

# PERCORSI FORMATIVI MASTER DEGREE IN ASTRONOMY AND ASTROPHYSICS

The "percorso formativo" is the list of exams a student plans to take in one or more academic years. For the master degree, the percorso formativo is articulated in curricula, which define the branch of physics in which the students would like to specialize their learning.

Master students have to submit a percorso formativo in one of the two time slots below:

**October 18th – December 10th 2021**

**February 1st –February 20th 2022**

Before the curriculum selection, which is performed through the submission of the percorso formativo, students can sustain only exams corresponding to compulsory exams.

Students presenting their percorso formativo in the first time slot (October 10th-December 18th) won't be able to modify it within the second time slot in February. **The percorso formativo can be submitted only once in an academic year.**

Students will organise their percorso formativo making use of the attached tables and rules. For each curriculum, they will have to chose the "principal" sets of lectures ("insegnamenti caratterizzanti") and some other integrative courses ("insegnamenti affini-integrativi" ) concerning the same subjects as the "insegnamenti caratterizzanti", according to what is indicated in the tables. For example, "gruppo A" in the table means that the student will have to chose that exam among the ones listed under "gruppo A". The general rule for the percorso formativo compilation is a good balance in terms of weights of courses and lectures throughout the semesters: only percorsi formativi with at least two course and at most four courses in the second year will be accepted.

In the percorso formativo compilation process, students need to pay attention to the fact that the exams grouping (gruppo A, B, C) have been changing throughout the different academic years within the single curriculum, and the curricula have changed as well. Students enrolled in different academic years will therefore find different curricula and/or different exams grouping. **Students need to use their own academic year table as reference for the percorso formativo compilation.**

Optional exams (two for all the curricula) can be chosen among the several courses active within the Physics master degree and the Astrophysics and Astronomy master degree, or among all the courses active in whichever bachelor or master degree course in the whole university, provided the approval of the percorso formativo referee, who will evaluate the cultural coherence of the presented percorso formativo. It is not possible to select, as optional master degree exam, a course of the bachelor degree in Physics. The submission of an individual percorso formativo is possible within a certain curriculum: this means that optional exams can be chosen outside the standard groups, meanwhile compulsory exams cannot be modified. Individual percorsi formativi, which have to be justified and explained, must be discussed with the curriculum referee.

The percorsi formativi will be reviewed by curriculum referee: Prof. M. De Petris.