

## Humanities

<b>Cycle</b>	XXXVII
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<b>Duration</b>	3 years
<b>Partner Institution</b>	Pontificia Universidade Catolica do Paraná – PUCPR
<b>Curriculum</b>	1. Prehistory and History Texts, Signs and Interpretations
<b>Research Topics</b>	<a href="http://www.unife.it/studenti/dottorato/corsi/riforma/humanities">http://www.unife.it/studenti/dottorato/corsi/riforma/humanities</a>
<b>Qualification required for admission</b>	Italian degree known as “Laurea specialistica/magistrale” or a degree awarded prior to approval of Ministerial Decree D.M. n. 509 of 3 November 1999, updated with D.M. n. 270 of 22 October 2004, n. 270; Master’s (second level) degree, or an equivalent foreign academic qualification awarded abroad.

<b>Available Positions (total)</b>	<b>7</b>
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### Assessment Criteria

<b>Evaluation of qualification:</b> maximum score 50 points. Minimum score required to be admitted to the interview 35/50 - <b>Interview:</b> maximum score 30 points (including the foreign language examination) - <b>Minimum final score required: 60/80</b>		
Candidate’s skills will be tested for one of the following foreign languages (at the candidate’s choice):	French	English
	Spanish	German

### List of documents for the evaluation

<b>Curriculum studiorum</b>	<p><b>Mandatory documents:</b> Including complete Academic career information (Bachelor and Master degrees), a list of examinations and grades and final mark for Bachelor and Masters degrees, and post degree experiences. Thesis abstract (max length 2 pages), with the following structure: motivation, research methodology, obtained or expected results and bibliography. Only for undergraduates students the abstract must be signed by the supervisor.</p>	Up to 12 points (10 pts. for Academic career and 2 pts. for the Thesis)
<b>Research Project</b>	Maximum length: 6.000 characters (bibliography included) - in English or in Italian which must contain an original proposal for a research project, with the following structure: introduction to the scientific international context, relevance of the topic, expected results, argumentation. The proposed research project is not binding with regard to the subsequent topic that will be carried out during the three year course.	Up to 22 points
<b>Scientific publications</b>	<p><b>Mandatory documents:</b> In extensor publication copy Self-certification of the date of obtaining the Master's Degree (or equivalent qualifications) <b>OR</b> File containing the full list of the publications with associated link. Abstracts and/or papers presented in congresses and meetings (up to 5 points for each monograph, article on A, ISI or SCOPUS class; up to 3 points for each chapter on books or articles or other magazines; up to 1 point for every abstract or review). Only publications produced within the 3 calendar years following the date of obtaining the Master's Degree (or equivalent qualifications) will be taken into consideration.</p>	Up to 6 points
<b>Statement of research interest</b>	Short text - maximum length: 1 page -in English or in Italian, which must contain the motivations to attend the PhD program and the candidate’s specific research interests.	Up to 2 points

<b>Reference letters</b>	Min 1 (compulsory) - Max 2, supporting the application, written and signed by teachers, experts, researchers or professionals (that has significative collaborations with the applicant), qualified for the course's topics. The letter must be prepared following the example form.	Up to 2 points
<b>Other academic qualifications</b>	Other academic degrees (specialisation, master classes, training courses, scholarships, etc.) documented by certifications or self-certification - Only qualifications obtained within the 3 calendar years following the date of obtaining the Master's Degree (or equivalent qualifications) will be taken into consideration.	Up to 3 points
<b>Other professional qualifications</b>	Other documented with certification or self-certification professional experiences linked to the Ph.D. Course subjects - Only professional experiences obtained within the 3 calendar years following the date of obtaining the Master's Degree (or equivalent qualifications) will be taken into consideration.	Up to 3 points

### Interview

- 1) Presentation of the research project (scientific and methodological framework of the research and presentation of its originality, argument about the viability of the project and its congruency with the scientific training of the Candidate – MAX 20 pts;
- 2) Linguistic verification (any EU language plus mother tongue) – MAX 10 pts. Such verification may be substituted by presenting relevant certification:
  - 10 pts for each C1 or higher certification;
  - 7 pts for each B2 certification;
  - 5 pts for each B1 certification

### Examination timetable

Evaluation of qualifications and interview will take place within the 16<sup>th</sup> of September. Evaluations' results may be checked at the following link: <http://www.unife.it/studenti/dottorato/concorsi/selection>.  
The beginning date for consulting the evaluations' results and the interview schedule will be available within the present call deadline at the following page <http://www.unife.it/studenti/dottorato/concorsi/commissioni>

### Available Positions and kind of financial support

N°	Kind of Financial Support	Research subject
3	Università di Ferrara	
2	Positions reserved to candidates belonging to specific categories	Reserved positions for candidates holding a foreign government scholarship or a scholarship funded by international mobility programmes

### Positions deriving from DD.MM. 351/2022 and 352/2022

N°	Kind of Financial Support	Research subject
1	D.M. 351 (Research Doctorates for Public Administration - M4C1 I. 4.1)	Innovative tools for the creation of a network of prehistoric museums: ICT for the communication of a "semi-invisible" heritage.
1	D.M. 351 (Research Doctorates for Public Administration - M4C1 I. 4.1)	Edition and study of the Catastro B manuscript preserved in the State Archives of Modena.