

Application procedure

Normally, there are 2 calls for applications at University of Padova. As the Ph.D. academic year starts in January, 2011, exact details on the applications are not yet known—the information provided below is therefore tentative.

The first call for applications refers to grants made available by a private foundation and is reserved to foreign (non-Italian) students.

The second call for applications refers to the grants made available by the Italian Ministry of University and Research and is open to all students irrespectively of their nationality.

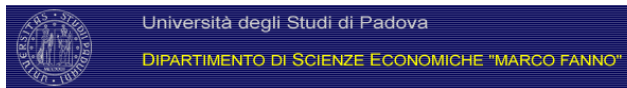
Tentative details on the application procedure are illustrated in the table below

CALLS FOR APPLICATIONS	Grants – 3 years at around 13600 Euros per year	Application period	Results
FIRST CALL (only foreign students)	Probably 15 grants available for all University of Padova PhD students, including full board at university accommodation	Before the Summer	The final pass list shall be made public in the University web site
SECOND CALL (all students)	Probably 6 grants, excluding full board accommodation, just for Economics and Management candidates	September (students graduating early in October can apply)	End of October

The official call for applications and related forms are available through the following web site

<http://www.unipd.it/en/doctorates/grants.htm>

All applicants are invited to send their cv by email to sdem.decon@unipd.it as soon as possible.



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PhD in Economics and Management

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The University of Padova is unique among the top Italian universities to gather researchers in Economics and Management in a single Department. This has created an environment where common research themes are investigated jointly, and where efforts are made to provide opportunities for fruitful interactions at all levels.



An upshot of such efforts is the **Ph.D. School in Economics and Management**, where prospective business economists are provided with solid foundations in Microeconomics, Macroeconomics, Econometrics and Game Theory, and prospective economists are taught courses in Strategic Management, Marketing, Accounting and Organization, that should provide useful ideas in their choice of relevant research topics.

The **Ph.D. Program in Economics and Management** is entirely taught in English. It regularly enrolls **Italian and international students** willing to deepen their knowledge of modern tools in both theoretical and empirical economic and management analysis.

Ph.D. students in Economics and Management produce analytical work and original research, which enables them **either to start an academic career or to work for international organizations, public institutions, and large firms.**



The program structure and contents:

The **Ph.D. Program in Economics and Management** lasts minimum three years .

The first year starts in early January and is divided into four terms. The curriculum includes 14 modules covering both the Economics and Management fields.

Starting from the second year, students are expected to spend at least an academic term abroad in one of our outstanding University partners and start their final dissertation, which should be submitted by the end of the third year.

Our current University Partners are Boston University, University of California (10 campuses), University of Michigan, University of New South Wales.

Apart from the traditional bilateral exchange programmes, students can also take part to the **joint Ph.D program** the school has with **the university of York** as well as the **Italy –MIT consortium**.

Financial support and tuition fees:

There are at least 6 fully funded three-year scholarships. Some of these scholarships further cover tuition fees and provide full board at the University accommodation.

Prerequisites

In order to be eligible, applicants must have at least a 4 years University degree in Economics, Management, Economics & Management, Political Sciences, Mathematics, Physics, Statistics or related fields.

Giving that the teaching language is English, students must have a good command of that language. Although not specifically required, a proof of English proficiency is highly appreciated.

A high score in Toefl and Gmat/Gre tests will also be valued.

Documents required

In addition to the documents listed in the official call for applications (<http://www.unipd.it/en/doctorates/grants.htm>) students applying to the PhD School of Economics and Management should possibly include their TOEFL and GRE or GMAT score certificate in their application package.

Applicants are also invited to send their CV by email to sdem.decon@unipd.it before the deadline.

Selection process

Students will be selected by an academic committee. The selection will be based on the academic background, including the degree level and final grade or evaluation.