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**SELECTION CRITERIA:**

**CURRICULUM:**
The curriculum must be uploaded during the application process. The curriculum must provide information about the candidate’s academic education as well as his/her professional and research experience. Any other documents useful towards the assessment of the candidate's curriculum should be attached.

**MINIMUM GRADE:** 18 out of 30

The list of candidates who are invited to take a written examination will be published at: http://dottorato.unipi.it/“Admissions” should take place at least one week before the written examination.

**WRITTEN EXAMINATION:**
Written test will be related to topics of the different scientific areas of the PhD in Veterinary Science

**Date:** 22nd September 2015  **Time:** 9.00 a.m.

Where: Department of SCIENZE VETERINARIE - SAN PIERO A GRADO - VIA LIVORNESE LATO MONTE

**MINIMUM GRADE:** 20 out of 35

**INTERVIEW:**
The interview will assess the candidate’s knowledge and curriculum. The candidate should show aptitude for research, openness to international academic experiences and an interest in scientific research.

**During the interview, the candidate must to be able to demonstrate the ability to use the English.**

**Date:** 23rd September 2015  **Time:** 9.00 a.m. (and following days but not on Saturday or Sunday)

**All candidates must be present on the first day of meetings to find out when the interview has been scheduled.**

Where: Department of SCIENZE VETERINARIE - SAN PIERO A GRADO - VIA LIVORNESE LATO MONTE

**MINIMUM GRADE:** 20 out of 35

**WEBCONFERENCE:** NO

**GUIDELINES FOR THE PRESENTATION OF THE PHD RESEARCH PROJECT**

**REQUIRED:** NO
The PhD course in veterinary science strengthen, at different levels, the research in the specific field of Veterinary Medicine and Animal Production and, with a multidisciplinary vision, opens its doors also to graduates having an adequate preparation in chemical and biological sciences.

The goal is to develop lines of research aimed to update and improve the veterinary practice, the animal production and the animal well-being. Also, the course aims to guarantee the training and the qualification of independent specialized personnel, able to integrate into existing work plans at public and private entities, and active in the elaboration of new projects in the field of veterinary science and animal productions. The PhD student must also develop a good attitude for working in a team and for multidisciplinarity. It is highly recommended that during the PhD course the student spends a period of study and research abroad, in order to improve the language skills and to acquire research techniques that can enrich the training.

The aim of the PhD course in Veterinary Science is to improve the research in veterinary medicine and produzioni animali and it is open to graduate veterinarians and to graduate students with particular knowledge in chemical and biological science. PhD students should show a good attitude to work in a team. PhD students are also encouraged to spend part of their time at foreign research institutes, in order to increase their linguistic baggage and to improve the research activity.

WEBSITE: