STUDENT CALL FOR APPLICATIONS
Apple Developer Academy
Document reference: AppleDeveloperAcademyCall_22_23

GIVEN the Law of August 2nd, 1990, n. 241 “Nuove norme in materia di procedimento amministrativo e di diritto di accesso ai documenti amministrativi” [“New regulations on administrative procedure and the right of access to administrative documents”] and subsequent amendments and / or additions;

GIVEN the applicable University Statute;

GIVEN the Regulation (EU) 2016/679 of the European Parliament and of the Council on the protection of natural persons with regard to the processing of personal data - hereinafter EU Regulation 2016/679 - relating to the protection of individuals with regard to the processing of personal data, and the related National legislation of the Code regarding the protection of personal data, Legislative Decree N. 196/2003, as modified and integrated by Legislative Decree No. 101/2018;

CONSIDERING the Regulation of the University of Naples Federico II regarding the processing of personal data, issued with D.R. 1226/2021;

CONSIDERING the Scientific and Technological Cooperation Agreement signed between the University of Naples Federico II and Apple, for the establishment of the Apple Developer Academy, for the training in the development of new applications and digital services, with the purpose - among others - to provide students admitted to the Apple Developer Academy with the necessary skills to become “developers” of innovative apps, i.e., professionals who can design, implement and commercialize innovative services on Apple technological platforms;

CONSIDERING that, as provided for by the aforesaid Scientific and Technological Cooperation Agreement and the Exhibit A – Project Addendum 1, the students will be admitted to the Apple Developer Academy after passing a specific selection;

GIVEN the Administration Board decree of 25th July 2016 and 27th October 2016 and subsequents with which the administrative and accounting management of the Apple Developer Academy courses has been entrusted to the “Centro di Servizio di Ateneo per il Coordinamento dei Progetti Speciali e l’Innovazione Organizzativa dell’Università degli Studi di Napoli Federico II COINOR;
CONSIDERING that, for the academic year 2022/2023 it is expected that a total number of 258 students will be admitted to the Apple Developer Academy, of which 38 seats are for those who have already attended an Apple Foundation Program;

DECLARES

SECTION 1 (Announcement and number of seats)

This University announces a selection of 220 students to be admitted to the Apple Developer Academy.

The University reserves the right to increase the number of the students to a maximum of 258 in the event that the number of admitted students from the Apple Foundation Program announcement (Document reference: AppleDeveloperAcademyFoundationCall_22_23) is lower than 38.

The selection refers to the academic year 2022/2023.

SECTION 2 (Requirements for participation)

In order to be eligible for the selection mentioned in section 1, the applicant must have a valid High School level diploma in their home country, issued by upper-secondary educational institutions. The diploma must have been earned within the scholastic year 2021/2022 or earlier.

Candidates get a provisional admission to the selection. The University might decide to exclude any candidate, at any stage of this selection procedure, if the requirements are not fully met.


SECTION 3 (Application for participation in the selection procedure)

The application form must be submitted exclusively on-line through the following website: www.developeracademy.unina.it. The on-line registration is available since the publication date of this announcement, and will close mandatorily (and under penalty of exclusion from the selection procedure) at 2pm (GMT+2) of June 10th 2022.

Failure to comply with the regulations described in section A.2 of Annex A will prevent the admission to the selection and, in any case, result in an exclusion from the procedure.

Applicants with disabilities who require assistance to carry out the selection procedure must select "yes" in the "participants with special needs" box and must send by June 15th 2022 at 2pm (GMT+2) any request via e-mail to the following address: developeracademy@unina.it. This is compulsory in order to receive any care and support service, as described in section A.2 of Annex A.

All communications concerning the selection will be given exclusively via on-line publication on the Official Noticeboard of the University of Naples Federico II (available at the University website
SECTION 4
(Evaluation Committee)

The Evaluation Committee will be appointed after the final deadline for submission of the participation applications. Its composition will be announced through a notice, published exclusively in the Official Noticeboard of the University (available at https://www.unina.it) and on the website www.developeracademy.unina.it.

SECTION 5
(Selection procedure)

The admission exam will be in English and will consist of two phases:

- Assessment test
- Motivational interview

As better detailed in Section 6 of this document, the assessment test will take place on-line. Each applicant can take the exam just once. Applicants who are admitted to the interview will be notified as described in section 7.

The selection procedure refers to section A.3 of Annex A, which is an integral part of this notice.

SECTION 6
(Admission tests: date and place of the evaluation test – execution modalities – candidate’s obligations)

On-line tests

For this year’s selection, the Apple Developer Academy is delivering written exams on-line.

The on-line tests will be delivered through an on-line examination platform, whose features and technical requirements will be described in detail in a dedicated page of the Apple Developer Academy web site (www.developeracademy.unina.it).

