

- b. scientific publications (**up to 4 points**).

The qualifications must be submitted according to the procedure indicated in art. 5, para. 2 of this call for applications.

WRITTEN TEST: September 13, 2023 at 9:30 am (CET), at the Aula G1 – Palazzo San Tommaso – Piazza del Lino n. 2, Pavia.

During the written test candidates will be allowed to consult codes without comments by scholars and without case law.

INTERVIEW: September 15, 2023 at 9:30 am (CET), at the Department of Law – Aula III – C.so Strada Nuova n. 65, Pavia.

INFORMATION: <http://dottorati.unipv.eu/on-dip/phddpgpi/Home.html>

The PhD course involves the following programs:

- a. Public law;
- b. Criminal and international justice.

PHD COURSE IN PHILOSOPHY

LOCATION: DEPARTMENT OF HUMANITIES (University of Pavia)

COORDINATOR: Prof. LUCA FONNESU;

COOPERATING INSTITUTION: Department of Antiquities, Philosophy, History (DAFIST) of the University of Genova; Department of Humanities of the University of Piemonte Orientale; Department of Philosophy and Education Sciences of the University of Turin.

The PhD degree will be jointly conferred by the Rector of the University of Pavia, the Rector of the University of Genova, the Rector of the University of Piemonte Orientale, and the Rector of the University of Torino.

RESEARCH TOPICS:

Curriculum Ethics and Political Theory

Metaethics – Normative ethics - Ethical theory and applied Ethics - Bioethics - Political Philosophy - Theories of Justice - Theories of Democracy – History of ethics - History of political thought - Usefulness of philosophy in the understanding of the digital world

Curriculum Mind, Science and Language

Philosophy of language and mind - Philosophy of Logic and Philosophy of Physics - Epistemology and philosophy of science - Causality, Perception and Cognizance - Psychology of reasoning - Philosophy of Cognitive Sciences - Analytical Ontology and Metaphysics - Contextualism and relativism-Philosophy of Frege, Russell and Wittgenstein - Usefulness of philosophy in the understanding of the digital world

Curriculum History of Philosophical and Scientific Thought

History of Ancient, Medieval, Modern and Contemporary Philosophy - Philosophy of Illuminism - Classical German Philosophy - Relations between the history of philosophy, the history of scientific thought, in particular modern, and the history of medicine - Usefulness of philosophy in the understanding of the digital world

Curriculum Theory: Phenomenology, Ontology and Hermeneutics

Aesthetics - Hermeneutics - Social Ontology - Collective Intentionality - Phenomenology - Theories of Perception, Imagination and Emotion - Interreligious dialogue - Philosophy of Art and of the New Media - Usefulness of philosophy in the understanding of the digital world

DEADLINE FOR APPLICATION: June 26, 2023 at 12:00, CET

DEADLINE FOR THE PAYMENT OF THE APPLICATION FEE: June 26, 2023

ADMISSION PROCEDURE: qualifications assessment and interview via videoconference. Candidates are allowed to take the interview in English.

NOTE: Candidates who intend to apply for the scholarships to undertake research in specific topics must state their interest to the examining committee before the interview; these candidates' interviews will therefore also include a discussion of the project topics. Candidates will be included in the main ranking list, with the attribution of a possible eligibility for the topic-related scholarships. Such scholarships will be attributed to the first eligible candidate in the ranking list. If the candidate renounces the scholarship, he/she will be excluded from the ranking.

LINGUISTIC KNOWLEDGE: candidates' knowledge of English will be verified during the interview.

QUALIFICATIONS ASSESSMENT: UP TO 60 POINTS ARE ASSIGNED UPON ASSESSMENT OF EACH CANDIDATE'S QUALIFICATIONS, AS FOLLOWS:

- a. Graduation mark (or arithmetic mean of the marks obtained during the Master's Degree if the candidate has applied before the attainment of the second-level degree), Index and abstract of the thesis (max 500 words), extract of the master's thesis (max 3000 words including bibliographic references): **up to 20 points**;
- b. publications and other scientific titles: **up to 5 points**;
- c. research project (max 3000 words) drafted by the candidate, consistent with the research topics of the PhD course: **up to 30 points**;
- d. two reference letters, in Italian or English language, issued and submitted directly by professors from the university where the applicant's degree was awarded or by other professors/researchers who have had direct contact with the applicant. During the online application, the candidate will enter the contact data of the chosen referee who, through a specific online procedure, will have to upload the reference letter directly in the University portal by the deadline of the call. Unlike the other documents, the letter must not be uploaded by the candidate during the online application procedure. Letters uploaded by the candidate him/herself will not be evaluated by the committee: **up to 5 points**.

In addition to the qualifications listed above, candidates will have to submit a **motivation letter stating the program of their interest, among those offered (see below)**. The motivation letter will not be assessed, but it will be a starting point for the interview.

With the exception of the reference letters, the qualifications must be submitted according to the procedure indicated in art. 5, para. 2 of this call for applications.

The minimum score to be admitted to the interview is 40/60.

The results of the qualification assessment will be published online no later than **July 17, 2023**. The results will be posted in the Personal Area of the candidate in the University website. This can be accessed using the login information provided at the end of the registration procedure.

INTERVIEW: July 20, 2023 at 9:30 (CET), via videoconference.

The interview, held in Italian or English, will include a discussion of the candidates' research project and their scientific outline.

Before the interview, candidates will be asked to show a valid identity document. The University of Pavia does not take any responsibility for a candidate's failure to take the interview due to technical difficulties.

INFORMATION: www.finophd.eu

The following programs are provided:

- a) Mind, science and language
- b) Ethics and Political Theory
- c) History of philosophical and scientific thought
- d) Theory: Phenomenology, Ontology and Hermeneutics

PHD COURSE IN LINGUISTICS

LOCATION: DEPARTMENT OF HUMANITIES

COORDINATOR: Prof. SILVIA LURAGHI

RESEARCH TOPICS: Language typology, Historical and Indo-European linguistics, Sociolinguistics, English linguistics, Pragmatics, Theoretical linguistics, Corpus linguistics, Computational linguistics, Applied linguistics, Second Language Acquisition and Teaching, Linguistics of modern languages.

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