

**UNIVERSITY OF THE AEGEAN**

**SCHOOL OF ENVIRONMENT**

**DEPARTMENT OF MARINE SCIENCES**

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**CALL FOR PH.D. APPLICATIONS IN THE DEPARTMENT OF MARINE SCIENCES**

The Department of Marine Sciences of the University of the Aegean, is now accepting applications for admission to the Ph.D. Program in:

* Oceanography
* Management of Marine Biological Resources
* Coastal Applications and Geo-informatics
* Management of Catchment and Coastal Areas
* Biodiversity Conservation
* Quality of the Marine Environment

The duration of studies must be at least six (6) semesters. Master’s degree graduates related to the above subjects of Greek or foreign Universities, can apply. In exceptional cases (long track in research and academic activities CV), an applicant may be accepted without having a MSc degree.

The deadline for submission has been extended. Candidates are invited to a personal interview by the Evaluation Committee which be held on **September 26th, 2014** (Friday) at 10:00 a.m. at the Department of Marine Sciences. For candidates who are not able to be present, the procedure will be via video-interview (via SKYPE, or e-presence). Applications should submit until **September 19th, 2014** (postmarked) to the Secretariat of the Department of Marine Sciences at, Building of Marine Sciences - University Hill, Mytilene 81100, (tel. +30 22510-36862, fax +30 22510-36809, e-mail: msc\_cm@marine.aegean.gr) the following documents:

1. Application

2. Curriculum Vitae

3. A copy of Bachelor's degree

4. A copy of transcript of undergraduate courses

5. A copy of Master’s degree

6. A copy of transcript of postgraduate courses

7. Certification of competent in English language (basic, advanced or excellent) or another language of the European Union

8. Photocopy of identity card (or passport)

9. Two (2) photographs

10. Two (2) reference letters

11. Copies of any scientific publications, monographs, etc (electronic version in a CD).

In case the qualifications granted by foreign Universities, the applicants should be validated them by the Greek organization entitled [D.O.A.T.A.P.](http://www.doatap.gr/) (if selected).

Finally, candidates may submit any other information, which according to their opinion would contribute to the Evaluation Committee to form a more complete overview of the scientific and research identity.

In addition to the above documents, applicants should submit **a short draft proposal Dissertation** (up to 250 words) which will contain:

(a) The reasons why the candidate wishes to conduct a doctoral research

(b) Approximate issue and/or targets (or basic questions) on doctoral research

Candidates are strongly advised to contact a potential supervisor from the Academic Staff of the Dept. prior making a formal application.

The Head of the Department of Marine Sciences

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