Call for applications for admission to the

Summer School

in “Innovation and Technology Management in Medical and Pharmaceutical Biotechnology”

Campus Bologna

code: (5505)

Academic Year 2018-2019

Deadline for registration: 29/06/2018

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WARNING:
New regulations concerning the validity and use of certificates in the Public Administration came into force on 1 January 2012.
In compliance with the new regulation, the Public Administration cannot accept or request certificates concerning information which is already in the possession of the Italian public administration; only self-certifications will be accepted.
This does not apply to certificates which contain information which is not in the possession of the Italian public administration (e.g. "dichiarazione di valore" for qualifications obtained abroad).
Article 1
(General Information)

The University of Bologna, Bologna campus, pursuant to Decree no. 270 of 22 October 2004, issued by the Ministry of Education, Universities and Research, shall for the academic year 2018-2019 be running the Summer/Winter School in “Innovation and Technology Management in Medical and Pharmaceutical Biotechnology”, lasting 9-13 July 2018, in the Italian/English language, which leads to the award of 5 CFU university learning credits (CFU).

The programme is run in collaboration with FAM.

Learning outcomes: Training biotech students and graduates on basic bio-business concepts, such as product development, intellectual property rights, financing models, has become a prerequisite to their success in the biotechnology business world. However, in the traditional academic environment most of these subjects are not yet taken into account. The summer school aims to address this gap by providing students with useful bio-business competencies that will make them more competitive, and therefore more employable, at European and international level. Representatives from the biotech industry will share their experience and show the students a realistic and reliable picture of today’s job opportunities in biotech companies. Specific group activities will also foster the interactions and connections between the participants, with a view to creating a lasting network between students, universities and industry.

Further information on the objectives, professional context and teaching programme can be found in the Programme presentation sheet published on the website:
http://www.unibo.it/Portale/Offerta+formativa/Summer+and+winter+school/default.htm

Attendance is compulsory. The minimum percentage of attendance is 80%.

Certification of the positive completion of the Programme and the issue of 5 CFU/ECTS is subject to:
- payment of all fee instalments within the established deadlines;
- achievement of a minimum attendance of 80%;
- passing the final examination. The final examination is deemed to be passed with a grade of at least 18 out of 30.

Any exams or progress tests carried out during the Programme, at the end of each module or course unit, shall not be recorded but they will be considered, by the examination board, as an element of evaluation for the final examination.

Applications will be accepted until all places are filled.

The Programme will run with a minimum of 15 and a maximum of 30 enrolled students.

The programme will not run in the event of less than the minimum number students being admitted.

Within five working days from the closure of registrations, the place of teaching will notify students whether the programme will run or not, depending on the number of enrolments.

In the case of non-activation the university will request from all enrolled an IBAN code linked to an account in the name of the student enrolled in order to activate the process of reimbursement of the fees paid.
ATTENTION – It is not possible to refund the fee on an IBAN code NOT linked to an account in the name of the student enrolled.

The refund is paid by the University Accounting Service within 60 days from the date of issue of the order by the Student Administration Office.

Further information on how to obtain a refund can be found on the website: http://www.unibo.it/en/teaching/enrolment-transfer-and-final-examination/tuition-fees-and-exemptions/how-to-obtain-a-refund-for-non-due-fees

Article 2
(Admission requirements)

The programme is reserved for candidates who, by at the time of registration, are in possession of the following qualifications and access requirements:

a) First cycle degree/Bachelor - 180 ECTS (General policies and regulations D.M. 270) in the following course classes: Engineering Management (classe L-9); Biotechnology (classe L-2); Biology (classe L-13); Biomedical Laboratory techniques (classe L/SNT3) or First cycle degree/Bachelor of the same subject area, (General policies and regulations DM 509/99 and previous degree programme system);

b) Second cycle degree/Two year Master - 120 ECTS (General policies and regulations D.M. 270) in the following course classes: Second cycle degree in Medical Biotechnology; Pharmaceutical Biotechnology (LM-9), Health Biology, Molecular and Cell Biology (LM-06) or Second cycle degree/Two year Master of the same subject area, (General policies and regulations DM 509/99 and previous degree programme system).

Other degrees are also accepted, provided they are supported by qualified and documented professional experience or additional documented post-graduate training in the subjects covered by the programme.

The participation of auditors is permitted, the admitted number shall not however exceed 20% of the enrolled students. Anyone interested may express their interest directly to the place of teaching (giovanna.cenacchi@unibo.it) and will be notified directly of the acceptance of their request as well as the details for registration and payment of the programme participation fee, the amount of which is given in art. 5 below. Attendance is not compulsory for auditors. Moreover, Auditors are not permitted to sit the final examination. The Director of the Summer School will issue a certificate of attendance to any auditor which will confirm participation and the hours spent participating.

Article 3
(Registration and delivery of documents)

1. Phase one: online registration
Candidates must:
   a) go to the website http://www.eng.unibo.it/PortaleEn/Online+Services/StudentiOnline.htm
   b) click on Access Studenti Online
   c) enter the login boxes with your Unibo username and password (if you do not have them click on the “Se non sei ancora registrato” Registrati, fill in your tax ID and make registration by entering your personal details and details of your qualifications)
OR

- click on the “International students registration” to create a temporary Italian fiscal code (if you do not possess one)
- register by entering your personal details and details of your qualifications

You will then receive a username and password, which you will need to:

- enrol the programme (click on “Immatricolazioni”)
- pay the single instalment of (120 - one hundred twenty) Euros in one of the following ways:
  - online, using one of the following credit cards (Visa, Mastercard, Diners, American Express);
  - go to any branch of UniCredit Banca with the payment code issued by the Almawelcome system. The bank accepts only cash (within legal limits) or non-transferable circular cheques made out to Unicredit Spa Cassiere Tesorieri Alma Mater Studiorum Università di Bologna; payments are not accepted by postal order or if made to any other credit institute other than the one stated here.

