Attachment DM 352/2022 Eligibility criteria

Art.6 (Eligibility and evaluation criteria)

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- c.4. The implementing bodies select the research projects recipients of the scholarships referred to in this decree on the basis of the provisions contained in Decree Direttoriale 29 July 2016, No.1540, with reference to the implementation of a competition for innovative PhD courses with an industrial connotation:
 - a. to concern disciplinary and thematic areas consistent with the needs of the country, as well as of the regional territories covered by the programme, in terms of highly qualified figures and oriented to meet the innovation needs of the companies referred to in the PNRR;
 - b. to provide for the implementation of the entire PhD programme, training, research and evaluation, at the administrative and operational premises of the beneficiary university, without prejudice to study and research periods at the company and abroad, planned consistently with the training and research activities provided at the proposer's headquarters;
 - c. to provide for study and research periods at the company from a minimum of six (6) months to a maximum of eighteen (18) months
 - d. to provide for study and research periods abroad from a minimum of six (6) months to a maximum of eighteen (18) months;
 - e. to ensure that the PhD student can make use of qualified and specific operational and scientific structures, in accordance with the law, for study and research activities, including (if relevant to the type of course) scientific laboratories, libraries, databases, etc.;
 - f. to provide for the implementation of didactic activities for linguistic and IT improvement, for research management and knowledge of European and international research systems, for the enhancement of research results and intellectual property;
 - g. to provide, by means of a specific agreement, for the involvement of companies in the definition of the training path also in the context of wider collaborations with the University and the cofinancing of the same companies of 50% of the scholarships requested;
 - h. to promote the exploitation of research results and to ensure the protection of intellectual property by ensuring open access to research results and related data to the public (for example, publications of original results of the scientific research, raw data and metadata, sources, digital graphic and image representations and scientific multimedia materials) in the shortest time and with the least possible number of limitations, according to the principles "Open science" and "FAIR Data";
 - i. to ensure compliance with the horizontal principles of the PNRR (environmental sustainability; sustainable development; equal opportunities and non-discrimination; accessibility for disabled people).
- c.5. The selection procedure will include eligibility criteria ensuring that the selected projects comply with the technical guidelines on the application of the "do not cause significant harm" principle (2021/C58/01) through the use of an exclusion list and the requirement of compliance with relevant EU and national environmental legislation.