



Pontificio Istituto Teologico
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**INTERNATIONAL
OPEN DAY**
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16 January 2024
02:00 pm (GMT+1)



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**Academic Year
2024 - 2025**

MISSION

The “Pontifical John Paul II Theological Institute for the Sciences of Marriage and Family” intends to promote the family as a school for deeper humanity (Vatican II, *Gaudium et spes*), supporting, caring for, rejoicing the families with the passion of faith and the rigour of intelligence.

The axes of the Institute’s mission are as follows:

- To serve the **vocation** and **mission** of marriage and the family;
- To implement a **pedagogy adapted** to a mature and **intercultural** public, research laboratories and publications capable of forming and supporting those involved in a pastoral ministry attentive to youth and families in their diversity;
- To promote **interdisciplinary** reflection on the family on an international scale and in dialogue with all academic institutions;
- To place solidarity, fraternity and collective work **at the heart of the service of human love.**



WHY STUDY AT THE JP2

UNIQUE It is the only centre of higher education entirely dedicated to the theology and sciences of marriage and the family.

PONTIFICAL serving the unity between the universal Church and the local Churches in relation to Peter's ministry. The Institute works together with the Dicastery for Laity, Family and Life "in order to promote a common direction for studies on marriage, family and life" (Pope Francis, *Praedicate evangelium*, 141)

INTERNATIONAL In Rome, the students come from more than 45 countries and contribute to creating a climate of fraternity and cultural enrichment among them. We also have 10 Sessions and Associated centres all around the world.

INTEGRATED PEDAGOGY through lectures, seminars and workshops. Particularly involved in the pastoral conversion of the Church, the Institute promotes a theology that learns from families and their experiences and skills.



