

CRITERIA FOR EVALUATION OF Ph.D. APPLICATIONS

The admission procedure consists of two parts: (1) File evaluation (weight 40%); (2) interview (60% weight).

No.	CRITERIA	GRADE	WEIGHT
Part 1: File evaluation (weight 40%)			
1	Overall grade / Average grade in the Bachelor program [*] (The average grade of years of study + the average grade of the Bachelor's degree exam / 2)	N1	0.40
2	Overall grade / Average grade in the Master program (The average grade of years of study + the grade of the Master's Thesis / 2)	N2	0.20
3	Papers published in ISI journals ^{**}	N3	0.10
4	Papers published in journals indexed in the international databases (without impact factor)	N4	0.04
5	Scientific communications ^{***}	N5	0.20
6	Other activities (Internships / Vocational Training; Erasmus Mobility, etc.)	N6	0.05
Part 2: Interview (60% weight)			
7	Writing the Ph.D. research proposal	N7	0.5
8	Presentation of the Ph.D. research proposal The interview will consist of a 10-15 minute PowerPoint presentation of Ph.D. research proposal, followed by a question and answer period with examination committee members.	N8	0,5

* A minimum overall grade / Average grade in the Bachelor program of 7.50 (C) is required in order to be eligible to receive a scholarship.

**The quality of the articles will be considered, not their number. The ISI category includes articles published in journals with impact factor

***Scientific communications to which the candidate is the author who presented the paper are considered.

N1-N7 is grade.

Each member of the examination committee will note the candidates by adding the points from criteria 1-8, multiplied by the weighting coefficient. The admission grade for each candidate is the average, calculated with two decimal places without rounding, of the grades awarded by each member of the examination committee.

The examination committee classifies all candidates in descending order of the average. Candidates declared admitted will be allocated in descending order of the average, for seats with scholarship, seats without scholarship, without tuition fee, and seats with tuition fee.

If there is equality between candidates ranked last, the classification will be based on the overall grade / average grade in the Master program.

The minimum grade requirement for admission consideration to Doctoral Program is **7 (seven)**. The average is calculated with two decimal places without rounding.