



**Call for Prospective Ph.D Student Applications**

**Academy Year 2021-2022 – XXXVII Cycle – PhD Scholarship PON ((DM August 10<sup>th</sup> 2021, n. 1061)**

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**ASSESSMENT CRITERIA**

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**1. Qualifications (maximum 40 points)**

The Examination Board will evaluate specifically:

- a) Degree marks (B.Sc., M.Sc., M. Ph.): maximum 30 points
- b) Research experiences & Publications: maximum 10 points

**2.0 Oral exam (maximum 60 points)**

To be admitted to the oral exam, candidates must score a minimum of 20/40 points with regard to Qualifications. During the oral exam, the Examination Board will further investigate in detail the candidate's qualifications, as well as aspects regarding at least one of the projects referred to in the call for proposals. The examination Board will also evaluate the candidate's command of the English language.

The points will be distributed as follows:

- Discussion of the topics aspects regarding at least one of the projects referred to in the call for proposals – maximum 40 points);
- Discussion of qualifications: clarity of presentation, ability to synthesise and scientific interest of the curriculum – maximum 10 points
- English languag – maximum 10 points

To pass the oral exam, candidates must score a minimum of 40/60 points.

**To be admitted to the Ph.D. Course, candidates must obtain a minimum score of 60/100 points.**