



PhD in	Medical Biotechnologies
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Attendance	Non mandatory
Positions	2

n.	Funding institution(s)	Research topic
Positions reserved for scholarship holders from foreign countries*		
2	Università di Siena	No research topic restriction

* The admitted candidates must have a fellowship or similar financial coverage from a foreign institution for the entire duration of the PhD course (3 years)

Type of rankings	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● One single ranking list for positions with no research topic restrictions (positions A, J, K) ● Stand-alone ranking lists for each position with specific research topic (positions B, C, D) ● Stand-alone ranking list for positions with DM 118 scholarship (position E) ● Stand-alone ranking lists for positions with DM 117 scholarship (positions F, G) ● One single ranking list for positions with DM 117 scholarship and specific research topic (positions H and I)
Documents required for evaluation (to be attached during online application)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Curriculum vitae et studiorum, containing a statement of the access title held with the issuing institution in addition to a list of any publications ● Research project (max. 1 page in English) ● Reference letters (no more than two) of Italian and international academics and/or research professionals (letters shall not be uploaded, but e-mail addresses of the contact persons are to be provided) ● Thesis abstract of <i>Laurea Magistrale/Specialistica/vecchio ordinamento</i> or equivalent foreign degree translated into Italian or English (max. 1 page) ● English language certification, level B2, if available (optional) <p>Eligibility of foreign degrees (to be translated into Italian, English or French) is ascertained by the selection committee in accordance with relevant regulations and international agreements on the recognition of qualifications for further studies.</p> <p><u>Candidates who achieved (or will achieve by 31 January 2024) the diploma di laurea at an Italian university have to specify, in their curriculum, all the data on the university path and the title of admission, in particular:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● University issuing the degree ● type of <i>laurea – vecchio ordinamento/specialistica/magistrale</i>; ● degree course name ● list of examinations with votes ● date of obtaining the title and final vote or expected date of obtaining the title (by 31 January 2024). <p><u>Candidates who achieved (or will achieve by 31 January 2024) their degree at a foreign university (with a duration of at least four years) must specify in their curriculum:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● University issuing the degree ● type of degree (min. duration four years) – <i>Bachelor's degree/ Master's degree</i> ● date of obtaining the title and final vote or expected date of obtaining the title (by 31 January 2024). <p>Candidates with a foreign degree must attach to the online presentation also the following documentation:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● transcript – certification of the title with the list of exams and votes – with a translation in Italian or English ● Diploma supplement (if available).

Web site for further information	https://sites.google.com/a/dbm.unisi.it/medicalbiotechnologies/home
Selection modalities	1 – Evaluation of qualifications 2 – Oral examination
Admission requirements	All masters' degrees
Exam procedures	<p>The overall score is the sum of the scores obtained in the evaluation of qualifications and the interview. The minimum score for eligibility is 60/100.</p> <p>Evaluation of qualifications: minimum score 20 points, maximum score 40 points. A minimum of 20 points is required for admission to the oral examination.</p> <p>Oral examination: minimum 40 points, maximum 60 points.</p> <p>The examination will consist of the candidate's presentation of his or her research project in English. English language abilities will be assessed during the test. The presentation should ideally be completed in 7 minutes, but may last up to a maximum of 10 minutes.</p> <p>The results of each test will be published on the PhD website.</p>
Dates of evaluation and exam(s)	<p>Evaluation of qualifications: 11 December 2023, 9:00</p> <p>Interview: 11 December 2023, 14:00</p> <p>(virtual room - https://meet.google.com/fgs-wkfu-ugh)</p>
Selection committee	The composition of the committee will be published after the deadline for application.