CALL FOR SELECTION

Mobility Programme Turin – Université Grenoble Alpes (France) for the achievement of the double degree in Molecular Biotechnology Master’s Degree (LM-9) and in Master Ingénierie de la santé Parcours BioHealth Engineering 2e année

ACADEMIC YEAR 2021/2022

Art.1 General Conditions
The Department of Molecular Biotechnology and Health Sciences selects up to 4 students to participate in the international programme related to the agreement stipulated with the University of Grenoble Alpes, concerning the achievement of a double degree in Molecular Biotechnology Master’s Degree (LM-9) and in Master of Ingénierie de la santé Parcours BioHealth Engineering (Master 2). The mobility programme will take place at the University of Grenoble Alpes in the first semester of the a.y. 2021/2022, while the second semester of the a.y. 2021-2022 will be regularly attended at the University of Turin.

Art. 2 Requirements for application
The call for selection is open exclusively to students currently enrolled to the first year of Molecular Biotechnology Master’s Degree (LM-9) of the Department of Molecular Biotechnology and Health Sciences at the University of Turin.

Art. 3 Requirements for the double degree
In order to obtain the double degree, students enrolled at the University of Turin will have to define, before the start of the mobility and in agreement with the academic regulations in force at the University of Turin and the Host University, the correspondence of the exams/credits taken abroad with the exams/credits in their own study plan; students can also carry out, in case of availability of the Host University, part of the curricular training foreseen by the degree programme. The Department guarantees to its students full academic recognition of the activities carried out at the host institution.

Art. 4 Application process
Applications must be submitted by filling out the online form. The deadline to submit the application is set on May 9th, 2021 at 23:59 (CET). Applications filled out after this date will not be accepted.

Applications must include:
1. Curriculum Vitae in the Europass format, signed;
2. A motivational letter, written by the student in English or Italian, signed;
3. Self-certification of the obtainment of the Bachelor Degree. The document must be downloaded from the applicant’s MyUniTO profile and signed where required (you can find it as
“Autocertificazione di laurea con esami”. Students who have obtained their Bachelor Degree abroad are required to upload an official certified copy of their undergraduate degree, as well as the Transcript of records (or Diploma Supplement, if available);

4. Self-certification of enrollment with exams (Autocertificazione di laurea con esami) related to the Molecular Biotechnology Master’s Degree. The document must be downloaded from the applicant’s MyUniTO profile in the section “Carriera/Certificazioni carriera” and signed where required;

5. Copy of a valid identity document (e.g. Identity Card or Passport);

6. Any available further documents relevant for application, especially language certificates and evidence of relevant study or work experience abroad.

Applications will not be processed if:
- incomplete;
- submitted after the deadline;
- containing documents without signature of the applicant;
- with missing or incorrect personal data.

For further information about this Call of selection, applicants can refer to the following email address: international.medtorino@unito.it.

Art. 5 Selection criteria
An evaluation Committee, nominated by the Department Council, will oversee the selection. The selection criteria will be the following:

1. Final grade of the Bachelor Degree (max 25/100 points)
2. Number of CFU obtained during the Master’s Degree (max 25/100 points)
3. Exams average grade in the Master’s Degree (max 25/100 points)
4. Curriculum Vitae and Motivational Letter (max 25/100 points)

Applicants will be considered eligible for the ranking with a minimum score of 60/100. In case of equal score, the candidate with the higher final grade in Bachelor Degree will prevail; in case this grade is equal in both candidates, the younger candidate will prevail.

Art. 6 Acceptance
Final results of the selection procedure will be published on the Department of Molecular Biotechnology and Health Sciences website (https://www.dbmss.unito.it/do/home.pl) and on the Molecular Biotechnology Master’s Degree website (https://www.molecularbiotechnology.unito.it/do/home.pl). Within 5 days from the publication of ranking, selected candidates must accept the position by sending an e-mail to international.medtorino@unito.it.

Failure to attend the public acceptance session will lead to the exclusion from the ranking. If a useful position in the ranking is revoked or refused by successful candidates, it will be offered progressively to candidates ranking immediately below.

Art. 7 Participants’ obligations
Students selected for this international mobility programme, failing to achieve the minimum CFU for the first year (59 CFU for the first year in curriculum Translational Biotechnology or 61 CFU in curriculum Diagnostics and Drug Discovery) within the start of the mobility, will not be admitted to the Double Degree Programme with the University of Grenoble Alpes (France).
Selected students must be regularly enrolled and in good standing with tuition fees at the University of Turin; enrolment fees required from the host university will be chargeable to students.

**Art. 8 Financial contribution**

In case of funding availability, selected students can benefit from scholarships dedicated to students selected in DD programmes and funded by the University of Turin. Selected students will be in charge of verifying the availability of possible other scholarships, public or private.

**Art. 9 Covid-19 Emergency**

Actual participation in the mobility programme, and in particular physical mobility to the University of Grenoble Alpes, is conditioned to the absence of contrary provisions related to the COVID-19 emergency.

**Art.10 Insurance**

During the entire period of the exchange, the winner will maintain insurance coverage for civil liability and accidents provided to students of the University of Turin.

When applying to this call for selection, the candidate declares:
- that he/she has verified on the website of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation (www.viaggiaresicuri.it) information related to the safety and health situation of the foreign country where the mobility will take place;
- that he/she has read on the website of the University of Turin (en.unito.it/services/insurance) information regarding insurance policies provided by the University of Turin for third party liability and accidents policies as part of curricular or extracurricular internships carried out in foreign countries;
- to be aware that the policies activated by the University of Turin (third party liability and accident) guarantee the insured, within the limits set by the policies, exclusively during the performance of institutional mobility activities within the time and logistical limits defined by the training project;
- to discharge of any liability the University of Turin, the Department and all their components in case of damage occurred outside the time and logistical limits, and in activities not planned and not directly related to this call.

In relation to the above points, the candidate is advised to consider the opportunity to activate with an insurance company optional policies for full coverage of activities abroad (even outside the time and place of mobility) that provides for direct settlement by the insurance in case of accident, and a health policy / medical care and hospitalization costs policy.

**Art.11 Security**

The mobility programme may be suspended, modified, interrupted or cancelled in case the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation rules unsafe to travel or if the Department, after proper consideration of the parties involved in the mobility project, considers not to send students in the exchange for safety reasons.

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