



**DOCTORATE COURSE:**  
**"Biotechnology and smart practices for a sustainable management of natural  
resources, food and agriculture"**

**INDIVIDUAL EDUCATIONAL PLAN**

**CYCLE XXXVIII**

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<b>CURRICULUM</b>	<b>1 Sustainable Agriculture, Natural Resources and Biodiversity</b> ■ <b>2 Emerging Technologies for Ensuring Food Quality and Safety</b> □
<b>AREA OF RESEARCH INTEREST</b>	<p>The object of the research project is the "Upcycling of organic matter through combined biochemical (anaerobic digestion) and thermochemical (pyrogasification) processes". In particular, it will develop along three contextual guidelines:</p> <p>a) Biogas treatment for upgrading purposes (<math>H_2S</math> and <math>CO_2</math> adsorbition), developing and using low-cost technologies based on solid and liquid state adsorbent matrices; including also the possibility of obtaining hydrogen gas from treatment processes;</p> <p>b) development and test of techniques for the extraction and recovery of nutrients (mainly N and P) from digestate and, in general, optimization</p>



	of the management processes of the digestate;  c) pyrolysis of residual biomass aimed at obtaining carbonaceous matrices to be tested for the biogas upgrading and purification processes.
<b>PROVISIONAL TITLE of the RESEARCH PROJECT</b>	"Upcycling of organic matter through combined biochemical (anaerobic digestion) and thermochemical (pyrogasification) processes"
<b>DOCTORAL SCHOLARSHIP</b>	Ateneo <input type="checkbox"/> DM 351 <input type="checkbox"/> DM 352 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PNRR Agritech <input type="checkbox"/> Comunale <input type="checkbox"/>
<b>TRAINING PERIOD OUTSIDE UNIFG (company, other Italian Institution)</b>	Sistemi Energetici SpA, Foggia (Italy)  (6 months)
<b>TRAINING PERIOD ABROAD</b>	Technical University of Denmark, Copenhagen, Denmark  (6 months)

MANDATORY COURSES	YEAR OF COURSE	CV	HOURS/CREDITS	PROFESSOR
Informative systems and data elaboration : descriptive statistics	1 <sup>st</sup>	1, 2	16 HR/2 ECTS	Fabio SANTERAMO
Informative systems and data elaboration : experimental design	1 <sup>st</sup>	1, 2	24 HR/3 ECTS	Giuseppe GATTA
Basics of programming	1 <sup>st</sup>	1, 2	16 HR/2 ECTS	Annalisa MASTROSERIO
Advanced statistic	2 <sup>nd</sup>	1, 2	20 HR/ 2 ECTS	Massimo MONTELEONE
OPTIONAL COURSES at choice at least 2 (4 ECTS)	YEAR OF COURSE	CV	HOURS/CREDITS	PROFESSOR and INSTITUTION
Trends in analytical techniques for quality and safety controls in the agro-food sector	2 <sup>nd</sup>	1	16 ore/ 2 CFU	Maurizio Quinto
Green economy :aspetti economici, sociali e ambientali	2 <sup>nd</sup>	1	20 ore/ 2 CFU	Antonio Stasi
Research methods: aspetti teorici e applicazioni al settore agro-alimentare	1 <sup>st</sup>	1	20 ore/ 2 CFU	Francesco Bimbo



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