







Operational Program European Social Fund - Regione Liguria 2014-2020 ASSE 3 "Education and training"



UNIVERSITÀ DEGLI STUDI DI GENOVA

EXCERPT OF INFORMATION SHEET LAW STUDIES		
GENERAL INFORMATION STRUCTURE OF THE TRAINING PROJECT		
DURATION AND ORGANIZATION OF THE COURSE	The course starts officially on 1 of November 2018 and lasts three years. 1. At the end of each year, doctoral students shall present the Teaching Body with a detailed written account of the activities carried out. The Teaching Body may ask for the account to be discussed according to procedures it has established.	
	Coordinator of the course: Prof.ssa Paola Ivaldi; E-mail address: <u>paola.ivaldi@giuri.unige.it</u> Department coordinating for research: Department of Law Studies (Dipartimento di Giurisprudenza – DDG)	
TRAINING PROJECT	The following 1 project/scholarship is activated:	
	Curriculum INTERNATIONAL LAW (CODICE 7290):	
	Progetto/borsa 1: LABE - Legal Aspects of the Blue Economy	
	Months abroad: 12	
	In cooperation with: - RINA S.p.A. - Institute for the Law of the Sea and International Marine Environmental Law (ISRIM). - Universitat de València. Estudi General (UVEG), Departamento de Derecho Internacional "Adolfo Miaja de la Muela", Facultad de Derecho. - Distretto Ligure delle Tecnologie Marine (DLTM) - Polo Tecnologie e Ricerca Network Sicurezza ed Intermodalità nei Trasporti (TRANSIT)	
	Project/scholarship details: "Blue Growth" refers to a long-term strategy of the European Commission that is intended to support sustainable economic development in the marine and maritime domain. By definition, it encompasses a variety of economic sectors, geographic areas and fields of intervention (such as scientific research, education and investments) of fundamental concern to the EU, Member States as well as regional and local authorities. All of the activities that are part of the Blue Economy, share (and to some extent compete for) the same physical	

	environment, thus making it crucial that a suitable legal framework is in place addressing not only the specificities that are peculiar to any such activity, individually considered, but also the issues that may be raised by their co- existence in a given maritime space. This is all the more important in the context of "Blue Economy" for several reasons, among which the need to coordinate the different uses of marine resources, the existence of international obligations the EU and the Member States must abide by, the importance of promoting a number of values and interests connected to the maritime governance, such as environmental protection, safety and the objective of increasing the level (but also the quality) of occupation within the European Union. In this vein, LABE project ("Legal Aspects of Blue Economy"), after a preliminary phase of study of the relevant international instruments, of the European regulatory framework as well as of pertinent national legislation, aims at identifying and analysing the most relevant legal issues concerning not only specific aspects (such as exploitation of marine mineral resources, maritime spatial planning and the relation between ocean governance and energy production), but also more general and cross-border issues (such as the allocation of competences between the European Union and Member States, rights of the individuals involved in maritime activities), with a view to formulating, in the last part of the project, proposals concerning the form, the normative content and level of an appropriate normative action in the area at issue. The duration of the project encompasses the three year of the Ph.D., which is deemed to be an appropriate duration for the analysis of all the different issues described above.	
PhD FUNDING	The annual gross amount of the grant, including social security expenses to be paid by the recipient, is € 16,500.00. The amount of the doctoral grant shall be increased by 50% for an overall period of not more than 18 months, if the graduate student is authorized to by the teaching body to carry out research abroad. Starting from the first year, each graduate student will have, besides the grant, a budget for research activities in Italy and abroad which will not be less than 10% of the grant	
ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS		
COURSE ADMISSION	Admission is subject to the passing of the selection tests and is conditioned by the positive outcome of the medical examinations, where required, that are carried out in health facilities and aimed at ascertaining the suitability for the specific task in accordance with D. Lgs. No. 81/08.	
REQUIRED QUALIFICATION	Degree which has been conferred according to the rules and regulations in force prior to the reform of didactic freedom in universities, or a specialist/II level degree or an equivalent foreign academic qualification.	

SELECTION PROCESS	
SELECTION COMMITTEE	The committees are made up of at least 3 university professors for each course; they may be integrated by not more than 2 experts, who may also be foreign nationals, from public and private research institutions and structures.
ADMISSION TEST VENUE	Department of Law Studies (Dipartimento di Giurisprudenza – DDG)

TYPE OF ADMISSION TEST	 Comparative assessment of the qualifications/publications. Written test (research project). The interview consists in the discussion of the written test (research project) and the description of the candidate's research area of interest, also on the basis of previous activities stated in his/her scientific-professional curriculum The tests are focused on confirming the candidates' aptitude for scientific research.
METHODS FOR INVITING THE CANDIDATES AND COMMUNICATING THE OUTCOMES OF THE TESTS	The examination schedule is as follows:
	 Evaluation of qualifications, curriculum and written test (research project): 16.7.2018, 9.30 am
	 Interview: 16.7.2018, 2.00 pm, at Department of Law Studies (Dipartimento di Giurisprudenza – DDG), Meeting room of the ex International Law section, 3rd floor (int. 7B)
	Candidates can use video conference mode; and, for identification purposes, the candidate must show the original document of which he has deposited a certified copy at the time of application.
	The list of those admitted to the interview will be affixed at the Department of Law Studies (Dipartimento di Giurisprudenza – DDG).
	 The final lists shall be announced on 10th August 2018, and will appear solely on: the noticeboard of the relevant research Departments/facilities for the research courses; the noticeboard of the University; on the Internet address https://unige.it/usg/it/dottorati-di-ricerca
	No information whatsoever shall be posted to candidates' domicile.
WRITTEN TEST	The research project (10 pages maximum) has to be attached to the online application form, and it must concern one or more research Projects/grants highlighted in the section "TRAINING PROJECT". The research project will be evaluated as practical test for the selection, together with the evaluation of the qualifications and the scientific-professional curriculum, in order to identify the candidate's aptitude for scientific research in terms of originality, feasibility, clarity in the definition of objectives, methods and expected results.
INTERVIEW	The interview consists in the discussion of the written test (research project) and the description of the candidate's research area of interest, also on the basis of previous activities stated in his/her scientific-professional curriculum During the interview, the candidate shall also prove his/her proficiency in the following foreign language: English. Non-Italian candidates will also have to prove knowledge of the Italian language.
PERCENTAGE VALUES OF TO EACH TEST	 To each candidate can be assigned a maximum of 150 points, divided as follows: comparative assessment of the qualifications/publications: max score 30/30, pass mark 20/30. Written test (research project):max score 60/60, pass mark 40/60. Interview: max score 60/60, pass mark 40/60. The final ranking will be drawn up by adding the scores assigned in
	comparative assessment, written test and interview. Candidates will be selected in compliance with the principles of equal opportunities.

ADDITIONAL CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION TO THE COURSE

In the case of equal grades, the evaluation of candidates' incomes prevails for the assignation of grants, as per D.P.C.M. 9 April 2001.

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