

AFAM RESEARCH DOCTORATE PROGRAM IN OPENSPACE - MULTIMEDIA INTERSECTIONS BETWEEN VISUAL AND DIGITAL ARTS WITH ENTREPRENEURIAL PRODUCTIONS, CONTEMPORARY SCIENTIFIC AND CULTURAL RESEARCHES, XL CYCLE (1ST AFAM CYCLE) CALL FOR ADMISSION - ACADEMIC YEARS 2024-2025\*

NAME OF THE DOCTORAL COURSE	OPENSPACE - MULTIMEDIA INTERSECTIONS BETWEEN VISUAL AND DIGITAL ARTS WITH ENTREPRENEURIAL PRODUCTIONS, CONTEMPORARY SCIENTIFIC AND CULTURAL RESEARCHES
TYPOLOGY	RESEARCH DOCTORATE IN NON-ASSOCIATED FORM
DURATION	3 YEARS
ACTIVITY STARTING DATE	10 DECEMBER 2024
LANGUAGE	ITALIAN
COORDINATOR	PROF.SSA LILIANA FRACASSO - liliana.fracasso@accademiavenezia.it
POSITIONS	SIX (6), TWO (2) OF WHICH WITHOUT SCHOOLARSHIP
ADMISSION PROCEDURES	ASSESSMENT OF QUALIFICATIONS - ASSESSMENT OF RESEARCH PROJECT - ASSESSMENT OF PORTFOLIO - ORAL EXAM

## POSITIONS IN THE COMPETITION

TYPOLOGY OF POSITIONS IN THE COMPETITION	N. OF POSITIONS
PNRR scholarship ex DM 629/2024 financed by the MUR with a specific topic	
SCHOLARSHIPS FROM THE ACADEMY OF FINE ARTS OF VENICE, financed by the European Union – NextGenerationEU under the National Recovery and Resilience Plan (PNRR) Mission 4: "Education and Research", Component 1 "Strengthening the offer of education services: from nursery schools to universities" - Investment 3.4 "Advanced university teaching and skills" and Investment 4.1 "Extension of the number of research doctorates and innovative doctorates for public administration and cultural heritage"	1
RESTRICTED TOPIC:  T1 — RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN ART AND CONTEXT ALSO IN ITS HISTORICAL, CONCEPTUAL AND FORMAL VALENCES, HAVING KNOWLEDGE OF THE BEST PRACTICES CARRIED OUT BY ARTISTS IN SITE SPECIFIC PROJECTS ALSO IN TERMS OF CULTURAL ENHANCEMENT.	

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PNRR scholarship ex DM 630/2024 co-financed by MUR and OIKOS VENEZIA S.R.L. with a specific topic  SCHOLARSHIPS FROM THE ACADEMY OF FINE ARTS OF VENICE, financed by the European Union – NextGenerationEU under the National Recovery and Resilience Plan (PNRR) Mission 4: "Education and Research", Component 2: "From Research to Business" – Investment 3.3: "Introduction of innovative doctorates that respond to the innovation needs of companies and promote the hiring of researchers by companies"  RESTRICTED TOPIC:  T3 – THE CONCEPT OF "THRESHOLD" SEEN NOT ONLY AS A SEPARATION ELEMENT BUT ALSO AS A POINT OF INTERSECTION AND CONTACT, AS AN IMMATERIAL/MATERIAL PLACE, VISIBLE/INVISIBLE BETWEEN DIFFERENT EXPERIENTIAL AREAS DECLINED IN THE PRIVATE LIVING SPACE AND IN THE PUBLIC DIMENSION.	
PNRR scholarship ex DM 630/2024 co-financed by the MUR and by CONSORZIO RFX DI PADUA with a specific topic  SCHOLARSHIPS FROM THE ACADEMY OF FINE ARTS OF VENICE, financed by the European Union — NextGenerationEU under the National Recovery and Resilience Plan (PNRR) Mission 4: "Education and Research", Component 2: "From Research to Business" — Investment 3.3: "Introduction of innovative doctorates that respond to the innovation needs of companies and promote the hiring of researchers by companies"  RESTRICTED TOPIC:  T4 — DEVELOPMENT OF NEW FORMS OF VISUAL NARRATIVE AND DATA VISUALIZATION (VISUAL DATA) IN PARTICULAR WITH RESPECT TO THE CONTEMPORARY RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN ART AND SCIENCE ALSO IN TERMS OF EXPERIMENTATION WITH MULTIMEDIA LANGUAGES.	1



TYPOLOGY OF POSITIONS IN THE COMPETITION	
Doctoral positions without scholarship pursuant to Ministerial Decree 470/2024 art. 8 paragraph 2 with a specific topic	
RESTRICTED TOPIC:	2
T5 - DESIGN AND CREATION OF COURSES AND PROJECTS IN THE MOST DIFFERENT FIELDS OF TODAY'S ARTISTIC PRODUCTION PARTICULARLY DEDICATED TO INTERACTIVITY.	
TOTAL NUMBER OF POSITIONS AVAILABLE	6

The places and scholarships may vary if further funding becomes available, without prejudice to the deadlines for submitting the application for admission indicated in the competition call. Changes, updates or additions to the form will be published even after the deadline of the call and in any case before the publication of the oral exam calendar.

The assignees of Doctoral positions are subject to the obligations established by the Teaching Board in the context of the definition of training and research projects, without prejudice to the law, the provisions of the competition call, and the reporting rules related to the sources of financing of specific positions.

