winner of reserved places as an employee of companies engaged in highly qualified activities, employees of partner companies, graduate students in foreign universities, that he/she is/is not in possession of the specific requirements set out in international programs of research foreseen by the PhD course, to accept, in the event that he/she is the winner of the selection, the research grant instead of the equivalent scholarship;
- g) that, in case he/she starts or has started to carry out external activities, he/she will inform the University Administration, and will provide the information needed by PhD Board to approve the compatibility of the abovementioned activities with the PhD program and all the commitments arising from these activities, which in any case must not be in conflict with any of the work carried out for the PhD Program;
- h) that in case he/she becomes recipient of the scholarship, he/she will not to cumulate the scholarship with any other scholarships awarded for any reason, except those awarded by national or foreign institutions to integrate the research activities of the PhD Program during research visits abroad;

and the following self-certification, given according to Presidential Decree n. 445/2000:

- his/her citizenship
- his/her university degree
- total presumed personal income referred to the years 2019-2020 (the year of payment of the scholarship)

Disabled people with a disability equal to or greater than 66% must declare their status in order to obtain exemption from the PhD program fees.

Applicants must also submit their application for enrollment, under penalty of forfeiture, the following documents:

- photocopy of identity document, signed (only passport for foreign students);
- photocopy of the National Identification Number (for Italy fiscal code; for USA Social Security Number or Tax code);
- n. 2 recent photographs of the same size (4 x 4.5 cm), signed on the back;

- Receipt of payment of the regional tax for DSU of €140 (when enrolling)

Those who have not regularized their enrollment before the deadlines listed above will be excluded from the Ph.D. Program; those who have made false declarations will be declared forfeited, and vacancies will be assigned to candidates who are eligible according to the merit ranking for the specific PhD Program.

Candidates who are admitted to the program in one of the reserved positions will also need to present the required documentation to enroll to the PhD program.

The University administration has no responsibility in the event of loss of communications, due to errors in the place of residence declared by the candidate or for late communication of change of residence, nor for any postal or telegraphic misplacement or error.

ART. 9 - SCHOLARSHIPS

The number of full scholarships available for each PhD program are specified in Annexes from A.1 to A.10.

The full scholarships, whose amount per year is equal to € 15,343.28, gross amount (amenable to social security INPS separate management) as established by Art. 3 of the Ministerial Decree 25/01/08 are assigned, after a comparative evaluation of the merits and according to the order defined in the respective merit ranking made by the Examination Committee.

Additional scholarships, so called in case external public or private entities *related to specific projects or research areas* of the PhD program make available additional funding, may be granted to suitable candidates who did not receive a full scholarship, if the funds are received by the University within the first year of PhD program.

It should be noted that, in case of availability of additional funds already collected by the University in relation to EU and international projects pertinent to the PhD programs, extra grants can also be assigned to the PhD programs, within the first year of the PhD program through specific procedures. Successful candidates of this selection are enrolled in the PhD Program, during the first year, as an extra-numeracy PhD student.

Any increase in the number of scholarships available for a PhD program will be advertised exclusively through the University website "<http://www.uniparthenope.it/>".

The duration of the scholarship is equal to the entire duration of the PhD Program.

Candidates who have been awarded in the past a scholarship for any PhD program in Italy cannot apply for the scholarship a second time.

Scholarships cannot be combined with other grants awarded for any purpose except those awarded by national or foreign institutions as integration for research activities of the PhD student to be carried out abroad.

The amount of the full scholarship is increased by 50% during any period of time that the Ph.D. student stays abroad for research related to the PhD Program. The total amount of time for which the full scholarship can be increased cannot, in any case, exceed half the duration of the entire PhD program.

For the purposes of the aforementioned increase, the PhD Board of the doctorate course must authorize the period of study abroad and transmit this authorization to the Rector accompanied by an attestation that the activity for which the PhD student's mobility is requested falls within the area of implementation of the study and research program formulated at the beginning of the course.

All doctoral candidates winners of a scholarship and not, starting from the second year, are guaranteed a budget for the research activity for an amount equal to 10% of the scholarship.

Payment of the grant will be issued through monthly installments; to be eligible for a full scholarship, PhD student must not exceed the limit of 10,561.54 Euro of total annual personal income (besides scholarship).

Patrimonial income and emoluments of any other nature with recurring nature, with the exclusion of those with occasional nature, contribute to the determination of the student personal income.

Those who are eligible for the full scholarship must submit at registration statement relating to the presumptive personal gross income and the absence of the causes of incompatibility contained in this paragraph. This declaration must be repeated at the beginning of each subsequent year of attendance of the PhD program. The beneficiaries of the scholarships will also provide for the establishment of a tax position INPS, subscribe to "separate management" of these Institutes. The forms related to the obligations mentioned above will be available at the Office of Accounting of the University.

ART. 10 - RESERVED POSITIONS

The number of reserved positions (company employees, graduates in foreign universities ...) are defined in the annexes from n. 1-10 related to each PhD course.

The candidates of reserved positions will participate in the same selection of the other candidates and will be evaluated by the same Commission. At the end of the selection, a single ranking will be drawn up for all participants in the competition.

The first of the candidates for each category of reserved places that is eligible in the ranking, regardless of the place occupied in the latter, will be admitted to the Course and registered according to the ordinary procedures specified in art. 8.

ART. 11 – CONTRIBUTION TO ACCESS AND ATTEND PROGRAMS

The fees to access and attendance of the PhD Programme are as follow:

regional tax for the DSU € 140 (when enrolling)

ART. 12 – OBLIGATIONS OF PHD STUDENTS

Students are required to attend the PhD program in the manner and time set by the PhD Board, performing uninterrupted studies and research in the premises designated for that purpose.

ART. 13 – TITLE OF DOCTOR OF RESEARCH

The title of Doctor of Philosophy is conferred by the Rector and is obtained by passing the final examination.

ART. 14 – INSURANCE

The University offers to PhD students insurance against the risk arising from third party liability in the conduct of educational activities.

However, it remains the sole responsibility of PhD students, to get insurance coverage against the risk of accidents which may occur themselves during the development of these educational activities.

ART. 15 – TITLE AWARD

The title of Doctor of Philosophy is awarded at the conclusion of the program in the manner prescribed by the Rector art.21, 22 and 24 of the University Regulations governing PhD Programs by DR n. 378 of 29th May 2014.

ART. 16 – REFERENCE NORMS

For everything that is not covered in this announcement, reference is made to existing legislation and to University regulations that govern the PhD Program by DR n. 368 dated may 29th 2014.

ART. 17 – RESPONSIBLE OF THE PROCEDURE

Responsible for all obligations relating to this announcement, which is not responsibility of the Examination Committee, is the Ufficio Affari Generali, located in: via Acton n. 38, 80133 Naples.

ART. 18 – PERSONAL DATA

The Università degli Studi di Napoli “Parthenope”, according to D. Decree 196/2003 and subsequent additions and modifications concerning the provisions on the protection of persons and other subjects, will collect and use the personal data supplied by applicants only for institutional purposes, and for the purpose of selection procedures.

ART. 19 – ADVERTISING

This announcement (with facsimile of the application form) is available on the web site of the “Parthenope” University of Naples: “<http://www.uniparthenope.it>”.

Naples, 12.06.2019

The Rector
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