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In the first year of the programme students take advanced core courses in microeconomics, macroeconomics, finance and econometrics. After choosing their field of specialization, the subsequent three years are entirely dedicated to research, including attendance and presentation at departmental seminars.

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The official deadline for online application is **4:00 p.m., April 30, 2020**. Detailed information about scholarships and admission procedures can be found at <https://economia.uniroma2.it/phd/ef/call-for-application/>.

The selection of candidates is based on

- the evaluation of the candidate's profile, based on the following documentation:
 - a) Research proposal (to be uploaded as pdf on <http://delphi.uniroma2.it>)
 - b) Curriculum vitae (to be uploaded as pdf on <http://delphi.uniroma2.it>)
 - c) Official transcript of M.Sc. courses and grades (to be uploaded as pdf on <http://delphi.uniroma2.it>)
 - d) Publications (optional, to be uploaded as pdf on <http://delphi.uniroma2.it>)
 - e) Reference letters (two, preferably, to be sent to info@phdef.uniroma2.it, before the deadline)
 - f) English language proficiency certificate (IELTS and TOEFL, to be uploaded as pdf on <http://delphi.uniroma2.it>).
 - g) GRE or GMAT score (optional, to be uploaded as pdf on <http://delphi.uniroma2.it>)
- A personal interview.

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