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Annex 2

First selection notice for admission to PhD courses

Deadline for applications:

9 June 2025, 14:00 (*Central European Summer Time - CEST*)

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PhD in	Diritto e Management della Sostenibilità
Coordinator	Ciro Gennaro Corvese, ciro.corvese@unisi.it
Department	Studi Aziendali e Giuridici – DISAG
Attendance	mandatory
Open positions	4
of which	

	n.	Funding institution(s)	Research topic
Posti con borsa			
A.	3	University of Siena	No research topic restrictions
Posti senza borsa			
B.	1	*	European Consumer Law

Type of rankings	Stand-alone ranking lists for position A and position B *) For position B, it is specified that the winner of the position will benefit from a financial contribution called the 'CEP scholarship', funded by SYNALLAGMA SA, within the ambit of the 'Consumer Empowerment Project'
Documents required for evaluation (to be attached during online application)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Curriculum vitae et sturiorum, including a declaration of the qualification obtained, with the awarding institution, and a list of any publications (attention – the CV must be signed and include the following statement: I hereby authorize the treatment of my personal data present in my Curriculum Vitae, according to the Italian Legislative Decree 196/2003 and the EU Regulation 2016/679. • Research project (max. 4 pages) • Thesis abstract of Laurea Magistrale/Specialistica/vecchio ordinamento or equivalent foreign degree translated into Italian or English (max. 2 pages) • 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>Candidates who achieved (or will achieve by 31 October 2025) 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:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. University issuing the degree 2. type of <i>laurea – vecchio ordinamento/specialistica/magistrale</i>; 3. degree course name 4. list of examinations with votes 5. date of obtaining the title and final vote or expected date of obtaining the title (by 31 October 2025). <p>Candidates who achieved (or will achieve by 31 October 2025) their degree at a foreign university (with a duration of at least four years) must specify in their curriculum:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. University issuing the degree 2. type of degree (min. duration four years) – <i>Bachelor's degree/ Master's degree</i> 3. date of obtaining the title and final vote or expected date of obtaining the title (by 31 October 2025). <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://dottorato-dimas.unisi.it/

Selection modalities	Evaluation of qualifications Evaluation of the research project Oral examination
Admission requirements	All Master Degrees
Exam procedures	<p>The overall mark is the sum of the marks obtained in the assessment of titles, the research project and the oral interview. The minimum score for eligibility is 60/100.</p> <p>Evaluation of qualifications: up to maximum 20 points Evaluation of the research project: up to maximum 30 points.</p> <p>The presence of candidates is not required for the evaluation of qualifications and the research project. The minimum score for admission to the oral examination is 30 out of 50 points.</p> <p>Oral examination: up to maximum 50 points of which 10 points for English language. The examination will be held on 20 June 2025, starting at 09:00 (CEST), at the following location: Aula 41, primo piano, Presidio San Francesco, Piazza San Francesco, Siena. The minimum score to pass the oral examination is 30 out of 50 points. The purpose of the interview is to discuss the submitted research project and to assess the candidate's background, ability and aptitude for scientific research and general knowledge of the research topic, if required. Furthermore, the English knowledge will be assessed during the interview.</p> <p>The results of each test will be published on the PhD website and will be communicated to the participants by the selection committee.</p>
Dates of evaluation and exam(s)	<p>Evaluation of qualifications and research projects: 18 June 2025</p> <p>Oral examination: 20 June 2025, starting at 09:00 (CEST), at the following location: Aula 41, primo piano, Presidio San Francesco, Piazza San Francesco, Siena.</p>
Selection committee	The composition of the committee will be published after the deadline for submitting applications.

