Evaluation criteria for the admission examination to the PhD in Industrial and Management Engineering (36th cycle)

Research proposal and oral examination will be evaluated according to the following grid:

**1. Research proposal (max 60 points)**

According to the PhD call for proposals, the candidate must submit a project to allow an assessment of the propension and the ability to independently organize the various stages of research. This project, submitted for competition purposes, does not constitute an obligation for the admitted candidates to carry out the research activity during the PhD.

In particular, they will be evaluated:

* Objectives of the project (20 points)
* State of the art (15 points)
* Originality (15 points)
* Feasibility of the project (10 points)

**2. Oral examination (max 60 points)**

Candidates who have obtained at least 40/60 in the research proposal will be admitted to the oral examination. During the oral test, specific aspects of the project will be discussed in depth and clarified, and the scores will be distributed as follows:

* Discussion of the themes related to the research project (40 points);
* Clarity of presentation, synthesis and scientific interest of the proposal (10 points);
* Motivation (10 points).

The oral exam is intended to be passed with a minimum score of 40/60.

**The overall minimum score for PhD admission is 80/120.**