Academic Cooperation Agreement Politecnico di Bari (Italy) - University of Nice Sophia Antipolis – University Coté d'Azur (France)

<u>Double Degree in Internet Engineering</u> Selection of candidates

For the Academic Year 2021/22, Politecnico di Bari will select up to ten students that wish to the Double Degree program in Internet Engineering, established in partnership with Université Nice-Sophia Antipolis / Université Côte d'Azur:

- "Master in Computer Science track Internet Engineering" + "Laurea Magistrale in Ingegneria Informatica";
- 2) "Master in Computer Science track Internet Engineering" + "Laurea Magistrale in Ingegneria delle Telecomunicazioni".

The commission in charge of the selection procedure will be appointed by the Director of DEI.

Mandatory requirements for applicants are:

 to be enrolled at "Corso di Laurea Magistrale in Ingegneria Informatica" or "Corso di Laurea Magistrale in Ingegneria delle Telecomunicazioni"

or

- 1. to be enrolled at "Corso di Laurea in Ingegneria Informatica e dell'Automazione" or "Corso di Laurea in Ingegneria Elettronica e delle Telecomunicazioni";
- 2. to have an average weighted rank not less than 24/30;
- 3. to have passed at least 150 ECTS.

<u>List of selected candidates</u> is done by summing:

- the graduation rank achieved with the Bachelor's degree, expressed in /110, (for graduate applicants);
- the average weighted examination ranks, expressed in /30, multiplied by 4 (for undergraduate applicants);
- evaluation of the Curriculum Vitae et Studiorum (up to 6 points).

Important dates

- Within November 16th, applicants should submit the filled in and signed annex to the Registry Office (Ufficio Protocollo) of the DEI Department:
 - by hand delivery, Secretary of Department DEI, or
 - by registered mail, at the following address:

Dipartimento di Ingegneria Elettrica e dell'Informazione - Politecnico di Bari - Via E. Orabona, 4 - I-70125 Bari – Italy, or

- by PEC at dei.poliba@legalmail.it

Applications received by the Department after November 16th will not be taken into consideration.

Within one month from the publication of the list of the selected candidates, applicants must present a personalized study program, according to the annex of the Double Degree agreement and to the current teaching programs at "Politecnico di Bari" and University of Nice Sophia Antipolis / University Coté d'Azur (France). The study program should encompass at least one semester, plus a co-tutored thesis to be spent at the receiving institution. The programs will be

validated first by "Dipartimento di Ingegneria Elettrica e dell'Informazione - (DEI)" and then by the University of Nice Sophia Antipolis (France) / University Coté d'Azur (France).

Further information and requirements for selected students

- 4. Students selected for the DD program will not automatically receive a financial grant to cover the costs of the mobility (travel, accommodation, etc.). They can participate in the selection for the award of an Erasmus+ Grant for Student Mobility (Erasmus+ SMS Grant).
- 5. Regardless of the actual award of an Erasmus+ SMS Grant, students participating in the DD program must perform the mobility in strict observation of the ECTS rules, as set in the ECTS Users' Guide, http://ec.europa.eu/education/library/publications/2015/ects-users-guide_en.pdf (see especially Section 4 "ECTS for mobility and credit recognition", and Section 7 "ECTS and supporting documents"). In particular:
 - 5.1. The plan of didactic activities, (Learning Agreement) must be officially approved by DEI before starting the mobility. The competent body for approving individual study plans is the DEI Executive Board ("Giunta DEI"). Possible changes to the plan must also be officially approved by DEI.
 - 5.2. The didactic activities successfully performed in the Partner University will be recognized by DEI, and recorded in the students' career, after reception of an official document from the Partner University (Transcript of Record)
 - 5.3. The whole process must be managed under the administrative supervision of the International Relations Office of Politecnico di Bari, via Amendola 126/B, 70125 Bari (office hours for students: 11.30-13:30). The Head of the Office is Dr. Rosilda Sammarco, rosilda.sammarco@poliba.it. The staff of the office can be contacted a international@poliba.it.
 - 5.4. The whole process must be managed under the academical supervision of prof. Tiziano Politi (Erasmus+ Coordinator of DEI for outgoing students), tiziano.politi@poliba.it, and prof. Alfredo Grieco (DD academic coordinator), alfredo.grieco@poliba.it.
 - 5.5. Mobility students must contact the administrative and the academic supervisors for all the formal steps and the decisions concerning their mobility.

Il Direttore del Dipartimento di Ingegneria Elettrica e dell'Informazione

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