

Questionario di Valutazione della Didattica

Satisfaction Questionnaire for Doctoral Students a.y. 20XX/20XX

SECTION A

1 Does the PhD programme include structured educational activities (courses, seminars, laboratories)?

Only an answer, among the following:

A ☐ YES

B ☐ NO

SECTION A

2 Is the educational activity distinct from the one imparted in courses relating to master's degree courses? (the question refers to the mandatory educational activity for all doctoral students)
(please answer only if the PhD programme include structured educational activities)

Only an answer, among the following:

A ☐ YES

B ☐ NO

SECTION A

3 Did the educational activity also include additional modules? (by «additional modules» we mean modules or course parts specific to the topics presented in answers A and B of this questionnaire)
(more than one answer possible; please answer only if the PhD programme include structured educational activities)

More than one answer possible:

A ☐ YES, modules of interdisciplinary, multidisciplinary, transdisciplinary interest

B ☐ YES, modules related to entrepreneurship, access to competitive funding, publication and valorisation/ dissemination of research results

C ☐ NO

SECTION A

4 What are the methods envisaged for ongoing assessments of the educational activity during the PhD programme?
(more than one answer possible; please answer only if the PhD programme include structured educational activities)

More than one answer possible:

A ☐ Written exam

B ☐ Oral exam

C ☐ Practice test

D ☐ None

SECTION A

5 What are the methods envisaged to monitor the research activity during the PhD programme?
(more than one answer possible)

More than one answer possible:

- A ☐ Presentation of individual results related to the research activity
- B ☐ Presentation of group results related to the research activity
- C ☐ Evaluation of the progress of the thesis work at the end of the year

SECTION A

6 Have you used or are you using the additional budget envisaged by Ministerial Decree 226/2021 of at least 10% for research activities?

Only an answer, among the following:

- A ☐ YES
- B ☐ NO
- C ☐ NO, as my contract does not provide for it

SECTION A

7 Have you spent, are you spending or do you intend to spend periods of study or research abroad, consistent with the training project?

Only an answer, among the following:

- A ☐ YES
- B ☐ NO

SECTION A

8 Have you used or are you using or do you intend to use the scholarship increase of up to 50% for mobility periods abroad?
(please answer only if you have spent, you are spending or you intend to spend periods of study or research abroad)

Only an answer, among the following:

- A ☐ YES (as scholarship holder)
- B ☐ YES (as no scholarship holder)
- C ☐ NO (as scholarship holder)
- D ☐ NO (as no scholarship holder)

SECTION A

9 Why did you not choose to spend periods of study or research abroad during the PhD course?
(more than one answer possible; please don't answer if you have spent, you are spending or you intend to spend periods of study or research abroad)

More than one answer possible:

- A ☐ The educational opportunities offered in this PhD programme are adequate and do not require additional experience in foreign institutions

B	<input type="checkbox"/> I have not received authorization from the Teaching Board
C	<input type="checkbox"/> I have not identified a structure in which I was interested or available to welcome me
D	<input type="checkbox"/> I was not aware of this possibility
E	<input type="checkbox"/> Not being a scholarship holder, specific funding was not envisaged for activities abroad, or the ones envisaged were not sufficient
F	<input type="checkbox"/> The methods of money disbursement did not allow me to leave
G	<input type="checkbox"/> Other

SECTION A

10 If you have answered «Other» to the previous question 9, then please provide more detail:
(please answer only if relevant)

Free text answer

SECTION A

11 Have you spent, are you spending or do you intend to spend periods of study or research, consistent with the educational project at national research institutions, companies, public administrations?

Only an answer, among the following:

- A** ☐ Yes, at research institutions
B ☐ YES, at companies
C ☐ YES, at public administrations
D ☐ NO

SECTION A

12 Have you received or are you receiving financial support for periods at research institutions, companies, public administrations?
(please answer only if you have spent, you are spending or you intend to spend periods of study or research, consistent with the educational project at national research institutions, companies, public administrations)

Only an answer, among the following:

- A** ☐ YES (as scholarship holder)
B ☐ YES (as no scholarship holder)
C ☐ NO (as scholarship holder)
D ☐ NO (as no scholarship holder)

SECTION A

13 Why did you not choose to spend periods of study or research at research institutions, companies, public administrations during the PhD programme?
(more than one answer possible; please answer only if relevant)

More than one answer possible:

- A** ☐ The educational opportunities offered in this PhD programme are adequate and do not require additional experience at research institutions, companies, public administrations
B ☐ I have not received authorization from the Teaching Board
C ☐ I have not identified a structure in which I was interested or available to welcome me
D ☐ I was not aware of this possibility
E ☐ Not being a scholarship holder, specific funding was not envisaged for activities abroad, or the ones envisaged were not sufficient

F <input type="checkbox"/> The methods of money disbursement did not allow me to leave
G <input type="checkbox"/> Other

SECTION A

14 If you have answered «Other» to the previous question 13, then please provide more detail:
(please answer only if relevant)

Free text answer

SECTION A

15 Is there a work space for PhD students in the location of your PhD programme?

Only an answer, among the following:

A ☐ Yes, with workstations for individual doctoral students

B ☐ YES, with shared workstations

c ☐ YES, a shared space without workstations

D ☐ NO

SECTION A

16 Have you carried out or are you currently carrying out teaching or teaching support activities during your PhD programme?

