**Bando di concorso per l’ammissione ai corsi di dottorato del XL ciclo del Politecnico di Bari**

**DOTTORATO DI RICERCA DI INTERESSE NAZIONALE IN**

**AUTONOMOUS SYSTEMS**

*[Please write in English OR Italian language only.*

*The complete document, including pictures, if any, must be contained in a single pdf file].*

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| Candidate Family Name | *[Insert family name here]* |

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| Candidate Name | *[Insert name here]* |

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| Preferred Research Themes  *[The candidate HAS to indicate 5 preferred themes from the list available in the call, in order of importance from most to least preferred]* | |
| Preferred Theme 1 | *[insert complete title here as appearing in the call]* |
| Preferred Theme 2 | *[insert complete title here as appearing in the call]* |
| Preferred Theme 3 | *[insert complete title here as appearing in the call]* |
| Preferred Theme 4 | *[insert complete title here as appearing in the call]* |
| Preferred Theme 5 | *[insert complete title here as appearing in the call]* |

**RESEARCH PROJECT DESCRIPTION**

*[The candidate has to illustrate the development of ONE possible PhD research project and his/her motivation to pursue the PhD. Please note that the research project described here will be used by the Examination Board to assess the candidate’s attitude and ability to approach scientific research in the field of autonomous systems and is not necessarily the project that will be carried out during the PhD program. If the candidate is admitted, the actual research project that will be carried out will be subsequently defined and approved by the PhD Faculty Board after the start of the PhD program.]*

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| Project title | *[Insert project title here]* |

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| Project summary  *(maximum 500 characters)* | *[Insert a brief summary of the research project here, highlighting problem statement, expected results, and innovation]* |

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| Project description  *(minimum 4.000, maximum 8.000 characters)* | *[Insert a detailed description of the research project here, emphasizing the innovative aspects and scientific relevance with respect to the state of the art]* |

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| Project reference list | *[Insert the list of bibliographic references to the project here]* |

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| Motivation  *(maximum 500 characters)* | *[Insert here the key reasons why you wish to enroll in the PhD program and why you are an excellent PhD candidate]* |