



ADMISSION TO DOCTORAL STUDIES

Session September 2025

Field of doctoral studies: COMPUTERS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

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TOPICS FOR THE ADMISSION TO DOCTORAL STUDIES

TOPIC 1: *Challenges of digitizing intangible cultural heritage*

Content / Main aspects to be considered:

- Statement/justification/SOA, objectives, methodology, available technology, expected output, timeline (Gantt diagram)

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Prerequisites / Remarks: NA

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