Only an answer, among the following:

A ☐ Y, ordinary lectures

B ☐ YES, supplementary activities (practices, seminars or tutoring activities)

C ☐ YES, both ordinary lectures and supplementary activities

D ☐ NO

SECTION A

17 During the PhD programme, were research activities carried out jointly with other universities?

Only an answer, among the following:

A ☐ YES

B ☐ NO

SECTION A

18 During the PhD programme, have research activities been carried out that have promoted technology transfer in collaboration with companies?

Only an answer, among the following:

A ☐ YES

B ☐ NO

19 **SECTION B - Education (please answer only if the PhD programme include structured educational activities)**
(please indicate your degree of agreement with the following statement by using a ranking from 1 to 10, where 1 corresponds to "strongly disagree" and 10 to

"strongly agree"; you can choose N/A to not answer)

Educational activities are exhaustive and consistent with the main topics of the PhD course

A value from 1 to 10



SECTION B - Education (please answer only if the PhD programme include structured educational activities)

20 ***(please indicate your degree of agreement with the following statement by using a ranking from 1 to 10, where 1 corresponds to "strongly disagree" and 10 to "strongly agree"; you can choose N/A to not answer)***

Topics dealt with during the training activities are in-depth and updated

A value from 1 to 10



SECTION B - Education (please answer only if the PhD programme include structured educational activities)

21 ***(please indicate your degree of agreement with the following statement by using a ranking from 1 to 10, where 1 corresponds to "strongly disagree" and 10 to "strongly agree"; you can choose N/A to not answer)***

Educational activities are useful to develop PhD thesis

A value from 1 to 10



SECTION B - Education (please answer only if the PhD programme include structured educational activities)

22 ***(please indicate your degree of agreement with the following statement by using a ranking from 1 to 10, where 1 corresponds to "strongly disagree" and 10 to "strongly agree"; you can choose N/A to not answer)***

The workload required by structured educational activities (courses, seminars, laboratories) allows me to adequately devote myself to research activity and to my thesis

A value from 1 to 10



SECTION B - Education (please answer only if the PhD programme include structured educational activities)

23 *(please indicate your degree of agreement with the following statement by using a ranking from 1 to 10, where 1 corresponds to "strongly disagree" and 10 to "strongly agree"; you can choose N/A to not answer)*

In progress evaluations (exams, presentations, papers) are carefully and seriously carried out

A value from 1 to 10



SECTION B - Education (please answer only if the PhD programme include structured educational activities)

24 *(please indicate your degree of agreement with the following statement by using a ranking from 1 to 10, where 1 corresponds to "strongly disagree" and 10 to "strongly agree"; you can choose N/A to not answer)*

Overall, I am satisfied with the offered educational activities

A value from 1 to 10



SECTION B - Experiences abroad (please answer only if you have spent, you are spending or you intend to spend periods of study or research abroad)

25 *(please indicate your degree of agreement with the following statement by using a ranking from 1 to 10, where 1 corresponds to "strongly disagree" and 10 to "strongly agree"; you can choose N/A to not answer)*

During the PhD programme I received adequate information and support from professors about carrying out experiences abroad

A value from 1 to 10



SECTION B - Experiences abroad (please answer only if you have spent, you are spending or you intend to spend periods of study or research abroad)

26 *(please indicate your degree of agreement with the following statement by using a ranking from 1 to 10, where 1 corresponds to "strongly disagree" and 10 to "strongly agree"; you can choose N/A to not answer)*

The support received from the home university for the period of study or research abroad was satisfactory

A value from 1 to 10



SECTION B - Experiences abroad (please answer only if you have spent, you are spending or you intend to spend periods of study or research abroad)
(please indicate your degree of agreement with the following statement by using a ranking from 1 to 10, where 1 corresponds to "strongly disagree" and 10 to "strongly agree"; you can choose N/A to not answer)

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The support received from the host university/institution for the period of study or research abroad was satisfactory

A value from 1 to 10



SECTION B - Experiences abroad (please answer only if you have spent, you are spending or you intend to spend periods of study or research abroad)
(please indicate your degree of agreement with the following statement by using a ranking from 1 to 10, where 1 corresponds to "strongly disagree" and 10 to "strongly agree"; you can choose N/A to not answer)

