







Rector's Decree No. 161 of 28 August 2023

SUBJECT: Supplement to Annexes B.1, B.2 and B.3 of the Public Competition Notice, for qualifications and examinations, for admission to PhD Courses - 39 CYCLE with administrative headquarters at Universitas Mercatorum.

THE RECTOR

CONSIDERED the Statutes of Universitas Mercatorum;

CONSIDERED D.M. 14 December 2021, n. 226 "Regulations on the accreditation of doctoral

establishments and courses and criteria for the establishment of doctoral courses by

accredited bodies";

CONSIDERED the Regulations of the Universitas Mercatorum in the field of PhD approved by the

Academic Senate at its meeting on 14 March 2022 and by the Board of Directors at

its meeting on 23 March 2022;

CONSIDERED the D.M. of 2 March 2023, n. 117, with which the assignment for the year 2023/2024

has been arranged, to be valid on the PNRR, Mission 4, component 2 From Research to Enterprise" - investment 3.3 "Introduction of innovative doctorates that meet the needs of innovation in enterprises and promote the recruitment of researchers from enterprises", of doctoral grants of three years co-financed by enterprises, for the

frequency of paths for innovative doctorates;

CONSIDERED The Notice of Public Competition, for titles and exams, for admission to the PhD Courses 39 CYCLE - issued with D.R. n. 135 of 19 July 2023 - in particular the

premises, which reserves the right to make any changes and additions, and art. 1,

paragraphs 5 and 6 that provide:

- The number of places and scholarships indicated in the descriptive sheets attached to this call may be increased following any additional financial resources of the University, regional and/or national and/or European and/or international and/or other external subjects; of each grant will be given appropriate publicity on the University's website at the following link: https://www.unimercatorum.it/iscrivsi-a-

doctorate. in the dedicated section;

 Any additional positions or scholarships, subject to the acquisition of the necessary funding by external subjects and the signing of the relevant agreement, will be made known by a subsequent rectoral decree published on the University institutional

website.

CONSIDERED the D.R. n. 157 of 24 August 2023 which provides for the extension of the deadline

for the submission of applications for admission to the Public Competition, for degrees and exams, for admission to the PhD Courses - 39 CICLO with

administrative headquarters at Universitas Mercatorum;

CONSIDERED conventions and expressions of interest in co-financing scholarships from PNRR

resources, pursuant to D.M. 117/2023, M4C2 - Inv. 3.3, received by New Generation

Sensors srl and TIM Spa;

CONSIDERED the expressed interest of the co-funding companies of scholarship D.M. 117/2023,

involved in the Doctoral Courses as provided for by D.R. n. 135 of 19 July 2023 and their annexes, to accept the recipients of such grants at their premises for a period of study and research up to n. 18 months to be carried out in the 3 years of the course;

CONSIDERED the new deadline for the above-mentioned notice scheduled for 04 September 2023,

12:00 (Italian time);

DEEMED to adapt the descriptive sheets of the PhD Courses (Annexes B.1, B.2 and B.3);









DECREE

ART.1

- 1. The number of scholarships foreseen for the PhD Course in "Big data *and artificial intelligence*" (Appendix B.1) is integrated with No. 1 scholarship for the resources of the PNRR, pursuant to D.M. 117/2023, M4C2 Inv. 3.3, co-financed by *New Generation Sensors srl*.
- 2. The period of study and research at the Company *Centro servizi universitari per l'educazione sociale e professionale tre punto zero srl* is updated to n. 18 months over the 3 years, according to what was demonstrated by the Company itself, co-funding of the D.M. 117/2023 Scholarship.
- 3. It is authorized the replacement of the Description Sheet of the PhD Course in "*Big data and artificial intelligence*" (Annex B.1) which is an integral part of the Call for Applications for admission to the Doctorate Courses XXXIX cycle issued with D.R. n. 135 of 19 July 2023 providing a total of n. 15 Total places, of which: 12 with scholarship, 3 without scholarship.

ART. 2

- 1. The period of study and research at the Companies *Argo srl* and *Studio De Iapis Bonomo srl* is updated to n. 18 months in the 3 years, according to what was demonstrated by the Companies themselves, co-financing the Scholarship D.M. 117/2023.
- 2. It is authorized the replacement of the Description Sheet of the PhD Course in "Financial Management of and Crisis Prevention" (Annex B.2) which is an integral part of the Notice of Competition for admission to the PhD Courses XXXIX cycle issued with D.R. n. 135 of 19 July 2023.

ART. 3

- 3. The number of scholarships foreseen for the PhD Course in "Sustainability and ESG Agenda" (Annex B.3) is integrated with No. 1 scholarship to be used on PNRR resources, pursuant to D.M. 117/2023, M4C2 Inv. 3.3, co-financed by TIM Spa.
- 4. It is authorized the replacement of the Description Sheet of the PhD *Course* in "*Sustainability* and *Agenda ESG*" (Annex B.3) which is an integral part of the Call for Applications for admission to the Doctorate Courses XXXIX cycle issued with D.R. n. 135 of 19 July 2023 providing a total of n. 15 Total places, of which: 12 with scholarship, 3 without scholarship.

Rome, 28 August 2023

THE RECTOR f. to Prof. Giovanni Cannata