

PhD Program Stazione Zoologica Anton Dohrn – The Open University, XXVI cycle

Call for PhD students n. 1/2024

How to apply

BEFORE STARTING YOUR APPLICATION

Allow yourself 45 to 60 minutes to complete the application form.

We strongly recommend to submit your application ahead of the deadline in order to avoid any last minute problems with the submission. No application will be accepted after the **deadline of June 21st 2024 - h. 12:00 (CET)**.

Candidates with disabilities should please detail any eventual facility they require to participate in the eventual interview. Every effort will be made to ensure that they can participate on an equal basis with other candidates and all reasonable arrangements requested by disabled candidates will be adopted.

REQUIRED ATTACHMENTS

please be sure to have the following documents:

- Report on the project (first choice)
- Report on the project (second choice) if the case
- CV (European form desirable)
- a scanned copy of your degree (For European Citizens Self-Declaration Affidavit - In accordance with article 46 T.U. – D.P.R. no. 445- 28.12.2000)
- a scanned copy of the IELTS (or alternative as indicated in the attachment **Info & Admission**) certificate (if applicable) (For European Citizens Self-Declaration Affidavit - In accordance with article 46 T.U. – D.P.R. no. 445- 28.12.2000)
- a scanned copy of the ID document

STEP 1

[Read the proposed projects](#)

STEP 2

- Download the Application Form
- Fill in the Application Form
- save the Application Form as a PDF
- sign the Application Form sign it and send it, within the deadline, by one of the following options:
 - a) sign the Application Form by certified digital signature and send it back by email to stazione.zoologica@szn.it or by personal PEC to ufficio.protocollo@cert.szn.it
 - b) sign the Application Form by handwritten signature, scan it and send it back via personal PEC to ufficio.protocollo@cert.szn.it
 - c) sign the Application Form by handwritten signature, scan it and send it back via email to stazione.zoologica@szn.it together **with a copy of you ID document**

STEP 3

Download the form for the reference letter and send it to 2 persons acquainted with your professional achievements who are able to give a qualified judgment of your skills and professional qualities as perspective PhD student. The letters of recommendation are an essential part of your application. It is your responsibility to contact your referees and to ensure that they write to us before the **deadline for receiving applications on June 21st - h. 12:00 (CET)**. Please forward the form to each of these two referees and ask them to send their letters of recommendation from their institutional email address to stazione.zoologica@szn.it or by personal PEC to ufficio.protocollo@cert.szn.it.

INFO

If you have any question regarding the application process, please, contact Gabriella Grossi or Margherita Groeben

From Monday to Friday h. 9.00 – 12.30 and 14.00-15.00

Phone: +39-081-5833 396 or 310

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DEADLINE June 21st 2024 - h. 12 :00 (CET)

**Interviews of selected candidates will be held in
videoconference on July 15th and 16th 2024**