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Overall, I am satisfied with the period of study or research abroad

A value from 1 to 10

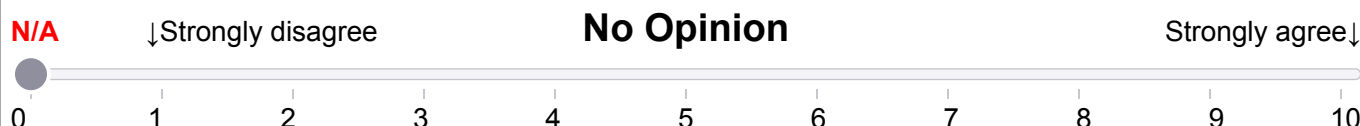


SECTION B - Experiences in other National Research Institutions/Enterprises/ Public Administrations (please answer only if relevant)
(please indicate your degree of agreement with the following statement by using a ranking from 1 to 10, where 1 corresponds to "strongly disagree" and 10 to "strongly agree"; you can choose N/A to not answer)

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During the PhD programme I received adequate information and support from professors about carrying out experiences in other National Research Institutions/Enterprises/Public Administrations

A value from 1 to 10



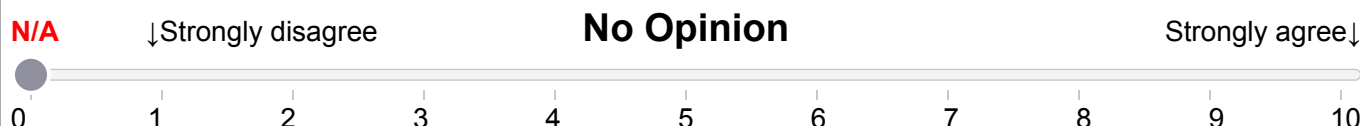
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SECTION B - Experiences in other National Research Institutions/Enterprises/**Public Administrations (please answer only if relevant)**

(please indicate your degree of agreement with the following statement by using a ranking from 1 to 10, where 1 corresponds to "strongly disagree" and 10 to "strongly agree"; you can choose N/A to not answer)

The support received from the home university for the period of study or research in other National Research Institutions/Enterprises/Public Administrations was satisfactory

A value from 1 to 10



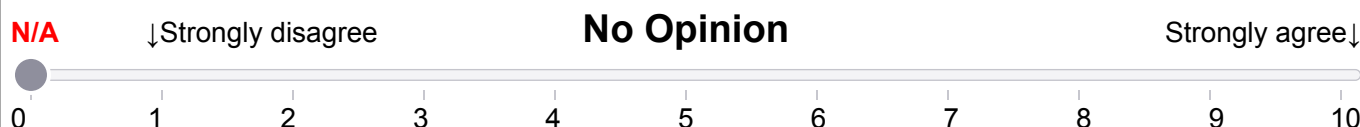
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SECTION B - Experiences in other National Research Institutions/Enterprises/**Public Administrations (please answer only if relevant)**

(please indicate your degree of agreement with the following statement by using a ranking from 1 to 10, where 1 corresponds to "strongly disagree" and 10 to "strongly agree"; you can choose N/A to not answer)

The support received from the host university/institution for the period of study or research in other National Research Institutions/Enterprises/Public Administrations was satisfactory

A value from 1 to 10



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SECTION B - Experiences in other National Research Institutions/Enterprises/**Public Administrations (please answer only if relevant)**

(please indicate your degree of agreement with the following statement by using a ranking from 1 to 10, where 1 corresponds to "strongly disagree" and 10 to "strongly agree"; you can choose N/A to not answer)

Overall, I am satisfied with the period of study or research in other National Research Institutions/Enterprises/Public Administrations

A value from 1 to 10



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SECTION B - Didactic activity that the PhD student carries out (please answer only if you have carried out or you are currently carrying out teaching or teaching support activities during your PhD programme)

(please indicate your degree of agreement with the following statement by using a ranking from 1 to 10, where 1 corresponds to "strongly disagree" and 10 to "strongly agree"; you can choose N/A to not answer)

The didactic activity that I carry out is useful for me from an educational point of view

A value from 1 to 10



SECTION B - Didactic activity that the PhD student carries out (please answer only if you have carried out or you are currently carrying out teaching or teaching support activities during your PhD programme)

34 *(please indicate your degree of agreement with the following statement by using a ranking from 1 to 10, where 1 corresponds to "strongly disagree" and 10 to "strongly agree"; you can choose N/A to not answer)*

The workload required by the teaching activity that I carry out allows me to adequately devote myself to research activity and to my thesis

