

Newsletter Doctoral School

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Escola de Doctorat
Universitat de Lleida

Hello everyone 🙌,

We are happy to share with you the first edition of *Doctorat al Dia*, with information about courses, seminars, scholarships, awards and other opportunities that may be of interest to you. We hope you find it useful!

📌 ED Highlights

- **ENROLMENT FOR THE 2026/2027 ACADEMIC YEAR**
 - Open from 15 September to 15 October. More information [here](#)
- **START OF THE 2026/2027 ACADEMIC YEAR:**
 - Next Thursday, 1 October, we will begin the new academic year!
- **TESIS EN 3 MINUTOS CONTEST**
 - **REGISTRATION OPEN UNTIL 21 SEPTEMBER** for the Campus Ibero [TESIS EN 3 MINUTOS](#) competition.
 - Thesis in 3 Minutes is a challenge designed to develop your communication and **science outreach skills**, organise your ideas and present them effectively to a non-specialist audience. In addition to showcasing your work and improving your skills, the competition gives you **the opportunity to connect with other fellow researchers** and learn about the research being carried out at the University.
 - Participation is equivalent to **10 hours of transversal training**.
 - Open to **PhD candidates from their 3rd year onwards** and to theses defended after 9 September 2025.

PREMIOS

2.º ACCÉSIT 600 €	GANADOR 1.000 €	1.ER ACCÉSIT 600 €
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SEMIFINALES

SEMIFINAL 1 Universidad de La Rioja y Universidad Pública de Navarra 14 de octubre Pamplona 17:30 h	SEMIFINAL 2 Universidad de Lleida y Universidad de Zaragoza 19 de octubre Zaragoza 12:30 h
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 Courses and training**• COURSES AT UDL**

- LA INNOVACIÓ TRANSFORMATIVA COM A UNA EINA PER L'IMPACTE SOCIAL EN LA RECERCA I LA TRANSFERÈNCIA (30/09, 9-13h)
- LA INTEL·LIGÈNCIA ARTIFICIAL APLICADA A LA RECERCA EN LINGÜÍSTICA I ÀREES AFINS: EINES, MÈTODES I APLICACIONS (14 i 22 /09 i 20/10)
- Click [here](#) for more info

• INSTITUT DE LLENGÜES UdL

- **Pre-registration is now open for language courses** at the UdL Language Institute. During the 2026/27 academic year, classes are offered in German, English, Spanish, Catalan, French, Italian, Portuguese and Russian.
- More info about registration [here](#)
- See courses and proficiency levels [here](#)

• COURSES OUTSIDE OF UDL

- ***Claves en Emprendimiento e Innovación***
5 online sessions (18:00-20:00) to transform ideas into projects with impact
The Spanish Institute of Engineering, in collaboration with the Polytechnic University of Madrid (UPM), is organising a series of online sessions aimed at engineers and researchers interested in developing skills related to innovation and entrepreneurship. Register free of charge before 27 September at the [following link](#)
- ***II Cycle of Online Training on Web of Science 2026, organised by FECYT in partnership with Clarivate***
 - *tres online sessions, in Spanish and free of charge*
 - *15 to 17 September 2026.*
 - *+info, Programme and Registration at the [following link](#)*

 Awards and competitions

- **Research Awards in Gender Studies** → Zoe Rosinach Pedrol Award for the best doctoral thesis in Women's, Feminist and Gender Studies or incorporating a gender perspective
 - [Registration form](#)
 - **€2,000** prize
 - Who can participate? UdL PhD candidates whose theses have been defended within the last 5 years, with an excellent *cum laude* distinction.
 - Deadline: 20 September 2026
- **National Research awards (FCRI)**
 - [Registration form](#)
 - The National Research Awards are open to individuals and/or legal entities and, in general, to all actors belonging to the Catalan research and innovation system.
 - Deadline: 13 October 2026

 Grants and funding

- **PREDOCTORAL GRANTS ([FPU 2026 CALL](#))**
 - Managed by the Spanish Research Agency
 - **The application period** announced by the AEI is from **20 October to 20 November 2026**.
- **2026 SUPPLEMENTARY CALL FOR UdL PREDOCTORAL GRANTS**
 - For theses supervised by Ramon y Cajal researchers.
 - The [application period](#) is from **30 July to 30 September 2026**.
- **GRANTS FOR OPEN-ACCESS PUBLICATION IN SCIENTIFIC JOURNALS AT THE UNIVERSITY OF LLEIDA**
 - **Deadline: from 30 July to 30 September.**
 - More information [here](#)

 Mobility and international opportunities

- Registration is now open for the **Iberus Connect Mentoring Programme for International PhD Students** for the 2026–27 academic year. Request a mentor [here](#).

 Participate and share

- If you have carried out an activity or have news that you would like to disseminate through the School's newsletter or social media channels (LinkedIn, IG), you can use this [link](#).

We hope you find this information useful. See you in the next edition of *Doctorat al Dia*!

Remember to follow our official channels: [Telegram](#), [LinkedIn](#) i [Instagram](#)!



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Seding a warm hug,

Escola de Doctorat