

DOCTORAL PROGRAMME IN

EARTH SCIENCES

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SCIENTIFIC AREA			
ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE	Department of Earth Sciences		
REGIONE TOSCANA PEGASO PROJECT 2019	University of Florence University of Pisa University of Siena		
CURRICULA	NO		
	POSITIONS AVAILABLE: 15 Positions with Scholarship: 13 Positions without Scholarship: 2* * standard ranking only		
	5 – University of Florence		
	3 – Regione Toscana Pegaso Scholarships 2019		
RANKING LIST FOR STANDARD POSITIONS SCHOLARSHIPS	1 – Istituto Nazionale di Geofisica e Vulcanologia (INGV) on topics of "Geophysics and Volcanology"		
AVAILABLE: 10	1 – Department of Earth Sciences Thematic: "Geochemical and petrographic characterization and dating of the Stratoid Series (Afar, Ethiopia)" Funded by project PRIN 2017 "Distribution of strain and magmatism during rifting" (Decreto MIUR n. 442 del 11/03/2019 prot. 2017P9AT72)		
	3 – Regione Toscana Pegaso Scholarships 2019**		
RANKING LISTS FOR POSITIONS WITH SPECIFIC RESEARCH TOPICS SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE: 3	 "Analysis of community resilience during natural disasters using data mining on massive social network exchanges" "Study of the seismo-acoustic energy radiation by debris flows" "Evaluation of the thermal potential of the Amiata Geothermal Field: Geochemical, Petrologic and Petrophysic data" 		
	** A period of training/research in an enterprise, a public research institution or other public institution (not a university) of at least 3 months is mandatorily required.		
STUDY/RESEARCH PERIODS ABROAD	YES - for all positions with scholarship		
MANDATORY PERIOD REQUIRED	6 months		

	Copy of the Identification Document			
	Replacement Declaration Form self-declaration for: Note: The self-declaration for:			
DOCUMENTS DEC.	 Italian Degree required for the access transcript of records with marks (for those candidates whose degrees will be 			
DOCUMENTS REQUIRED FOR THE ADMISSION	awarded within the 31 st October 2019)			
(under penalty of exclusion)	- 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 31 st October 2019 shall enclose the list of the examinations completed with marks)			
	MANDATORY			
	Curriculum vitae (European format), with indication of qualifications			
DOCUMENTS REQUIRED	and all publications of the applicant			
FOR THE EVALUATION	Research Project			
	OPTIONAL			
	 Copy of publications (if any) Certificate of English proficiency at level B2 or higher 			
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	The research project has to be presented in the field of the doctorate topics,			
	maximum length of 12.000 characters (with spaces included), with an abstract,			
	introduction and bibliography (the research project is requested with the aim to evaluate the general attitude of the candidate to the research work). The			
	research project can be presented in English language.			
	In the application forms, the candidate has to indicate whether he/she wants			
RESEARCH PROJECT	to participate to the selection for the "standard positions", to a selection for one of the "positions with specific topics", or both. In the latter case, the candidate may submit the same project or two different research projects indicating, in the file name of the additional one, "specific research topic scholarship". If a candidate wanted to participate to all the three selections for the "positions with specific topics" has to present three distinct research projects.			
	It is essential that the candidates clearly indicate the selection/s they wish to			
	participate in and the related research project/s.			
	 Evaluation of curriculum vitae, research project, publications and 			
MODALITY OF	other qualification documents			
EVALUATION • Interview				
	As detailed in the section below "Evaluation Marks"			
OTHER LANGUAGE FOR THE EXAMINATION	English			
SKYPE INTERVIEW	YES – possible for foreign residents only			
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The interview is also intended to verify candidate knowledge of the **English** language (**level B2 or higher**). Selection of applicants will follow a two-step evaluation (see scheme below).

Step 1) Preselection for admission to the interview: The Committee will evaluate:

- 1) CV (European format) with indication of qualifications (e.g. awards, certificates of research experience and/or attendance of courses relevant to Earth Sciences) and all publications of the applicant.
- 2) Publications by the applicant attached to the application. Publications will contribute for a maximum of 3 (three) points.
- 3) Research project. In this phase the project will be evaluated for its coherence with the Doctorate in Earth Sciences and for its feasibility, in general and within the Earth Sciences Program. (Note: the project presented will not necessarily be accepted as the final thesis project for the applicant. Applicants receiving a score of at least 30/40 will be admitted to the interview.

Step 2) Interview: The **interview** will focus on a discussion of the research project presented. Good knowledge of spoken and written English is required.

EVALUATION MARKS

FURTHER INFORMATION

parameters	minimum score	maximum score		
Curriculum vitae, qualifications, publications, Research Project redaction	30/120	40/120		
Interview: discussion of the research project to assess applicant's aptitude for research	50/120	80/120		
Eligibility is achieved with a minimum score of 80/120				

Further information available at the following web page: https://www.dst.unifi.it/vp-26-dottorato.html

EXAMINATION SCHEDULE						
	DATE	TIME	PLACE			
INTERVIEW PEGASO SCHOLARSHIP 2019	10 th July 2019	09:00 a.m.	Department of Earth Sciences via La Pira, 4 - Florence			
INTERVIEW STANDARD POSITIONS	11 th July 2019	09:00 a.m.	Meeting Room 2° floor of "Geology" building			

The list of candidates admitted to the interview and the final ranking will be published online at the following web page: https://www.unifi.it/p11549.html