

## Data Mining and Optimization - Operations Research Group

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### PhD positions at School of Management of Politecnico di Milano, Italy

A number of attractive PhD grants within the focus areas are available at the School of Management of Politecnico di Milano ([www.dig.polimi.it](http://www.dig.polimi.it)). The School main objective is research, which is pursued through collaborations with leading Italian and international schools and institutions. Alongside research, the School focuses on education. The School of Management hosts the Doctorate of Research in Management, Economics and Industrial Engineering (DRIG), a training path for research in the fields of management, economics and industrial engineering.

The successful candidates will obtain their degrees from Politecnico di Milano. The PhD program requires between 3 and 5 years of study, depending on the background of the candidate. The successful candidate should have a Master's degree in Engineering, Applied Mathematics, Computer Science, Econometrics, or a related field. A solid background in Optimization, Data Mining, Machine Learning, Operations Research and Computer Science is highly appreciated ([www.ricerca.polimi.it/index.php?id=4562](http://www.ricerca.polimi.it/index.php?id=4562)).

The research topic is at the crossroads between data mining and optimization. No specific pre-knowledge is required, except having received a solid mathematical education and a Master's degree; students who are about to finish their Master's degree are also encouraged to apply.

To obtain further information before applying, please email [carlo.vercellis@polimi.it](mailto:carlo.vercellis@polimi.it). The next application deadline is **May, 25th 2011**. Application procedure is exclusively online and can be found at: [www.phd-admission.polimi.it/](http://www.phd-admission.polimi.it/)

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