

PhD Course: PHARMACOLOGICAL SCIENCES			
Department	SCIENZE DEL FARMACO - DSF		
Duration	3 years		
Number of positions	Scholarships funded by external public or private bodies/Departments	n. 2	1 scholarship funded by Epitech Group S.p.A. unipersonale - Topic: Investigating the mechanisms underlying the effects of N-acylethanolamines in neuroinflammatory conditions; 1 scholarship funded by INDENA S.p.A. - Topic: Development of novel nutraceuticals targeted on cholesterol and cardiovascular health;
	Positions without scholarship	n. 1	
	Total number of positions	n. 3	
Selection criteria	PRESELECTION ON THE BASIS OF EVALUATION OF QUALIFICATIONS AND ORAL EXAMINATION		
Oral examination via remote interview:	Applicants who have requested it in the application form will take the oral exam via remote interview using the ZOOM videoconference tool.		
Evaluation criteria	Qualifications: points max 40 Oral examination: points max 60		
Documents to be submitted	Thesis:	Points: max 14	Applicants waiting to be awarded the entrance qualification: those waiting to be awarded the entrance qualification by 30th September 2025 will submit a summary of the master thesis project (max. 4 pages) signed by the applicant and the supervisor
	Curriculum:	Points: max 22	C.V. please use tamplate from: https://www.dsfarm.unipd.it/ricerca/phd-graduate-programs/phd-degree-program-pharmacological-sciences Include arithmetic mean of marks obtained in the courses of five years Master Degree.Include language certification.
	Scientific publications:	Points: max 4	It will be evaluated scientific publications and abstracts presented to national and International scientific congresses.
Publication of the results of the evaluation of the preselection	<p>Within 05 SEPTEMBER 2025 the evaluating Commission will publish the results of the evaluation of the qualifications in the following website: https://www.dsfarm.unipd.it/ricerca/phd-graduate-programs/phd-degree-program-pharmacological-sciences</p> <p>In order to be admitted to the examination, the candidate must get a score of at least 7/10 in the preselection.</p>		

Publication of the timetable of remote interviews and instructions on how to use the ZOOM video conferencing	By 05 SEPTEMBER 2025 the commission will publish on the course website https://www.dsfarm.unipd.it/ricerca/phd-graduate-programs/phd-degree-program-pharmacological-sciences the timetable of the remote interviews and the instructions on how to use the ZOOM video conferencing for those applicants who have chosen in the application form to take the oral examination via remote interview and who have passed the preselection on the basis of the qualifications with a pass-mark of at least 7/10.
Oral examination	08 SEPTEMBER 2025 10:00 - The exam may continue: 9 September - Aula Riunioni first floor, Dipartimento di Scienze del Farmaco, Largo Meneghetti, 2, 35131 Padova
Language/s	<p>Foreign language/s assessment at the oral examination: At the oral examination the commission will assess the knowledge of the following language/s: English</p> <p>Admission exam: The admission exam will be taken in: Italian or English</p>
Examination topics	Presentation of a research project related to the PhD course or to experimental thesis carried out; Pharmacokinetics; Pharmacodynamic; Toxicology; Pharmacotherapy; Molecular and Cellular Pharmacology.
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How to apply	<p>The application must be submitted only via the online procedure available at: https://pica.cineca.it/unipd/dottorati41luglio</p> <p>The documents must be attached in pdf format.</p> <p>The application and the attached documents are submitted automatically by closing the online procedure, so no hard copy of the application and of the documents must be sent to the office.</p>
Deadlines	<p>Publication of the ranking lists and enrollment from 24 September 2025</p> <p>Beginning of PhD courses 1 November 2025</p>