

FINAL EXAMINATION ADDITIONAL REGULATIONS FOR THE LAUREA MAGISTRALE – LM  
(EQUIVALENT TO MASTER OF SCIENCE) STUDY PROGRAMME IN LANDSCAPE  
ARCHITECTURE LAND LANDSCAPE HERITAGE

**Introduction - Scope of Application**

This document, as expressly provided for in Article 8.3 (Additional Regulations) of the Additional Regulations for the final BCs and MSc examination of the School of Architecture, Urban Planning Construction Engineering of Politecnico di Milano, supplements said regulations and specifies and details the instructions for the MSc Programme in Landscape Architecture. Land Landscape Heritage. The numbering of the articles of these Additional Regulations follows the School Regulations for those articles which require detail.

**Art. 3.2 (Final Examination)**

a) Laurea Magistrale - LM (equivalent to Master of Science) Landscape Architecture Land Landscape Heritage Programme final examination consists of the presentation and discussion of a Thesis by the graduating student originally prepared under a Supervisor's guidance (Law 270/04, Art. 11 paragraph 15). The thesis may be a theoretical, experimental or design work and selects and develops a theme consistent with the Study Programme objectives.

b) The thesis may be developed according to the following formal guidelines:

1. Volume (containing texts and any illustrations in addition to the bibliography, webliography and iconographical references) possibly accompanied by attachments (e.g. cartographic drawings, drawings of different formats, complements and audiovisual links), in a format compatible with the University's delivery and archiving methods.
2. Tables, models and the volume (which may be a summary, but contain an illustrated report, significant extracts or tables reductions and bibliography, webliography and iconographical references), in a format compatible with the University's delivery and archiving methods.

c) The thesis consistency and timing must be coherent with the number of credits allocated for the final examination and the official duration of the MSc programme: the Supervisor is responsible for this consistency.

d) As a rule, the thesis is to be individually written. Theses written by two applicants are permitted if the individual contribution of each is recognisable. Theses written by more than two applicants are not permitted.

e) Under the AUIC School regulations, a thesis drawn up by two students from two different MSc Programmes may only be submitted after a request has been accepted by the Coordinators of both Study Programmes at least 90 days before the exam session.

**Art. 5.1 - (Laurea Magistrale - LM (equivalent to Master of Science) Programme final examination: The Supervisor and Co-supervisor)**

MSc Programme in Landscape Architecture. Land Landscape Heritage allows Theses with a Co-supervisor according to the procedures provided for by the School Regulations. The Co-supervisor is chosen in agreement with the Supervisor and is a recognised field expert or a professor of another Italian or foreign University or research institution. To be discussed, the thesis must be approved by the Supervisor, with the agreement of the Co-supervisor. The final thesis approval via the Politecnico di Milano application is the Supervisor's sole responsibility.

**Art. 6 (Final Examination: Thesis presentation and discussion)**

During the final examination, for the MSc in Landscape Architecture Land Landscape Heritage, the applicant will discuss the thesis contents with a presentation lasting 30 minutes, introducing graphic works and any models, possibly using multimedia supports (e.g., PowerPoint presentation, pdf). The 20-minute presentation is followed by a 10-minute discussion with the Degree Examination Board members. For Theses presented jointly by two applicants, the time allowed from the presentation and discussion is the same as that for the individual applicants. At least two Thesis copies must be submitted to the Board during the final examination.