PhD in	Economics Administrative seat Università di Siena – in collaboration with Università degli Studi di Firenze, Università di Pisa
Coordinator	Simone D'Alessandro, phd-economics@unisi.it
Department	Economia Politica e Statistica
Attendance	mandatory
Open positions	6
of which	

	n.	Funding institution(s)	Research topic
Positions with scholarship			
A.	2	University of Siena	No research topic restrictions
B.	1	University of Florence	No research topic restrictions
C.	1	University of Pisa	No research topic restrictions
Positions without scholarship			
D.	1	//	No research topic restrictions
Positions for scholarship holders of foreign countries			
E.	1	//	No research topic restrictions

Type of rankings	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Single ranking list for positions A, B, C and D Stand-alone ranking list for position E
Documents required for evaluation (to be attached during online application)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Curriculum vitae et sturiorum, including a declaration of the qualification obtained, with the awarding institution, and a list of any publications (attention – the CV must be signed and include the following statement: <i>I hereby authorize the treatment of my personal data present in my Curriculum Vitae, according to the Italian Legislative Decree 196/2003 and the EU Regulation 2016/679.</i>) Research project (max. 8 pages in english) Reference letters (no more than two) of Italian and international academics and/or research professionals (the e-mail addresses of the referees are to be indicated (please be sure to indicate the correct email); the referees will receive an automatic request and must upload the letters by 15 June 2025) Thesis abstract of Laurea Magistrale/Specialistica/vecchio ordinamento or equivalent foreign degree translated into Italian or English (max. 2 pages) English language certification, level B2, if available <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 October 2025) 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> <ol 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 October 2025). <p><u>Candidates who achieved (or will achieve by 31 October 2025) their degree at a foreign university (with a duration of at least four years) must specify in their curriculum:</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> University issuing the degree type of degree (min. duration four years) – <i>Bachelor's degree/Master's degree</i>

	<p>3. date of obtaining the title and final vote or expected date of obtaining the title (by 31 October 2025).</p> <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://phdeconomics.unisi.it/
Selection modalities	Evaluation of qualifications and research project Oral examination
Admission requirements	All masters' degrees (Master's, specialized, single-cycle and old system degrees)
Exam procedures	<p>The overall mark is the sum of the marks obtained in the assessment of titles, the research project and the oral interview. The minimum score for eligibility is 60/100.</p> <p>Evaluation of qualifications and research project: up to maximum 70 points. Evaluation of qualifications: up to maximum 50 points Evaluation of research project: up to maximum 20 points. The presence of candidates is not required for the evaluation of qualifications and the research project. The minimum score for admission to the oral examination is 42 out of 70 points.</p> <p>Oral examination: up to maximum 30 points. The examination will be held on 25 June 2025, starting at 09.30 (CEST), by video conference. The minimum score to pass the oral examination is 18 out of 30 points. The purpose of the interview is to discuss the submitted research project and to assess the candidate's background, ability and aptitude for scientific research and general knowledge of the research topic, if required. Furthermore, the English knowledge will be assessed during the interview.</p> <p>The results of each test will be published on the PhD website and will be communicated to the participants by the selection committee.</p>
Dates of evaluation and exam(s)	Evaluation of qualifications and research projects (to be determined) Oral examination: 25 June 2025 , starting at 09.30 (CEST) by video conference
Selection committee	The composition of the committee will be published after the deadline for submitting applications.

PhD in	Information Engineering and Science
Coordinator	Mauro Barni, mauro.barni@unisi.it
Department	Ingegneria dell'Informazione e Scienze Matematiche
Attendance	non obbligatoria
Open positions	8
of which	

	n.	Funding institution(s)	Research topic
Positions with scholarship			
A.	3	University of Siena	No research topic restrictions
Positions without scholarship			
B.	1	//	No research topic restrictions
Positions reserved to scholarship holders of specific international mobility programmes			
C.	4	//	No research topic restrictions

