

Schedule for the 2026 competition:

February 20, 2026: Deadline for thesis supervisors to enter thesis topics on ADUM. Individual logins for the ADUM website and practical instructions for entering information will have been sent in advance to all HDRs affiliated with the ED.

February 27, 2026: Deadline for laboratory supervisors to submit the list of priority thesis topics.

March 3, 2026: The doctoral school will publish the topics submitted on ADUM online.

May 4, 2026: Application deadline

>>> Eligibility criteria:

The application must be complete and submitted electronically in a single PDF file. The application form must be signed by the candidate, the thesis supervisor, and the director of the host laboratory or their representative.

June 1, 2026: Eligibility panel (based on written applications)

June 24-25, 2026: Interviews (dates to be finalized based on the number of applicants)

Format: 10-minute presentation of the M2 research internship and thesis project; 15-minute discussion with the jury. In-person interviews, but video conferencing is also an option.

June 29, 2026: Publication of admissions