## Evaluation criteria for the oral test for the entrance exam to the PhD in Behavioral Neuroscience (40th cycle)

Oral test (max 30 points)

Candidates who have achieved a score of at least 16/30 in the written test are admitted to the oral test.

During the oral test, aspects regarding the qualifications presented, the written essay, the letter of motivation and knowledge of the English language will be explored and clarified.

The scores will be distributed as follows:

- Discussion of the paper and the candidate's qualifications: clarity of presentation, ability to summarize and scientific interest of the CV (10 points);
- Motivation and aptitude for research in the scientific areas of the Doctorate course, basic preparation in relation to the curriculum and the topic (or topics) indicated by the candidate in the motivation letter (15 points);
- Knowledge of the foreign language (5 points).

The minimum overall score (corresponding to the sum of the scores from the evaluation of qualifications, the written test and the oral test) for admission to the PhD is 42/90