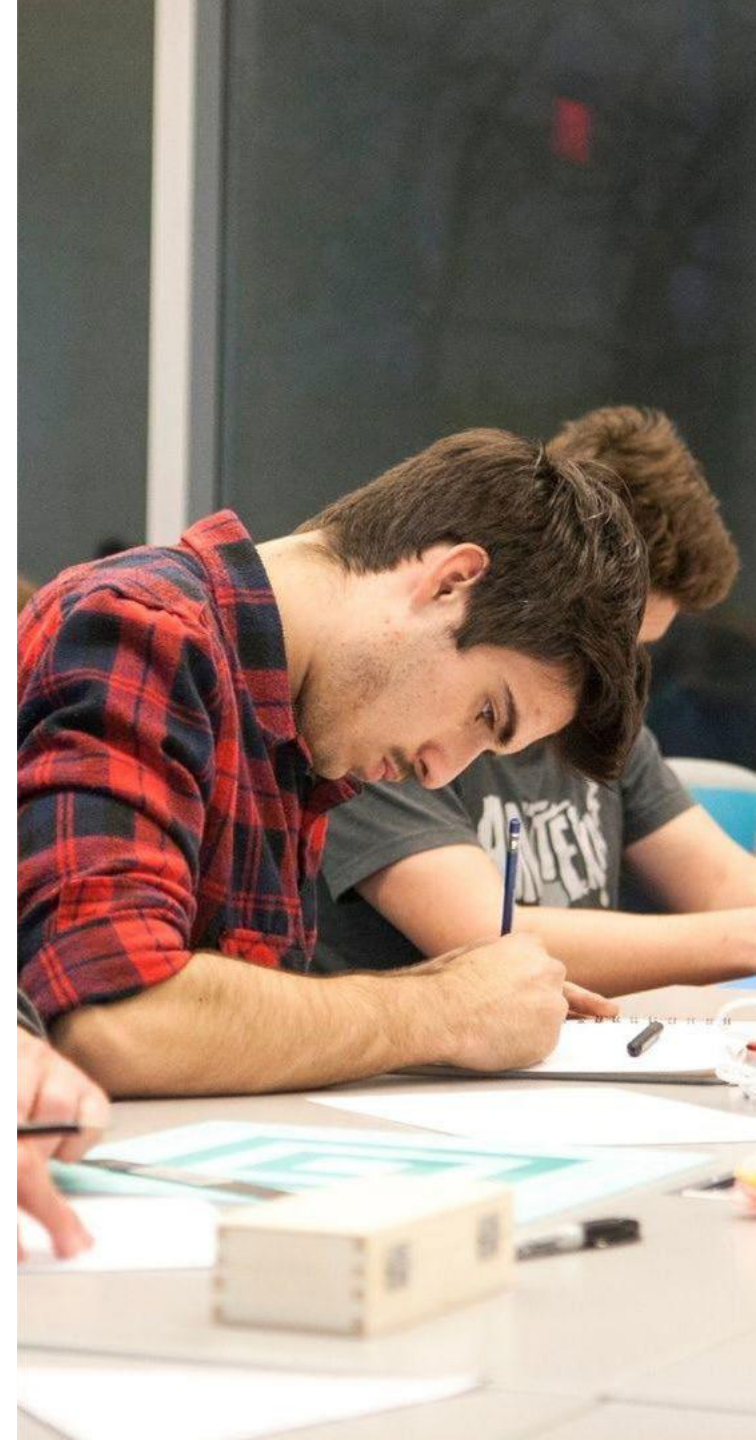
INTERNATIONAL INSTITUTE

- 2,374 students all around the world
- 191 students at the Roman Campus (46 nationalities)