On-line sessions will be scheduled between June 17th and June 30th, 2022.

The schedule might be subject to changes. The up-to-date schedule will be published on the Apple Developer Academy web site (https://www.developeracademy.unina.it) and on the website of the University of Naples Federico II (https://www.unina.it).

The timetable of the tests will be announced exclusively via on-line publication on the Official Noticeboard of the University of Naples Federico II (available on the web site https://www.unina.it) and on https://www.developeracademy.unina.it. This timetable will be published no later than 5 days before the beginning of the exams.

Any information related to the admission test will be made public only via the above-mentioned means.

SECTION 7
(Admission test: date and venue of the interview - implementation procedure)

The ranking list of the applicants admitted to the interview will be communicated exclusively by on-line publication on the Official Noticeboard of the University of Naples Federico II (available at https://www.unina.it) and by publication on the website https://www.developeracademy.unina.it.

Date and time of the interview will be communicated in the same way. The interview will take place on-line (via video conference), in accordance with the procedures mentioned in section A.3 of Annex A.

SECTION 8
(Publication of the ranking list)

The merit ranking list will be drawn up only based on the scores obtained in the assessment tests and in the interview.

In the event of a tie, the younger candidate shall prevail. The final ranking list will be published in the Official Noticeboard of the University of Naples Federico II (available on www.unina.it) and on the website www.developeracademy.unina.it.

SECTION 9
(Economic support funds)

In the past, the University of Naples Federico II has always received funds from Campania region, within the framework of EU-sponsored projects to support educational measures. Should funding be available also for the upcoming year, the applicants who successfully complete the Academy experience will receive an economic support. This kind of support will be subject to constraints that come directly from the Funding Entity. Hence, Academy students will in such a case have to commit themselves to providing the Administration Office with any documents needed in order to prove that the requirements set forth by the Funding Entity.

SECTION 10
(Procedure of acceptance)

The candidates admitted have to formalize their attendance to Apple Developer Academy by signing an agreement by which the admitted person undertakes to comply with the provisions of this selection notice.

Once the deadline for acceptance has expired, if there are any places left due to lack of acceptance or subsequent withdrawal, the ranking will be scrolled. Any scrolling and the relative terms for making acceptances will be communicated exclusively by publication on the website of the University of Naples Federico II and on the Apple Developer Academy web site (https://www.developeracademy.unina.it).

SECTION 11
(Access to documents, Information regarding personal data)

Applicants have access to documents concerning the competition procedure, in accordance with the current legislation. This right will be exercised in the manner prescribed by the University Regulations laying down the rules on administrative procedure and the right of access to documents, issued with
the Chancellor Decree n. 2386/98 and subsequent amendments and additions.

SECTION 12
(Privacy and information on personal data)

In accordance with the art. 13 of the EU Regulation 679/2016, the personal data collected will be processed for the purposes of the procedure for which they are released and will be used exclusively for this purpose and in any case within the Institutional activities of the University. The data controller is the University of Naples Federico II, in the persons of the Rector and the General Manager, in relation to their skills. Exclusively for problems concerning the non-compliant processing of personal data, it is possible to contact the Data Controller by sending an email to the following address: ateneo@pec.unina.it; or to the Data Protection Officer: rpd@unina.it; PEC: rpd@pec.unina.it. For any other requests related to this procedure, please contact COINOR at the following address: coinor@unina.it

The concerned parties have the rights referred to the articles 15-22 of the EU regulation. The complete information related to the collection of the personal data processing in this procedure is reported on the University website http://www.unina.it/ateneo/statuto-e-normativa/privacy

SECTION 13
/Publication of the procedural acts/

This notice of selection and all related documents will be made public exclusively by on-line posting in the Official Noticeboard of the University of Naples Federico II (available on the website https://www.unina.it) and by publication on the website https://www.developeracademy.unina.it.

The online publication in the Official Noticeboard of the University of Naples Federico II has the force of notification with all effects and no personal messages will be sent to interested parties. Therefore, it is recommended a constant consultation of the web links above.

Informally, applicants might also want to keep an eye on the official Academy social media platforms such as Instagram or Facebook where regular updates and news are also posted.

SECTION 14
(Final Provisions)

The University reserves the right to exclude at any time the applicants participating in the procedure pursuant to this notice for failure to comply with its provisions or within the time specified or for default of the applicants’ requirements. The exclusions are made with a Chancellor Decree. Exclusions will be notified exclusively by online publication in the Official Noticeboard of the University of Naples Federico II (available at the site https://www.unina.it), as well as by publication of the exclusion decree on the website https://www.developeracademy.unina.it.

Please note that Annex A is part of this announcement. We strongly recommend to carefully read the aforementioned document.

This announcement has been written in Italian. The English version is a translation for information purposes only. In case of discrepancy, the Italian version shall prevail and be binding.