

Call for Dissertation Topics and Doctoral Supervisors in Environmental Engineering and Mechanical Engineering for 2026

Dissertation Topics Competition

On October 27, a competition is announced for dissertation topics in the fields of Environmental Engineering and Mechanical Engineering (T004 and T009).

Dissertation topics may be proposed by individual researchers or research groups. Proposed topics must align with the doctoral study areas of the respective institutions. Topics may be formulated broadly, and multiple dissertations may be developed from a single topic.

To participate in the dissertation topics competition, the following must be submitted:

- A completed and signed justification form for the dissertation topic, signed both by the proposer and the academic unit of the researcher (signatures may be physical or electronic).

Applications must be submitted by **November 17 at 3:00 PM**.

Doctoral Supervisors Competition

On October 27, a competition is announced for doctoral supervisors.

A doctoral supervisor must meet the requirements established in the doctoral study regulations and actively participate in the doctoral process and international scientific-expert activities.

A researcher may supervise no more than five doctoral students at a time (including those on academic leave).

To participate in the doctoral supervisors competition, the following documents must be submitted:

- A list of scientific publications and other activities (prepared according to the publication database using the C04 form). The list must cover the researcher's entire career.

All documents must be submitted in PDF format.

Applications must be submitted by **November 17 at 3:00 PM**.

Documents for both the dissertation topics and doctoral supervisors competitions should be submitted via email to:

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