CALL FOR ADMISSION TO PHD COURSES 2019/20

EXTENSION OF THE DEADLINE, INCREASE OF THE NUMBER OF SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE, AND REVISION OF ART. 8 REGARDING ATTENDANCE TO PHD PROGRAMS AND MEDICAL SPECIALISATION SCHOOLS

On April 23rd, the University of Padova signed an Agreement with Fondazione Cassa di Risparmio di Padova e Rovigo, Intesa Sanpaolo Spa, Assindustria VenetoCentro, and Unismart Padova Enterprise Srl, that foresees to **add 10 more scholarships with research priority grants**. The full list of Courses and research topics is available in the file "SCHOLARSHIPS AND PRIORITY RESEARCH GRANTS".

Moreover, the University of Padova added **two scholarships** funded by Departments for the following Courses:

- 1. Animal and Food Science
- 2. Crop Sciences

Therefore, to give the candidates the chance to participate in the selection for these additional 10 priority research grants, the deadline of the Call for admission to PhD Courses Academic Year 2019/2020 has been extended. The updated deadline for this call is 1 pm (CEST) of May 21st 2019.

For Courses which request **reference letters**, the updated deadline for referees to submit the reference letter using the online procedure is **1 pm (CEST) of May 24th 2019**.

Moreover, art. 8, first paragraph has been modified as follows:

"If successful in the admission selection process, students enrolled at medical specialisation schools will be able to enroll in a PhD course if they are already enrolled in the last year of the specialisation school or, if the specialization school is offered by the University of Padova, also if they start the last year of the specialisation school during the first year of the PhD Course, and if the joint frequency has been declared compatible and authorized by the Board of the specialisation school."