## ADMISSION TESTS

	Modality
Assessment of qualifications, portfolio and research projects	the presence of candidates is not required
Oral exam	In presence at the Academy of Fine Arts of Venice - Dorsoduro 423

The assessment results of qualifications, portfolio and research projects, as well as the calendar of those admitted to the oral exam, will be published on the Institutional website of the Academy on the page dedicated to the Doctorate and in Transparent Administration.

The oral exam is taken in Italian. It involves the discussion of the project presented and is aimed at verifying the candidate's aptitude for research, as well as his general preparation on the topics of the Doctoral Course and on the chosen restricted topic.

Publication on the site has the value of notification. No communication will be sent to candidates by e-mail.

## DOCUMENTS TO BE ATTACHED TO THE APPLICATION TO PARTICIPATE IN THE COMPETITION

Only documents drawn up in Italian will be considered valid and assessed by the Commission. For identity documents and qualifications issued in a different language, the official translation into Italian carried out by the institution that issued the qualification or by an authorized body must be attached.



MANDATORY DOCUMENTATION FOR SUBMITTING THE APPLICATION FORM TO PARTICIPATE IN THE COMPETITION		
Scan of a valid identity document (identity card or o passport)		
Preferably in European format with specific indication of any partecipato in national and international competitions, notices and prizes.		
a) Certificates relating to the achievement of <b>first and second level qualifications</b> in Italy or abroad, the exams taken, the grades obtained (seeArt. 3 del Call), the typology (written thesis, conference-concert, etc.), and the topics of the theses carried out for the achievement of first and second level qualifications (alternatively: certification relating to the achievement of the <b>old system AFAM Diploma</b> added to the <b>high school diploma</b> ).		
b) Attestazioni relative all'eventuale precedente conseguimento, in Italia o all'estero, di un altro titolo di Dottore di ricerca.		
Portfolio containing the projects and creations of the most significant works, up to a maximum of 10 (ten), relating to the Doctoral Course.		
The call includes scholarships for "bound topic" research project, i.e. linked to specific funding that requires work on pre-established topics. The candidate who intends to compete for these "restricted theme" scholarships must propose a personal project that clearly falls within one of the specific "restricted" themes set out in the notice, compliant with the PNRR Program financed by the European Union - NextGenerationEU.		
The written project proposal to be uploaded to the portal must generally:		
<ul> <li>report on the title page the name of the candidate, the specific topic for which the candidate is competing, the provisional title of the project and a maximum of 5 keywords (it is desirable that the proposal project is transdisciplinary, intersectional and joins international networks);</li> </ul>		
- be internally divided into:		
1) description of the project including indications on: (a) operational methods and particular investigation methodologies or technologies; (b) typology of sources; (c) needs for travel and inspections; (d) possible difficulties – logistical, technical, economic, access to sources, etc. – and any solutions imagined to overcome them; (e) declaration that the project complies with the "do no significant harm" (DNSH) principle, i.e. that the activities planned for its implementation will not cause any significant damage to the environment;		
2) state of art;		
3) any previous experience relating to the topic;		
4) expected results;		
5) programming of research over the three years (with particular attention to the activities to be carried out in the first year)		
6) bibliography;		
have a maximum length of 10,000 characters, spaces included (excluding the title page and any illustrative apparatus or tables).		



OTHER USEFUL DOCUMENTS		
Abstract of the second level thesis	Abstract of the <b>second level thesis</b> or, for academic graduates, of the thesis about to be discussed (max 5000 characters, including spaces, excluding title, index, bibliography and any illustrative apparatus or tables). This document will not be subjected to a specific assessment, but will help to give an image of the research aptitude already demonstrated by the candidate. (Always for purely informative purposes, the abstract can be followed by the entire thesis in pdf format, which however will not be subject to specific evaluation).	
Abstract of the PhD thesis (if previously obtained)	Abstract of the <b>thesis of any other previously obtained PhD</b> (max 5,000 characters, including spaces, excluding title, index, bibliography and any illustrative apparatus or tables). This document will not be subjected to a specific evaluation, but will help to give an image of the research aptitude already demonstrated by the candidate. (Always for purely informative purposes, the abstract can be followed by the entire thesis in pdf format, which however will not be subject to specific evaluation).	
Publications	List of any publications already produced (artistic projects completed, contributions to artistic or scientific journals, participation in conferences or seminars, organization of artistic events, etc.); to the list, the candidate can follow, for purely informative purposes, up to two publications in pdf format, which however will not be subject to specific evaluation.	
Other experiences	Other skills and experiences relating to the disciplinary areas characterizing the Doctoral Course may be declared and/or documented; for example:  - artistic practices performed in various disciplines;	
	- postgraduate, specialization or advanced training courses attended;	
	- further qualifications attesting to the candidate's skills (scholarships won, prizes achieved, work practices, etc.).	
	Of all these experiences and skills, although probably already listed in the curriculum vitae in summary form, it is advisable to produce a separate declaration to ensure greater visibility and offer a possible in-depth analysis of their nature.	
Reference letters	A maximum of two reference letters from lecturers at AFAM institutions, university lecturers, researchers or other experts in the field may be attached to the application.	

Venice, 6 August 2024

Prof. Riccardo Caldura Director of the Academy of Fine Arts of Venice

<sup>\*</sup>This is an English courtesy translation of the original Call for admission and it is not biding for legal purposes. In the event of disputes or disagreements the Italian version prevails.