A value from 1 to 10



SECTION B - Structures and tools

35 *(please indicate your degree of agreement with the following statement by using a ranking from 1 to 10, where 1 corresponds to "strongly disagree" and 10 to "strongly agree"; you can choose N/A to not answer)*

The classrooms and spaces used for the educational activity are adequate (you can see, hear, there is space)

A value from 1 to 10



SECTION B - Structures and tools

36 *(please indicate your degree of agreement with the following statement by using a ranking from 1 to 10, where 1 corresponds to "strongly disagree" and 10 to "strongly agree"; you can choose N/A to not answer)*

The personal space reserved for doctoral students is adequate (dimensions, equipment, etc.). Please answer only if relevant

A value from 1 to 10



SECTION B - Structures and tools

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(please indicate your degree of agreement with the following statement by using a ranking from 1 to 10, where 1 corresponds to "strongly disagree" and 10 to "strongly agree"; you can choose N/A to not answer)

Library services are suitable to my needs

A value from 1 to 10



SECTION B - Structures and tools

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(please indicate your degree of agreement with the following statement by using a ranking from 1 to 10, where 1 corresponds to "strongly disagree" and 10 to "strongly agree"; you can choose N/A to not answer)

Computer equipment and network connections are adequate for all the activities carried out

A value from 1 to 10



SECTION B - Structures and tools

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(please indicate your degree of agreement with the following statement by using a ranking from 1 to 10, where 1 corresponds to "strongly disagree" and 10 to "strongly agree"; you can choose N/A to not answer)

The equipment necessary for research is adequate and accessible

A value from 1 to 10



SECTION B - Structures and tools

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(please indicate your degree of agreement with the following statement by using a ranking from 1 to 10, where 1 corresponds to "strongly disagree" and 10 to "strongly agree"; you can choose N/A to not answer)

I am satisfied with the support provided by the secretarial offices

A value from 1 to 10



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SECTION B - Transparency and involvement

(please indicate your degree of agreement with the following statement by using a ranking from 1 to 10, where 1 corresponds to "strongly disagree" and 10 to "strongly agree"; you can choose N/A to not answer)

Information relating to educational activities is always up-to-date

A value from 1 to 10



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SECTION B - Transparency and involvement

(please indicate your degree of agreement with the following statement by using a ranking from 1 to 10, where 1 corresponds to "strongly disagree" and 10 to "strongly agree"; you can choose N/A to not answer)

Information relating to research activities is always up-to-date

A value from 1 to 10



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SECTION B - Transparency and involvement

(please indicate your degree of agreement with the following statement by using a ranking from 1 to 10, where 1 corresponds to "strongly disagree" and 10 to "strongly agree"; you can choose N/A to not answer)

PhD students are involved in planning these activities

A value from 1 to 10



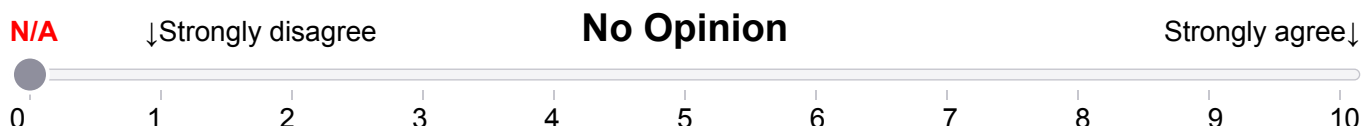
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SECTION B - Transparency and involvement

(please indicate your degree of agreement with the following statement by using a ranking from 1 to 10, where 1 corresponds to "strongly disagree" and 10 to "strongly agree"; you can choose N/A to not answer)

Information relating to deadlines and administrative procedures is always up-to-date

A value from 1 to 10



SECTION B - Supervision

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(please indicate your degree of agreement with the following statement by using a ranking from 1 to 10, where 1 corresponds to "strongly disagree" and 10 to "strongly agree"; you can choose N/A to not answer)

Thesis project supervisor is available and contactable

A value from 1 to 10



SECTION B - Supervision

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(please indicate your degree of agreement with the following statement by using a ranking from 1 to 10, where 1 corresponds to "strongly disagree" and 10 to "strongly agree"; you can choose N/A to not answer)

The supervisor involves me in research activities related to my doctoral thesis

A value from 1 to 10



SECTION B - Supervision

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(please indicate your degree of agreement with the following statement by using a ranking from 1 to 10, where 1 corresponds to "strongly disagree" and 10 to "strongly agree"; you can choose N/A to not answer)

The supervisor helps me build a scientific collaboration network

A value from 1 to 10



SECTION B - Overall assessment

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(please indicate your degree of agreement with the following statement by using a ranking from 1 to 10, where 1 corresponds to "strongly disagree" and 10 to "strongly agree"; you can choose N/A to not answer)

To date, I am overall satisfied with the PhD programme

A value from 1 to 10