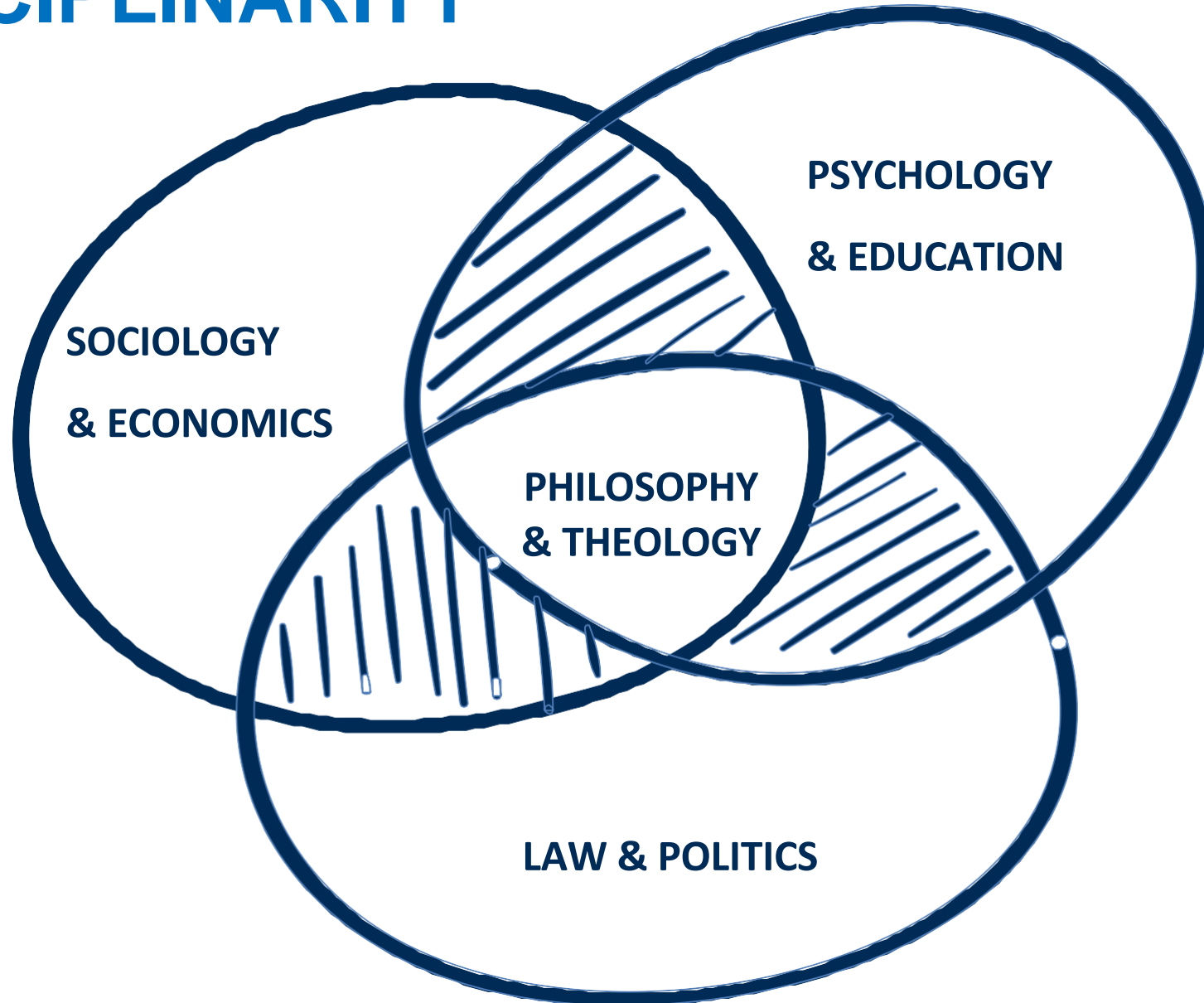


ACADEMIC PROGRAMS

- **Canonical Licentiate in Theology of Marriage and Family**
- **Canonical Doctorate in Theology of Marriage and Family**
- **International Canonical Licentiate in Sciences of the Family**
- **Canonical Doctorate in Sciences of the Family**
- **International Diploma in Sciences of the Family**
- **Master in Bioethics**
- **Master in Education**
- **Sharing Knowledge and Continuous Formation**



INTERDISCIPLINARITY



Research & Doctoral School

BUILDING A COMMUNITY TOGETHER

- *A Community dedicated to Research: professors and doctoral students, international conferences, social impact, mutual learning, fraternal support, library facilities in Rome*

LEARNING OUTCOMES

- *Heuristic and methodological skills*
- *Belonging to the world scientific community*
- *Design and implement a research project*
- *Develop new knowledge*
- *Communication of research outcomes*
- *Thinking global and local*



SHARING KNOWLEDGE

Ongoing Formation

- Caring School
- International Family Movements
- Training Course in *Social Doctrine of the Church* for animators of charity - Caritas Rome