Type of rankings	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Single ranking list for positions A and B For positions reserved to scholarship holders of international mobility programmes (position C), see Art. 5, section 5 of the selection notice
Documents required for evaluation (to be attached during online application)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Curriculum vitae et sturiorum, including a declaration of the qualification obtained, with the awarding institution, and a list of any publications (attention – the CV must be signed and include the following statement: <i>I hereby authorize the treatment of my personal data present in my Curriculum Vitae, according to the Italian Legislative Decree 196/2003 and the EU Regulation 2016/679</i>). Research project (max. 3 pages plus references) Thesis abstract of Laurea Magistrale/Specialistica/vecchio ordinamento or equivalent foreign degree translated into Italian or English (max. 2 pages) 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>Candidates who achieved (or will achieve by 31 October 2025) 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:</p> <ol 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 October 2025). <p>Candidates who achieved (or will achieve by 31 October 2025) their degree at a foreign university (with a duration of at least four years) must specify in their curriculum:</p> <ol 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 October 2025). <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	http://phdies.ing.unisi.it/
Selection modalities	Evaluation of qualifications and research project Oral examination
Admission requirements	All Master's degrees (Laurea Magistrale), specialist degrees, or degrees obtained under the previous regulations and any equivalent degree obtained abroad.
Exam procedures	<p>The overall score is the sum of the points obtained in the individual evaluations and tests. The minimum score required for eligibility is 60 out of 100.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Evaluation of qualifications and CV – up to a maximum of 45 points • Evaluation of the research project – up to a maximum of 25 points <p>Only candidates who have obtained a score equal to or higher than 40 (out of 70) for qualifications, CV, and research project will be admitted to the interview.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Interview – up to a maximum of 30 points; minimum passing score: 20 <p>The interviews will be conducted online via the Google Meet platform on 20 June 2025, starting at 9:30 (Central European Summer Time - CEST). The online interview link is: https://meet.google.com/uug-xzcp-kic. Participants must log in at 9:30 (CEST) for the roll call.</p> <p>Minimum scores required for eligibility:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • At least 40 out of 70 for qualifications, CV, and research project • At least 20 out of 30 for the oral interview • At least 60 out of 100 as the overall score. <p>The results of the evaluation of qualifications and research projects, along with the list of candidates admitted to the interview and the detailed interview schedule, will be announced during an online session at the following link: https://meet.google.com/uug-xzcp-kic at 9:30 (CEST) on 20 June 2025.</p>
Dates of evaluation and exam(s)	Online interview via Google Meet at the following address: https://meet.google.com/uug-xzcp-kic , 20 June 2025 , starting at 9:30 (CEST), following the announcement of the list of candidates admitted to the interview.
Selection committee	The composition of the committee will be published after the deadline for submitting applications.

PhD in	Legal Sciences
Coordinator	Alessandro Palmieri <alessandro.palmieri@unisi.it>
Department	Giurisprudenza
Curricula	Curriculum 1: curriculum privatistico Curriculum 2: curriculum pubblicistico Curriculum 3: curriculum internazional-comparatistico, giusfilosofico e storico-giuridico
Attendance	mandatory
Open positions	3
of which	

	n.	Funding institution(s)	Research topic
Positions with scholarship			
A.	3	University of Siena	No research topic restrictions

Type of rankings	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Stand-alone ranking list for curriculum 1 for 1 position with scholarship and no research topic restriction (position A) • Stand-alone ranking list for curriculum 2 for 1 position with scholarship and no research topic restriction (position A) • Stand-alone ranking list for curriculum 3 for 1 position with scholarship and no research topic restriction (position A) <p>N.B.: If no candidate is eligible for any of the curricula in Position A, the scholarship will be awarded to the eligible candidate with the highest score in the other curricula in position A.</p>
Documents required for evaluation (to be attached during online application)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Curriculum vitae et sturiorum, including a declaration of the qualification obtained, with the awarding institution, and a list of any publications (attention – the CV must be signed and include the following statement: I hereby authorize the treatment of my personal data present in my Curriculum Vitae, according to the Italian Legislative Decree 196/2003 and the EU Regulation 2016/679), under penalty of exclusion. • Research project, in Italian or English (max 4 pages, line spacing 1,5, including main bibliographical references), under penalty of exclusion. • Reference letters (no more than two) of Italian and international academics and/or research professionals (the e-mail addresses of the referees are to be indicated (please be sure to indicate the correct email); the referees will receive an automatic request and must upload the letters by 15 June 2025). • Thesis abstract of Laurea Magistrale/Specialistica/vecchio ordinamento or equivalent foreign degree translated into Italian or English (max. 2 pages), under penalty of exclusion. • 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>Candidates who achieved (or will achieve by 31 October 2025) 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:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. University issuing the degree 2. type of <i>laurea – vecchio ordinamento/specialistica/magistrale</i>; 3. degree course name 4. list of examinations with votes

