



UNIVERSITÀ DEGLI STUDI
DELLA REPUBBLICA DI SAN MARINO

DIPARTIMENTO DI STUDI STORICI

SCUOLA SUPERIORE DI STUDI STORICI

ANNOUNCEMENT OF A COMPETITION

FOR POSTGRADUATE COURSES LEADING TO A PH.D. IN HISTORICAL SCIENCES (2017-2020)

The Advanced Institute for Historical Studies of the University of San Marino announces a competition for selection for its thirteenth postgraduate course that will be held in the triennium 2017-2020. 15 students will be admitted (9 of them will be entitled to a scholarship).

1. Selection for the 15 student vacancies is open to students of all nationalities who meet the following requirements:
 - a) University degree in historical subjects, even if not from a Department of History;
 - b) basic knowledge of the Italian, French and English languages;
 - c) age less than 32 by the deadline for application.

2. The following documentation should be enclosed with the application:
 - 1) birth certificate or equivalent document;
 - 2) University degree and list of the passed examinations with relative marks;
 - 3) confidential letter of reference from at least two professors of the candidate's own University, or of other Universities or Institutes of Higher Education;
 - 4) the research project that the candidate, should he gain admission to the course, intends to undertake within the triennium 2017-2020 and that he will define with the Institute's Scientific Committee;
 - 5) any other scientific documentation, even unpublished, that could allow an evaluation of the candidate's attitude towards historical research;
 - 6) a *curriculum studiorum*.

3. The Institute's Scientific Committee acts as the Selection Committee. Members of the above mentioned Committee are: Luciano Canfora, Maurice Aymard, Laura Barletta, Paulo Butti de Lima, Franco Cardini, Giuseppe Galasso, Giorgio Otranto, Corrado Petrocelli, Adriano Prospero, Stefano Zamagni.

4. The candidates whose qualifications have been considered satisfactory are admitted to an interview. The interview is intended to ascertain the level of historical knowledge of the competitors and their research interests.
5. The interview will be held in San Marino, at the University, and it will be in one of the three official languages of the Institute, Italian, English or French, at the candidates' choice. In case of an impediment certified by a document, the possibility of holding the interview via the Internet will be considered.
6. The first 9 candidates will be admitted to the Ph.D. and will be entitled to a three years scholarship of € 1.000,00 per month from June 1st 2017 until May 31st 2020. At least two of the 9 scholarships will be reserved to citizens of San Marino. If there will be no admitted candidates from San Marino, the scholarships will be granted to candidates from any other country. The other candidates – from the 10th to the 15th – will be admitted to the Ph.D. but will not be entitled to any scholarship. Results will be published in the University website.
The Advanced Institute for Historical Studies' course will be considered as a postdoctoral fellowship for the candidates who would have already attended a postgraduate course.
7. The title gained at the issue of the Ph.D. may be recognized by other countries according to the existing conventions.
8. Students will be expected to attend courses and other teaching activities that will take place yearly in San Marino mostly during June/July and September/October and to respect the articles they will undersign before admission to the Ph.D.
The students will be required to pay a registration fee of € 620,00 per year for 3 years, payable every 6 months in instalments of € 310,00. Students who will not pay the registration fee will be submitted to the measures established in the articles they signed.
9. Application – with the necessary documentation enclosed – should be mailed by January 13th, 2017 (valid date as per postmark). Application should be addressed to: Scuola Superiore di Studi Storici - Università degli Studi – Contrada Omerelli, 20 - 47890 Repubblica di San Marino (R.S.M). Application must also be presented online (www.unirmsm.sm/iscrizionidottorato) within the same date.
Lectures will start June 2017.
10. As for what is not mentioned in this announcement, we refer to the Statute and to the Academic Regulations of the Institute.

San Marino, October 15th 2016

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