Partnerships with other Universities and Professional Associations

Networking with Dioceses and Local Associations

Cultural Events, Congresses, Public Seminars

Dialogue with the contemporary cultural world

Collaboration with other Vatican institutions



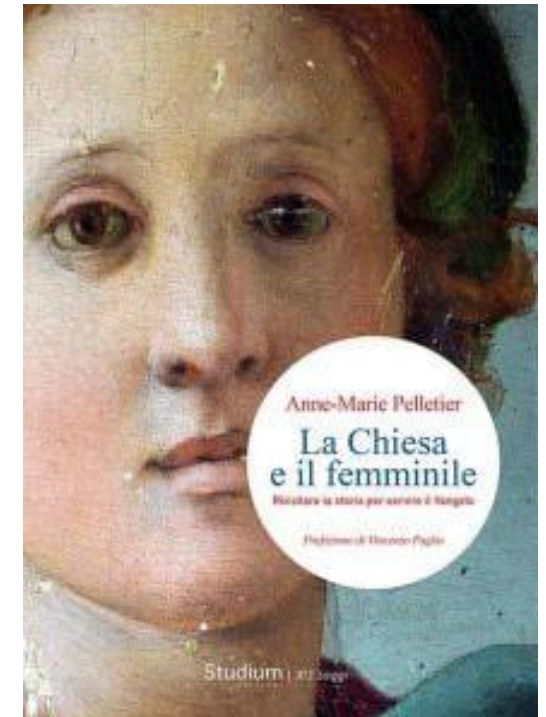
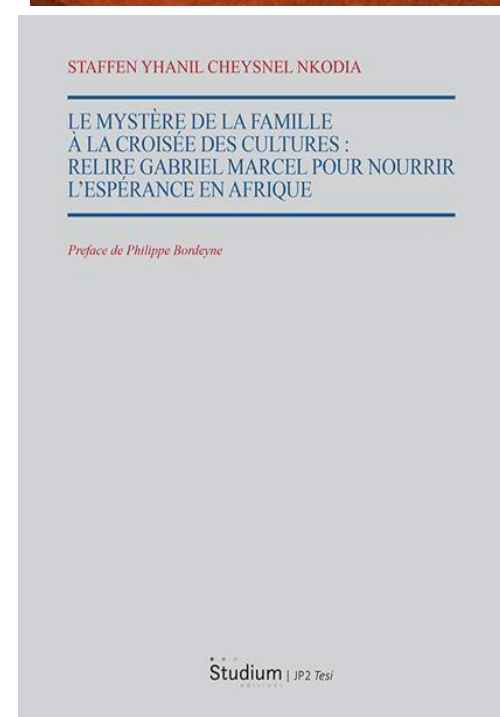
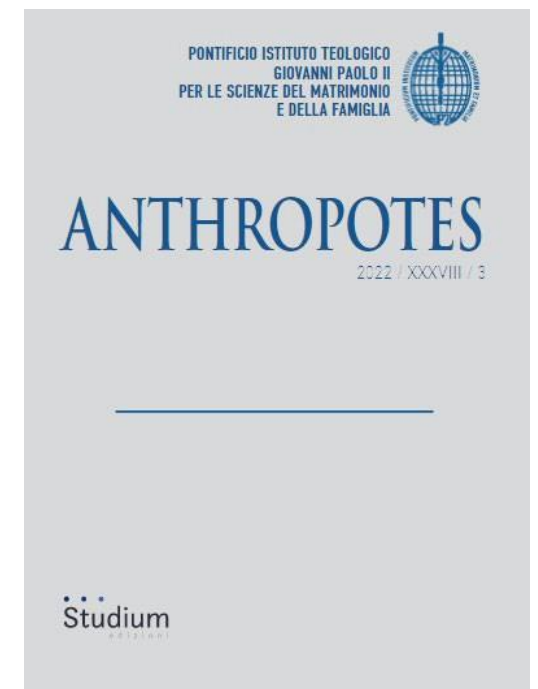
PUBLICATIONS

Anthropotes. Studies on Person and Family

- *Official review of the Institute*
- *Quarterly frequency*
- *Interdisciplinary approach*
- *Different languages*
- *Focusing on the most relevant and emerging issues in cultural contexts and theological debate*

Series

- **JP2 Essays** – *Essays and contributions dedicated to the themes of human love, marriage and family*
- **JP2 Instruments** – *Short, agile texts that deal with major issues*
- **JP2 Theses** – *The best doctoral theses prepared at the Institute*



LICENTIATE in THEOLOGY OF MARRIAGE AND FAMILY

The Licentiate in Theology of Marriage and Family (STL) is designed to achieve theological specialization, pastoral updating and transdisciplinary formation of those who, in the Church, deal with family realities in various ways.