If you are not able to complete the online registration procedure, contact the Helpdesk by calling +39 0512099882 or by sending an e-mail to help.studentionline@unibo.it.

2. phase two: delivery of documents
   - Candidates must deliver by hand or send to the Master's Office (address given in art. 9 below):
     - copy of the qualifications obtained with a list of exams passed, both translated into Italian or English, under the candidate's responsibility;
     - only for candidates possessing a degree obtained abroad, any other documentation deemed useful for assessing the acceptance of the qualification (Diploma Supplement, "dichiarazione di valore", etc.);
     - the registration form, printed from the Studenti on Line system and duly completed and signed;
     - a photocopy of the payment receipt for the single instalment;
     - a front and back copy of a valid identity document;
     - for non-EU citizens, the “Residence Permit” or the “Visa” for study purposes;

These documents must be received no later than 29/06/2018.

Applications made with incomplete documentation will not be accepted.

The payment of the single instalment does not constitute registration. It will be completed by delivery to the Master's Office of the application and required documents (see point 2 of this article) no later than 29/06/2018.

POSTING TO THE MASTERS OFFICE

Documents may be send by registered letter with advice of receipt to the Masters Office: Alma Mater Studiorum – Università di Bologna, Settore Post Lauream, Ufficio Master, via Zamboni, 33 – 40126 Bologna (in this case the postmark shall constitute proof of dispatch).

The University of Bologna will not be liable for any delays in delivery, lost post or incomplete documentation.
Article 4
(Other information concerning registration and delivery of documents)

The University of Bologna will not be liable for lost or misdirected communications due to incorrect addresses given by candidates or the late or non-notification of changes to the address given in the online registration, or for any difficulties in the postal or telegraphic services or any other difficulties which are caused by third parties, acts of providence or force majeure.

In the event of any false declarations made in the documentation presented by the candidates, relevant for the purposes of registration, without prejudice to the penalties laid down in art. 76 of Presidential Decree no. 445 of 28 December 2000, such candidates will not be permitted to register and will not have any right to reimbursement of the fees paid. Any false declarations will be subject to claims for damages by the affected parties.

Article 5
(Tuition fees)

The fee required from students attending the Programme is 120 (one hundred twenty) Euros, to be paid in a single instalment at the time of registration.

The fee for auditors is 70 (seventy) Euros (single instalment on registration).

The Programme is not subject to exemption from registration fees of tuitions fees (as per DPCM 9 April 2001, art. 8, para. 1).

Article 6
(Fee payment by third parties)

The cost of the student's enrolment to the Programme may be borne by third parties (public authorities, foundations, businesses, etc.).

In this case, contact the place of teaching prior to the selection procedure (giovanna.cenacchi@unibo.it) for information on how to pay the fees.

**WARNING** - payment of fees by third parties must be formally recorded (in a letter of commitment or contract) **by the date set for the registration.**

Following payment, the university may issue an accounts receipt excluding VAT pursuant to articles 1 and 4 of Italian Presidential Decree no. 633/1972 and amendments.

Article 7
(Withdrawal from registration)

Any candidates wishing to withdraw from registration, and who decide not to pay the registration fee, must immediately notify the Master’s office in writing by fax at +39 051-2086222 or by mail at master@unibo.it, attaching a front and back copy of their ID document, in order to allow the places to be filled by other candidates.
Article 8
(Withdrawal after registration)

Students who, having paid the registration fee for the Summer School, decide not to participate in the programme, shall not under any circumstances obtain a refund.

For information on withdrawal from studies, consult the UNIBO web page http://www.unibo.it/it/didattica/iscrizioni-trasferimenti-e-laurea/ripresa-e-interruzione-degli-studi/; contact the Master's office to obtain a copy of the withdrawal form (in the methods and to the addresses specified in art. 9 below).

Article 9
(Information, contacts and delivery methods)

For scientific and teaching information (teaching programme, lesson timetable, exams etc.) contact the place of teaching: giovanna.cenacchi@unibo.it.

Any administrative information can be obtained from the Master's Office, Via San Giacomo, 7 - 40126 Bologna - +Tel +39 0512098140 - Fax +39 0512098039 - Email master@unibo.it

Master's Office opening hours:
Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday: 9.00 to 11.15 a.m.
Tuesday and Thursday 2.30 to 3.30 p.m.

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The only method of advertisement of this call for applications are the notices published on the University of Bologna portal www.unibo.it.

The person in charge of the administrative procedure is the Head of Aform - Area della Didattica: dott.ssa Angela Negrini.

Article 10
(Processing of personal data)

The candidates’ personal data will be processed by the University of Bologna, the Data Controller, for the purpose of managing the call for applications and within the field of the activities described in the privacy policy for students intending to register for a professional master's degree programme, published on the University Portal (http://www.unibo.it/it/privacy-e-note-legali/privacy/privacy-master) in compliance with the principles and provisions on the protection of personal data and confidentiality laid down in Italian Legislative Decree no. 196 of 30 June 2003.

Bologna, 27/04/2018
La Dirigente
(Dott.ssa Angela Negrini)