# PhD programme “Regionale pegaso” joint with the University of Pisa, University of Firenze and University of Siena

**Classical Studies and Archaeology**

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## Admission requirements:
Laurea magistrale:  
LM-2 Archeologia  
LM-15 Filologia, letterature e storia dell'antichità  
Laurea specialistica:  
2/S (specialistiche in archeologia)  
15/S (specialistiche in filologia e letterature dell'antichità)  
93/S (specialistiche in storia antica)  
Laurea Vecchio Ordinamento (ante DM 509):  
Lettere, Storia, Conservazione dei beni culturali, Storia e conservazione dei beni culturali, Lettere classiche, Storia e conservazione dei beni architettonici e ambientali or comparable under the ministerial decree of 9 July 2009

## Outcome of the selection procedure:
Ranking of candidates for the whole PhD programme

### PhD Positions Available

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| **19**              | **15 with grant**  
| **4 without grant** |

### Supernumerary positions
Pursuant to Article 6 of the competition announcement, candidates who are eligible for the competition to be admitted in supernumerary must forward, to the email address concorsodottorato@unipi.it, Annex C after having held the interview but no later than three days thereafter on the date of the latter.

### Details:

1. **6 grants financed by Università di Pisa**  
2. **1 grant financed by Regione Toscana “Pegaso — Year 2019 POR FSE 2014/20” (with 6 months stay abroad)**  
3. **2 grants financed by Regione Toscana “Pegaso — Year 2019 POR FSE 2014/20” (“International” with 12 months stay abroad)**
1 grant financed by Regione Toscana “Pegaso — Year 2019 POR FSE 2014/20” on subject “Archeology in Tuscany: Landscape, Settlements and Heritage between Prehistory and Middle Ages” (with 6 months stay abroad). It is mandatory to carry out a training / research experience in an application context (such as a company, a public research institution, non-university public institution) of at least 3 months”.

1 grant financed by Regione Toscana “Pegaso — Year 2019 POR FSE 2014/20” on subject “Archeology in Tuscany: material culture and figurative heritage between Prehistory and the Middle Ages” (with 6 months stay abroad). It is mandatory to carry out a training / research experience in an application context (such as a company, a public research institution, non-university public institution) of at least 3 months”.

1 grant financed by Regione Toscana “Pegaso — Year 2019 POR FSE 2014/20” on subject “Tradition of classical texts and cultural heritage in Tuscany: manuscript description and cataloging”. (with 6 months stay abroad). It is mandatory to carry out a training / research experience in an application context (such as a company, a public research institution, non-university public institution) of at least 3 months”.

2 grants financed by Department of Civiltà e Forme del Sapere as Department of Excellence 2018/2022 of University of Pisa on subject “A study on socio-economic development and material culture in Europe and in the Mediterranean of the Greek-Roman and Middle Ages: theoretical aspects and general problems of geographical areas or artifact categories”.

1 grant financed by University of Siena on subject “Anthropology of the Ancient World”.

**Selection criteria:**

**Curriculum**

The curriculum, signed and accompanied by a copy of a valid identification document, must be uploaded **only** during the application process. The curriculum must provide information about the candidate’s academic education as well as his/her professional and research experience. The candidate must attach any document useful for the assessment of his/her curriculum. The candidate who intends to submit to the evaluation of the Selection Board any document related to his/her academic records held at the University of Pisa, must make an explicit request of acquisition “through office” in the aforementioned curriculum.

**Minimum grade:60 out of 100**
The list of candidates who are invited to take an interview will be published at [http://dottorato.unipi.it/](http://dottorato.unipi.it/) “Admissions” should take place at least five days before the interview.

**Interview**

The interview will assess the candidate’s knowledge, her/his aptitude for research, openness to academic experiences in Italy and abroad, and an interest in scientific deepening.

During the interview, the Selection Boards verify the knowledge of the English language. Furthermore, the candidates must certify this knowledge (comparable at least to the level B2) before acceptance of the PhD grant "Pegaso" through:

1. internationally recognized certification (e.g. Cambridge English Language Assessment, TOEFL, IELTS) at the B2 level of the Common European Framework for Languages (cfr. [http://www.cli.unipi.it/files/equipollenze/inglese_equip?lang=it](http://www.cli.unipi.it/files/equipollenze/inglese_equip?lang=it));
2. certification of a Language Centre of the University of any Italian or foreign university;
3. certification issued by the University's Language Centre (CLI) of Pisa provides dedicated sessions of language certification that will be published at [http://dottorato.unipi.it/index.php/it/](http://dottorato.unipi.it/index.php/it/).

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The test schedule (where applicable), with the indication of the venue, will be published on May 30, 2019 at [http://dottorato.unipi.it/-"Admission and enrolment".](http://dottorato.unipi.it/-"Admission and enrolment").

Web conference: **NO**

**Guidelines for the presentation of the PhD Research project**

Required: **YES**

to be evaluated together with the curriculum and to be illustrated at the interview

The candidate must upload the research project during the online application process **by the deadline of the announcement**. In order to highlight the capacity to carry out the project, the research project will be evaluated together with the curriculum and the candidate discuss it during the interview.

**INFO:**

**Overview and objectives of the PhD course:**

The University of Pisa, Florence and Siena have a strong tradition of research in the Classics, Anthropology and Archeology field and join their forces to create a doctorate course of highest level in order to develop a research about many aspects of the ancient world for the enhancement of the cultural heritage. Pegaso Joint Doctorate Program guarantees an international environment to his Fellows:
- foreign scholars are involved in the didactic of the course and in the Doctoral Board
- the course encourages stays abroad and co-tutoring of thesis (Doctor Europaeus)
- seminars and workshops are held not only in Italian but also in English, French, German and Spanish

The project has three curricula: Archeology, Philology and Anthropology of the Ancient World. The course has an interdisciplinary approach (CUN Areas 5, 6, 10 e 11 and ERC fields SH2, SH3, SH4, SH5, SH6 are involved) and will offer seminars (following the ECTS credit standard), internships and stages in research institutions about the Ancient World in Italy and abroad.

Website:
http://www.fileli.unipi.it/phd-saa/

Research project proposal

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<th>Curriculum in which the successful candidate wishes to be enrolled as a PhD Student (Anthropology of the Ancient World, Archaeology, Classical Philology)</th>
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1. Research Project Title:

2. State of the Art (500 words max)

3 Finality of the Research Project. (500 words max)

4. Methodology (500 words max)

5. Expected results (500 words max)

6. Organization of the research project over the three years funding period 200 words max.)