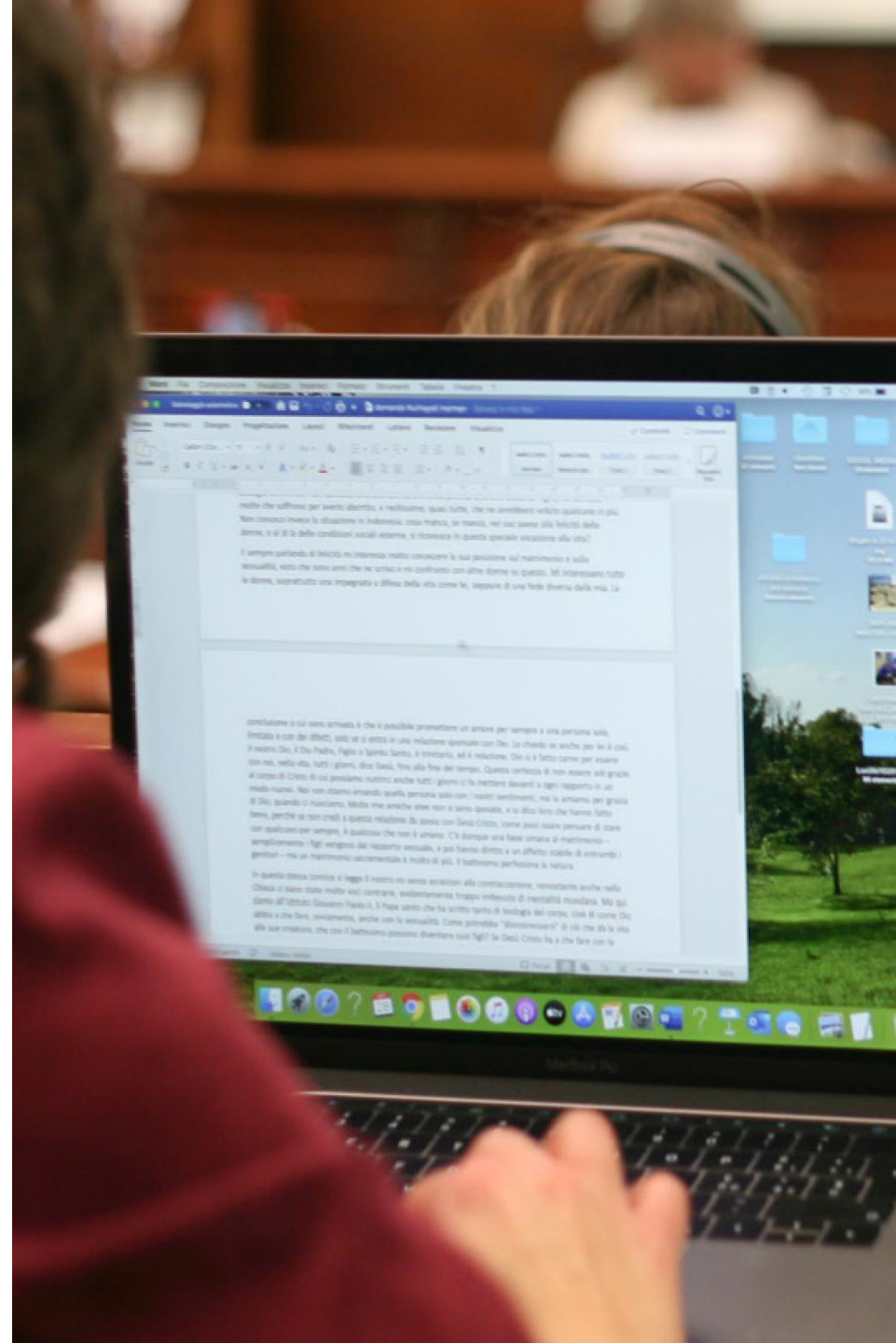
- **Duration:** 2 academic years (120 ECTS)
- **Admission requirement:** Canonical Baccalaureate in Theology (STB), at least cum laude
- **Learning Outcomes:** the student is being trained in a thorough knowledge of the subject matter and educated in scientific methods, in order to be able to teach and to organize continuous formation for young people and adults
- The **Study Program** is divided into fundamental disciplines, complementary subjects, workshops, and seminars. A final examination and a written dissertation are required



DOCTORATE

IN THEOLOGY / SCIENCES OF MARRIAGE AND FAMILY

- **Duration:** 3 academic years (mandatory first year of full-time presence in Rome)
- **Admission Requirements:**
 - Canonical Licentiate in Theology *magna cum laude* (for the Doctorate in theology)
 - Canonical Licentiate in Sciences or Master degree in any discipline related to the family (for the Doctorate in Sciences)
- **Learning Outcomes:** the doctorate qualifies to teach in a Theological Faculty or Seminary and offers scientific training through research and elaboration of a doctoral dissertation
- **Languages:** In addition to one's own language and Italian (level B2), the knowledge of at least two other modern languages is encouraged to give access to the relevant scientific literature

