

The University of Ferrara announces an **open competition based on Academic Qualifications and interview**, and offers positions, in Ph.D. Courses, some of them with scholarships (about € 1000 net per month).

**Candidates with foreign qualifications**, those included in **international mobility programmes and foreign scholarship holders**, can apply for reserved positions.

In the table below the number of **available positions** for each Ph.D. Course, reserved for foreign candidates:



PH.D Courses	Total positions with and without scholarship		Positions with scholarship	Positions without scholarship	Positions reserved to candidates belonging to specific categories	Reserved positions for employees of Institutes and public Research Centres
	with	without				
			Reserved positions for Candidates holding a Degree awarded by a foreign institution	Reserved to Candidates coming from foreign Institutions	Candidates holding a foreign government scholarship or a scholarship funded by international mobility programmes	
<a href="#">Architecture and Urban Planning (*)</a>	<b>10</b>				<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>
<a href="#">Biomedical Sciences and Biotechnology</a>	<b>7</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>		<b>2</b>	
<a href="#">Chemistry</a>	<b>7</b>	<b>1</b>			<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>
<a href="#">Earth and Marine Sciences (*)</a>	<b>6</b>	<b>1</b>			<b>2</b>	
<a href="#">Engineering Sciences</a>	<b>10</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>
<a href="#">European Union Law and National Legal Systems</a>	<b>6</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>		<b>2</b>	
<a href="#">Humanities</a>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>			<b>2</b>	
<a href="#">Molecular Medicine</a>	<b>8</b>	<b>2</b>			<b>2</b>	
<a href="#">Physics</a>	<b>10</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>
<a href="#">Translational Neurosciences and Neurotechnologies</a>	<b>6</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>		<b>2</b>	

(\*) The international doctorates in “Earth and Marine Sciences” and “Architecture and Urban Planning” have two separate announcements, and bestow a Ph.D. double degree awarded by the University of Ferrara and their foreign Partner Institutions.

**Foreign Candidates without scholarship** will be entitled to have a room at the IUSS-Ferrara 1391 **Residential College** at a reduced price. For Further information, you may contact IUSS Office at [dottorato@unife.it](mailto:dottorato@unife.it).

The application must be completed on line at <https://pica.cineca.it/unife/> by June 15<sup>st</sup> 2018.

The successful applicants will start their activities on November 1<sup>st</sup>, 2018.

For more detailed information about the **admission procedure** and the official announcements, please refer to the **official web site** where the calls for applications will be announced: <http://www.unife.it/studenti/dottorato/concorsi>. For information about the **Doctoral Programmes**, which are available at the University of Ferrara, please consult <http://www.unife.it/studenti/dottorato/corsi/courses>.



## For International Ph.D. students

*Arriving in a new city can be a daunting prospect and at The University of Ferrara **we are keen to help you to feel both at ease and welcome in your new home.** At the University of Ferrara we are well aware that Ph.D. students joining us from overseas may require a little extra help in finding their way around and settling in. Our aim is to look after the health and well-being of our students in its widest sense.*

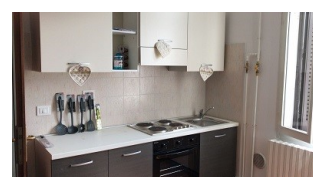
The **IUSS Doctoral School Office** (<http://www.unife.it/studenti/dottorato>) and **IUSS-Ferrara 1391** (<http://iuss.unife.it/>) are the **firsts points of contact** for international students and offers a range of services supporting your enrollment, accommodation, study and social life, as well as a referral service facilities at Unife. The **Research Doctorate Course** is three years in length and it is the highest Academic Degree. Training activities, including international experiences, are focused to form high-level researchers. We have **ten Ph.D. courses** active.

**IUSS-Ferrara 1391** promotes and organizes **interdisciplinary, cultural and disciplinary activities** aimed at all Ph.D. students. Bearing in mind its international focus, IUSS-Ferrara 1391 offers students the opportunity to **learn Italian** as well as the chance to improve **English**.

**Complementary Skills** (Intellectual Property Protection, Technology Transfer, Communication Techniques and Research Management and Funds, etc.) are annually promoted.

## Accommodation

IUSS-Ferrara 1391 has **its own student accommodation**, which includes a social and cultural center allowing Ph.D. students to stay in Ferrara and get to know students from other universities in Italy and abroad. Ph.D. students will be entitled to have a room at the Residential College of IUSS-Ferrara 1391 at reduced prices. International PhD students without scholarship will be accommodated in our residences at a reduced price.



## Long mobility grant

For Ph.D. student enrolled at Unife, IUSS gives the opportunity to receive "Long mobility grants" that finance a period abroad, of at least one month, in order to complete their Ph.D. thesis, to improve the knowledge and have the possibilities of success of the Doctoral Research, as well as collaborating with foreign Institutions.

## University facilities

### Sport

The **University Sport Campus** (CUS) have extensive experience in the provision and delivery of a large variety of sports, exercise classes and fitness programmes, with competitive prizes.

### Wireless Campus

Students can enjoy free, fast wireless available from most University academic, administrative buildings using *Wi-Fi*.

### University Language Centre

Organizes **Italian courses** for international students of all levels who want to improve the language quickly and effectively. The collection of self-learning Language Materials is purposely built for enhancing students learning and proficiency in Italian, English, French and German. It consists of books, Dictionaries, examination papers, CDs, CD-ROMs, VCDs, DVDs.

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<http://www.cusferrara.it/>



## Enjoy the city!



Ferrara is a **quiet city** that invites you to walks and **bike** rides. Its ancient Renaissance lay-out with amazingly wide and straight streets has been very well preserved. The magnificent **Este Castle** irradiates the charm of the Este Family court which is also shown in the famous Schifanoia Palace frescoes. More than this, there are so many fascinating and interesting places you can visit.

<http://www.unife.it/international/about/why-study-in-ferrara>



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