



# UNIVERSITÀ DEGLI STUDI DI TORINO

(ALLEGATO 4)

## BANDO DI CONCORSO PER L'AMMISSIONE AL CICLO 34° International PHD Programme in "COMPARATIVE ANALYSIS OF INSTITUTIONS, ECONOMICS AND LAW (IEL)"

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<b>PhD Programme Length</b>	3 years
<b>PhD web site</b>	<a href="http://iel.carloalberto.org/">http://iel.carloalberto.org/</a>
<b>Course Start Date</b>	1 October 2018
<b>Departments involved in PhD Programme</b>	Dipartimento di Economia e Statistica "Cognetti de Martiis", Dipartimento di Scienze Economico-sociali e Matematico-statistiche, Dipartimento di Giurisprudenza

Positions offered by the PhD Programme <sup>1</sup>	
n. 8 positions with scholarship	of which n. 2 reserved to candidates with international qualifications
n. 2 positions without scholarship	

### *Titles of Research Projects / Research Fields*

The list of research projects is available at the end of this PhD Programme's annex. This list may be updated until Call for Admissions' deadline.

### *Calendar of entrance examinations*

The calendar with information on dates and venues of entrance examinations shall be published on the websites: <http://www.unito.it/ricerca/fare-ricerca-unito/dottorati-di-ricerca> and <http://en.unito.it/research/phd/phd-programmes> starting from **21st March 2018**.

### *Useful information for applicants*

**Application fee:** €50.00 for each application submitted. Candidates with international qualifications are exempted from paying the application fee. **Application fee deadline: 6th April 2018** (mandatory deadline) Candidates who do not pay the application fee within the deadline will be excluded from the competition

<sup>1</sup> All additional scholarships and apprenticeship contracts (Legislative Decree no. 81/2015 art.45), which may become available after the publication of this Call, will be announced on the University websites <http://www.unito.it/ricerca/fare-ricerca-unito/dottorati-di-ricerca> and <http://en.unito.it/research/phd/phd-programmes> until Call's deadline.



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<b>Admission procedure</b>	
Assessment of qualifications, research project and interview	
<b>Qualifications to be uploaded in the on-line application</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Application form (duly signed and with identification document/passport)</li> <li>• For International qualifications: submit on-line documentation as specified in Art. 4 of this Call</li> <li>• For applicants under condition: certificate or self-certification with a complete list of academic transcripts concerning the Laurea Triennale/1<sup>st</sup> cycle degree and Laurea Magistrale/2<sup>nd</sup> cycle degree with marks, weighted average and credits. For applicants applying under condition, please also check Art. 5 of the Call.</li> <li>• Research project, written in English by the candidate. It shall demonstrate the candidate ability and skills in pursuing independent research within the aims of the PhD program. We do not expect full paper nor 5 lines abstracts.</li> </ul>	
<b>Assessment criteria</b>	<b>Maximum score 100 points</b>
<b>Assessment of qualifications:</b>	<b>Maximum score 60 points</b>
Candidates will be assessed considering their Curriculum studiorum and vitae (as per information provided in the Application Form) and not exclusively according to the score of the Master's degree	Maximum score <b>20 points</b>
<b>Publications</b>	Maximum score 10 points
<b>Other qualifications</b> Other degrees, specializations etc. with a special emphasis to those linked to the PhD aims	Maximum score 10 points
<b>Research project</b> Written in English by the candidate along the lines of one of the topics indicated. It will be evaluated the scientific validity, the feasibility, the scientific potential.	Maximum score: 20 points
<i>Minimum threshold for admission to the interview</i>	30 points
<b>Interview</b>	<b>Maximum score: 40 points</b>
<i>Minimum threshold for passing the interview</i>	<i>20 points</i>
<b>Further information on examinations:</b>	
Courses are held in English.	



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Knowledge of English is mandatory.

Candidates will be interviewed only in English. For candidates resident within 300 km from Turin, the **interview** will take place in Turin. For candidates resident over such a radius, at the discretion of the candidate, the interview may take place in Turin, or via ICT (eg Skype) on the same date as the Turin interviews. In this case, the applicant must provide the Skype address upon request.

The **Research Project** (up to 2,000 words) must be drawn up by the candidate in English, choosing a title from the Ph.D. thesis.

## Titoli progetti di ricerca/ Research Projects /Research Fields

### PhD Programme in

### COMPARATIVE ANALYSIS OF INSTITUTIONS, ECONOMICS AND LAW (IEL)

- 1) The economics of institutions.
- 2) The history of institutions.
- 3) Institutional questions in normative economics.
- 4) Efficiency and the law.
- 5) Legal issues in the history of economic thought.
- 6) Comparative legal systems and economic development.
- 7) Judicial independence, the rule of law and economic performance.
- 8) Political systems and economic performance.
- 9) The economics of formal and informal institutions.
- 10) Empirical methods in the analysis of law and institutions.
- 11) Comparative studies in law and economics.
- 12) Law and economics from the civil law perspective.
- 13) New issues in law and economics.
- 14) Law and economics of antitrust.
- 15) Comparative perspectives in competition policy.
- 16) The economics of knowledge and intellectual property rights.
- 17) Tort law and economics.
- 18) Behavioural studies in law and economics.
- 19) Law and finance.
- 20) Regulation and efficiency.



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- 21) Judicial efficiency.
- 22) Judicial Performance.
- 23) Judicial decision-making.