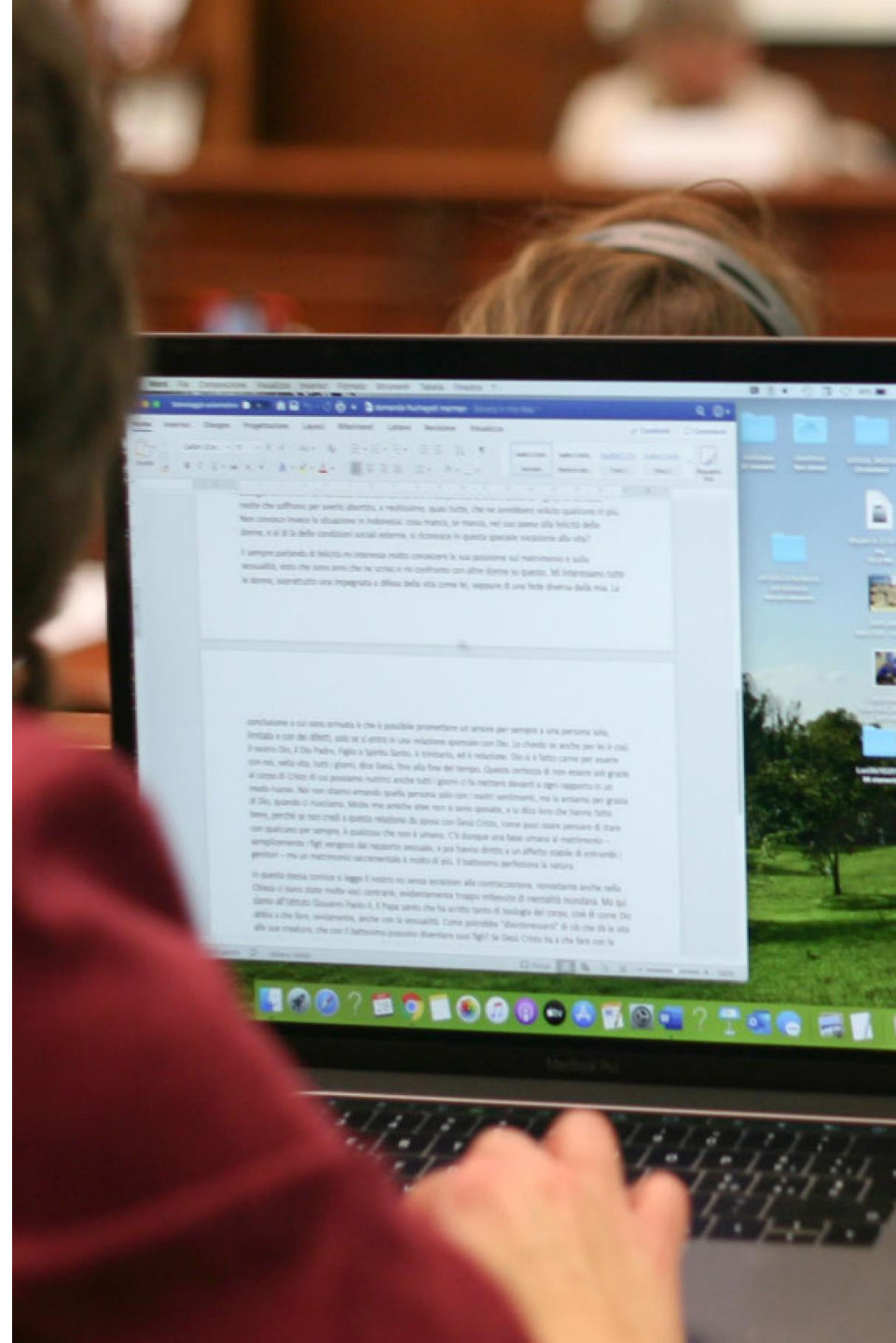


DOCTORATE

IN THEOLOGY / SCIENCES OF MARRIAGE AND FAMILY

STUDY PROGRAM

- Seminar on the Methodology of Scientific Research (3 ECTS)
- Seminar on Conducting Doctoral Research (3 ECTS)
- 1 research workshop of your choice (5 ECTS)
- 1 specifically designed course for the doctorate (3 ECTS)
- 1 Optional course (3 ECTS)
- 1 Optional seminar (4 ECTS)
- Doctoral dissertation



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STUDY PROGRAM (Academic Year 2024-2025)