	<p>5. date of obtaining the title and final vote or expected date of obtaining the title (by 31 October 2025).</p> <p><u>Candidates who achieved (or will achieve by 31 October 2025) their degree at a foreign university</u> (with a duration of at least four years) must specify in their curriculum:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. University issuing the degree 2. type of degree (min. duration four years) – <i>Bachelor's degree/ Master's degree</i> 3. date of obtaining the title and final vote or expected date of obtaining the title (by 31 October 2025). <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://www.dgiur.unisi.it/it/didattica/post-laurea/dottorati-di-ricerca/dottorato-di-ricerca-scienze-giuridiche
Selection modalities	Evaluation of qualifications and research project Oral examination
Admission requirements	<p>Masters' degree in one of the following classes:</p> <p>LMG/01 Classe delle lauree magistrali in giurisprudenza</p> <p>LM-52 Relazioni internazionali</p> <p>LM-56 Scienze dell'economia</p> <p>LM-62 Scienze della politica</p> <p>LM-63 Scienze delle pubbliche amministrazioni</p> <p>LM-77 Scienze economico-aziendali</p> <p>LM/SC-GIUR Scienze Giuridiche</p> <p>22/S (specialistiche in giurisprudenza)</p> <p>64/S (specialistiche in scienze dell'economia)</p> <p>70/S (specialistiche in scienze della politica)</p> <p>71/S (specialistiche in scienze delle pubbliche amministrazioni)</p> <p>84/S (specialistiche in scienze economico-aziendali)</p> <p>102/S (specialistiche in teoria e tecniche della normazione e dell'informazione giuridica)</p>
Exam procedures	<p>The overall mark is the sum of the marks obtained in the assessment of qualifications, the research project and the oral interview. The minimum score for eligibility is 60/100, provided that the minimum score is achieved in every single part of the selection procedure.</p> <p>Evaluation of qualifications and research project: up to maximum 40 points.</p> <p>The presence of candidates is not required for the evaluation of qualifications and the research project.</p> <p>The minimum score for admission to the oral examination is 24 out of 40 points.</p> <p>The score will be assigned as follows:</p> <p>a) Master's degree grade</p> <p>110/110 e lode: 15 points</p> <p>110/110: 13 points</p> <p>109/110: 11 points</p> <p>108/110: 9 points</p> <p>from 106/110 to 107/110: 7 points</p> <p>from 104/110 to 105/110: 5 points</p> <p>from 102/110 to 103/110: 3 points</p> <p>from 100/110 to 101/110: 2 points</p> <p>up to 99/110: 1 point</p> <p>With respect to candidates who haven't already obtained the degree, the committee can assign up to 12 points, taking into account the list of the examinations and votes.</p> <p>b) Other qualifications, included in the curriculum vitae and studiorum: up to 10 points</p>

	<p>c) Research project, with respect to coherence with the curriculum and the position for which the application is submitted, mastery of legal language, formal care and ability to summarize: up to 15 points</p> <p>Oral examination: up to maximum 60 points. The examination will be held on 25 June 2025, starting at 9:00 (CEST), exclusively, and with no exception, at the following location: Dipartimento di Giurisprudenza (Via Mattioli 10, Siena).</p> <p>The minimum score to pass the oral examination is 36 out of 60 points. The purpose of the interview is to discuss the submitted research project and to assess the candidate's background, ability and aptitude for scientific research and general knowledge of the research topic. The interview can be carried out in Italian or English. If the interview is carried out in Italian, the knowledge of the English language will be also assessed.</p> <p>The results of each test will be communicated to the applicants via the online platform used for the application.</p>
Dates of evaluation and exam(s)	<p>Evaluation of qualifications and research projects: 18 June 2025</p> <p>Oral examinations: 25 June 2025, starting at 9:00 (CEST) at the following location: Dipartimento di Giurisprudenza (Via Mattioli 10, Siena).</p>
Selection committee	The composition of the committee will be published after the deadline for submitting applications.

