



UCA JEDI
UNIVERSITÉ CÔTE D'AZUR



INITIATIVE D'EXCELLENCE

International Ph.D. in Economics of University of Côte d'Azur CALL FOR APPLICATIONS

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Brief Description	<p>The UCA international doctoral program in economics offers training on traditional economic disciplines - like microeconomics, macroeconomics, econometrics, financial market analysis, industrial organization - and training on disciplines embedding a complexity-based perspective such as computational economics, experimental economics, the analysis of financial and economic networks, the analysis of dynamical systems. The program aims to form economists combining high-quality research in economics with robust and high-quality knowledge of traditional economic domains and able to use concepts from the complexity-based approach in sciences.</p> <p>The Ph.D. is developed in close collaboration with the Sant'Anna-IUSS Ph.D. in economics, in Pisa (Italy) and with the OFCE-Sciences Po. Training will jointly be offered by the Scuola Superiore Sant'Anna and by the University Côte d'Azur.</p>
Language	English
Duration	4 years
Number of available positions	3 full 4-years scholarships (3+1 years doctoral contracts).
Submission deadline for the application	Interested candidates are requested to submit their applications online by May 15 th , 2018 at 23:59 (CET) at: international.phdineconomics@univ-cotedazur.fr

**Documents
required (to be
attached to the
on-line
application under
penalty of
exclusion)**

Documents to be enclosed to the application form:

a) copy of a valid identity document. (Passport for Non-EU citizens);

b) CV including all the information about education, scientific and professional experience that can demonstrate skills and attitudes to carry out research in economics;

c) publications and any other documentation that may contribute to provide an assessment of the candidate's skills and attitudes;

d) list of courses and transcript of exams taken (in English, French or Italian);

e) copy of the Master's thesis if available (otherwise a copy of the abstract in English, French or Italian). Candidates who have not be awarded a Master diploma yet, and who are expected to get the diploma by July 31st, 2018 can also apply. In this case, candidates must provide a written declaration of their supervisor indicating the date by which they are expected to get the diploma.

f) a research project describing the research that the candidate would like to carry out during the doctoral programme. Once admitted, candidates will be free to change the research topic. The research project is meant to provide some insights into the applicant's interests and capabilities, and is an important element for the assessment of his/her potential;

g) official certifications (TOEFL, IELTS) demonstrating a good knowledge of the English language, if available.

In addition, two reference letters are required from professors or researchers that have a good knowledge of the applicant's performance during his/her university studies. The letters must be sent by the referees to the address international.phdineconomics@univ-cotedazur.fr

by the deadline of May 15th, 2018. The subject of this email must include surname and name of the applicant (e-mails not fulfilling this requirement may not be considered).

The reference letter should provide a clear assessment of the candidate's competences and skills, of his/her potential for doing research, his/her scientific maturity and interests, if possible, in comparative terms with other students attending a PhD Course in Economics known by the

	<p>referees over the last five years. The letter should also indicate the applicant's knowledge of the English language and his/her general attitude to undertake a Ph.D course.</p>
<p>Selection</p>	<p>The assessment is based on the documents submitted by the candidates.</p> <p>The Selection Committee will assign a score from 1 to 100 based on a candidate's academic records, publications, and research project, considering both their quality and their relevance for this PhD Programme.</p> <p>A minimum of 70/100 points is required to be considered eligible for the PhD Programme.</p> <p>Shortlisted candidates will be interviewed by the selection committee.</p>
<p>Schedule of the selection procedures</p>	<p>The decision of the selection committee will be notified to applicants via e-mail by June 30th, 2018.</p>
<p>Information</p>	<p>Please write to: international.phdineconomics@univ-cotedazur.fr</p>