Seminar on the Methodology of Scientific Research

Doing theology in relation to experience and practices

P. BORDEYNE - M. CHIODI – L. PEDROLI – V. ROSITO

Seminar on Conducting Doctoral Research

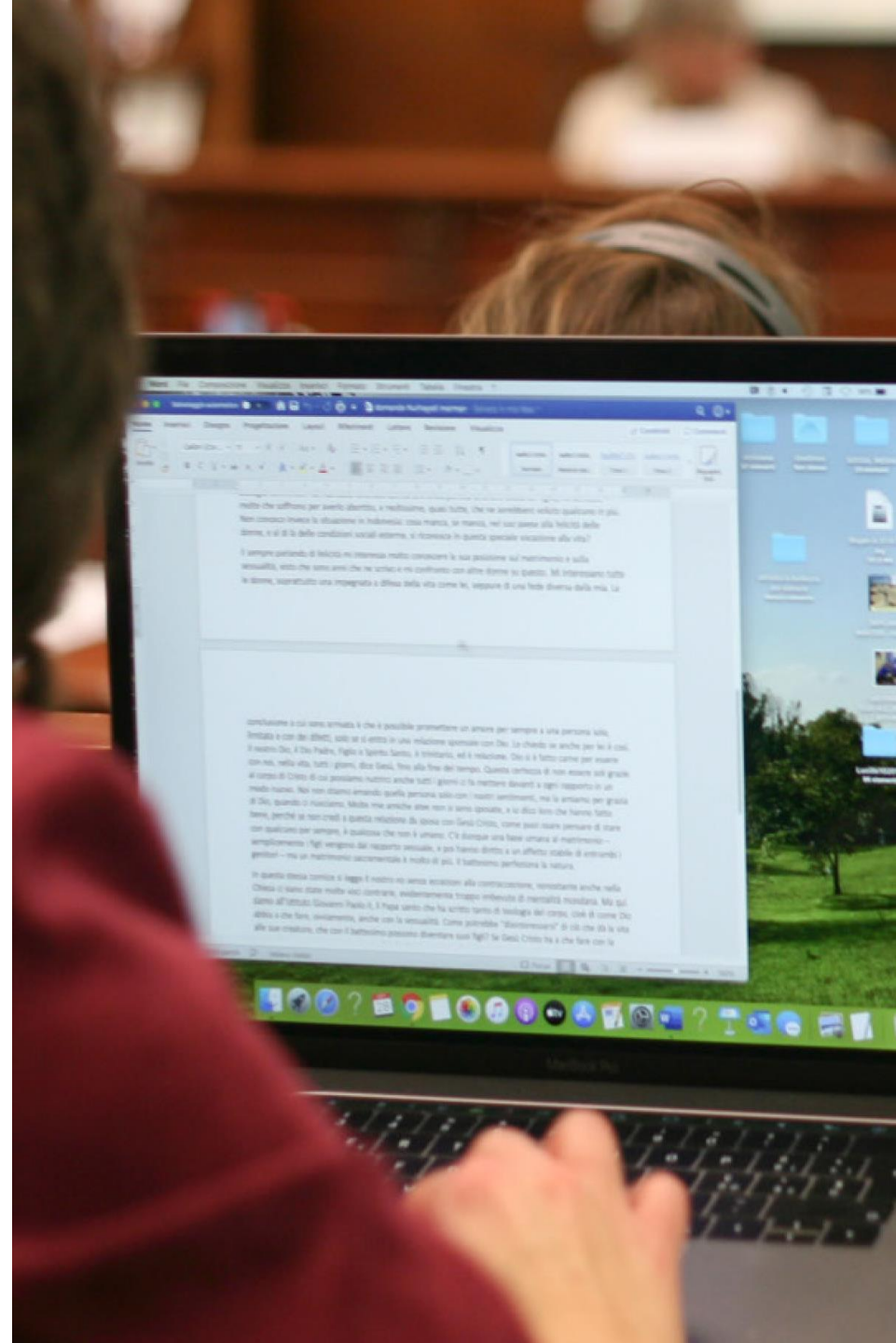
Accompaniment for the elaboration of doctoral projects

P. GUENZI - C. LEAL

Research workshop

- *Family and migration studies*: migrant families and human mobility
V. ROSITO – P.D. GUENZI
- *Church design*: Family, Church, and Sinodality
S. SEGOLONI – A. DIRIART

Yearly course given by Foreign Visiting Professors



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