PhD in	Storia dell'Arte Administrative seat Università degli Studi di Siena - in collaboration with Università per Stranieri di Siena
Coordinator	Alessandro Angelini <alessandro.angelini@unisi.it>
Department	Dipartimento di Scienze Storiche e dei Beni Culturali (DSSBC)
Attendance	mandatory
Open positions	4
of which	

	n.	Funding institution(s)	Research topic
Positions with scholarship			
A.	2	University of Siena	Research topic pertinent to art history, history of art criticism and cultural heritage
B.	2	University for Foreigners of Siena	Research topic pertinent to art history, history of art criticism and cultural heritage

Type of rankings	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Single ranking list for positions A & B
Documents required for evaluation (to be attached during online application)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Curriculum vitae et studiorum, including a declaration of the qualification obtained, with the awarding institution, and a list of any publications (attention – the CV must be signed and include the following statement: <i>I hereby authorize the treatment of my personal data present in my Curriculum Vitae, according to the Italian Legislative Decree 196/2003 and the EU Regulation 2016/679.</i>) Research project (max. 5 pages, including main bibliographical references) Thesis of Laurea Magistrale/Specialistica/vecchio ordinamento or equivalent foreign degree, adding a thesis abstract translated into Italian, English or French (max. 5 pages) <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>Candidates who achieved (or will achieve by 31 October 2025) 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:</p> <ol 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 October 2025). <p><u>Candidates who achieved (or will achieve by 31 October 2025) their degree at a foreign university (with a duration of at least four years) must specify in their curriculum:</u></p> <ol 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 October 2025). <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://www.dssbc.unisi.it/it/didattica/post-laurea/dottorati-di-ricerca

Selection modalities	<p>1) Evaluation of qualifications and research project</p> <p>2) Written examination</p> <p>3) Oral examination (including English test)</p>
Admission requirements	<p>All master's degrees pertaining to competition sector 10/B1 - History of Art. Foreign candidates are required to have perfect knowledge of the Italian language (native speaker or certified B2 level).</p>
Exam procedures	<p>The overall mark is the sum of the marks obtained in the assessment of titles, the research project and the oral interview. The minimum score for eligibility is 60/100.</p> <p>Evaluation of qualifications (including thesis and research project). The presence of candidates is not required for the evaluation of qualifications and the research project. Score for admission: minimum 18/maximum 30 The minimum score required to access the written test is 18. In assigning the score, the Commission will take the relevance of the topic of the master's thesis and the research project with respect to the doctoral reference area (10/B1 - History of Art).</p> <p>Written examination: Candidates will be required to historically contextualize and comment on works of art and/or excerpts from art literature and/or art critics and/or museology, selected from a shortlist of options pertaining to Medieval, Modern and Contemporary Art History. Score: minimum 18 / maximum 30. The minimum score for admission to the oral test is 18.</p> <p>Oral examination: The interview will focus on the research project presented. Knowledge of the English language will also be tested. Score: minimum 24 / maximum 40.</p> <p>The results of each test will be published on the website of the <i>Dipartimento di Scienze Storiche e dei Beni Culturali dell'Università degli Studi di Siena</i> (https://www.dssbc.unisi.it/it/didattica/post-laurea/dottorati-di-ricerca) and will be communicated to the participants by the selection committee.</p>
Dates of evaluation and exam(s)	<p>Evaluation of qualifications: 10 June 2025</p> <p>Written examination: 11 June 2025, 10:00 (CEST); complesso di Fieravecchia, aula H</p> <p>Interviews: 19 June 2025, 10:00 (CEST); complesso di Fieravecchia, aula H</p>
Selection committee	<p>The composition of the committee will be published after the deadline for submitting applications.</p>