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**ANNEX A**

**PhD Course Law and Economics (DOT224STCK)**

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<b>CUN Area</b>	Areas 07 (Agricultural and veterinary sciences), 11 (Historical, philosophical, pedagogical and psychological sciences), 12 (Legal sciences), 13 (Economic and statistical sciences), 14 (Political and social sciences)	
<b>Overview</b>	The PhD Course in Law and Economics of the University of Molise aims to prepare highly qualified personnel for both public and private professions. It is divided into 2 curricula: 1) "Public administration and institutions" and 2) "Law, market and new technologies".	
<b>Website</b>	Information on the articulation of the PhD activities is available on the web page of the PhD Program: <a href="http://dipgiuridico.unimol.it/ricerca/dottorandi/dottoratoigrp/">http://dipgiuridico.unimol.it/ricerca/dottorandi/dottoratoigrp/</a>	
<b>Duration</b>	01/02/2023 – 31/01/2026	
	Additional PhD scholarship for the Research Doctorate in "Law and Economics", XXXVIII cycle, "Public Administration and Institutions" curriculum on the funds of the Age-It Research Project: "Age-It: Ageing individuals in an ageing society" - Partnerships extended to universities, to research centers, to companies for the financing of basic research projects" - PNRR Mission 4 Component 2 Investment 1.3, Theme PE8, CUP H13C22000560006	<b>1</b>
	<b>Topic: "The consequences and challenges of aging".</b> Curriculum: Public Administration and Institutions.	
	Period abroad of n. 6 months mandatory, to be defined.	
	<b>TOTAL POSITIONS WITH SCHOLARSHIPS</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>Requirements for admission to the competition</b>	All specialized or master's degrees, or degrees of the system prior to that introduced with the D.M. 509/1999.  For candidates who have acquired the title abroad, the latter must have equivalent characteristics with those indicated above.	
<b>Assessable qualifications and related score</b>	<b>List of assessable qualifications (score up to a maximum of <u>20/100</u>):</b>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <i>curriculum vitae et studiorum</i>;</li> <li>- Graduation mark (max 7 points)</li> <li>- Publications, no more than two (max 3 points)</li> <li>- other educational qualifications (specialization diplomas, attendance of post-graduate specialization courses, carrying out research activities, etc.) (max 10 points)</li> </ul>	
<b>Thematic areas of the research project proposals and of the interview</b>	<b>Research proposal (score up to a maximum of <u>40/100</u>):</b>  Candidates are asked to actively discuss the research topics of the PhD Program through the submission of a research project, an integral part of the application form, dated and signed by the candidate and drawn up in accordance with Annex 5.  The project proposal, coherent with second level degree should focus on population ageing in inner areas. In Italy around 13.5 million people live in Italian inner areas (22% of the Italian population) and the proportion of older people is higher compared to the rest of the country since they are characterised by scarce migrants inflows and younger people emigration to urban areas. The combination of high presence of older people and isolation makes planning efficient care services particularly hard. The ideal PHD candidate should build up a comprehensive model of care for older people with disabilities living in inner areas with innovative solutions to keep people in place such as care homes in the town centre and shared carers, also with the support of technological developments.	
	<i>Please note that the project proposal illustrated in the report, (annex 5), prepared for the competition, is not necessarily the project that will be carried out during the PhD program. If admitted, the research project that will in fact be carried out will be subsequently defined and approved by the Program Faculty Board after the start of the PhD Program.</i>	





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	<p><b>Interview</b></p> <p>The oral exam and interview (score up to a maximum of <b>40/100</b>) will consist of the oral presentation of the research proposal and a discussion of the technical and scientific issues related to it. Knowledge of the English language will also be evaluated. Candidates can carry out the presentation and discussion in English.</p>
<b>Assessment criteria and ranking of the candidates</b>	<p>The evaluation of the qualifications and the project proposal is preparatory for admission to the oral exam. The results of the first evaluation phase will be published, as soon as they are available, on the University website at <a href="https://www2.unimol.it/dottorato/">https://www2.unimol.it/dottorato/</a>.</p> <p>To be admitted to the oral exam, the candidate must report a score of not less than 10/100 for the qualifications and 15/100 for the project proposal attached to the application.</p> <p>The maximum score achievable by each candidate is 100/100, based on the following breakdown:</p> <p><b>20/100 Titles</b></p> <p>80/100 for the project and the oral, of which:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 40 / 100 project evaluation attached to the application</li><li>• 40 / 100 oral presentation and discussion of the project attached to the application.</li></ul> <p>It is specified that in the oral exam candidates must demonstrate adequate knowledge of the English language, comparable to B2. The oral exam is not limited to the examination of the research project presented, but is largely based on the evaluation of the general disciplinary knowledge and research aptitudes of the admitted candidates.</p>
<b>Merit ranking</b>	<p>The results will be published, as soon as available, before the oral exam, on the website <a href="https://www2.unimol.it/dottorato/">https://www2.unimol.it/dottorato/</a>.</p> <p>Candidates who have reported a total vote of at least 50/100 points will be included in the overall merit ranking.</p>
<b>Interview calendar</b>	<p>Date: <b>23 January 2023 at 10:00 (Rome Time)</b>; the agenda of the interviews will be defined by the Selection Committee depending on the number of candidates admitted to oral exam.</p> <p>Place: - <b>in presence</b>: Room Modigliani; Department of Economics, University of Molise, De Sanctis street; 86100 Campobasso (CB), ITALY.</p>

