

Associazione Igienisti Dentali Italiani

## SCHOLARSHIP

The **Italian Association of Dental Hygiene (AIDI)** is offering a 6,000 Euros scholarship to undertake Year 1 of the three-year part-time on-line Master of Science in Dental Hygiene programme at UCL Eastman Dental Institute of London (UK) under the guidance of Prof. Francesco D'Aiuto, Head of the Unit of Periodontology, and Dr Jeanie Suvan, MSc Dental Hygiene Programme Director (with potential for further support for Year 2 and 3). The scholarship is for use towards tuition fees only. <u>https://www.ucl.ac.uk/eastman/study/dental-hygiene/dental-hygiene-msc</u>. English is the official course language. The successful candidate will be required to submit their application to the MSc Dental Hygiene programme via the standard UCL applications process and receive an offer for a place on the programme.

The scholarship applicants must fulfil the following requirements:

- 1) Be an Italian citizen and be resident in Italy.
- 2) Have earned a degree in Dental Hygiene from a recognised academic institution.
- 3) Must currently be working as a dental hygienist in a clinical setting with at least three years clinical experience post qualification.
- 4) Have earned a final score of no less than 105/110.
- 5) Be fluent in written and spoken English (minimum TOEFL score = 100; minimum IELTS score = 7.0, see UCL Eastman Website for details).
- 6) Have submitted a personal statement as to why the applicant would like to complete the MSc in Dental Hygiene

All applications fulfilled with the required documentation, must be received no later than 01 February 2020 (shipping postmark will be considered) at the following address:

## OIC S.r.l. Viale Matteotti, 7 50121 - Firenze (Italia) All'Attenzione: Segreteria Organizzativa AIDI

The written examination (date and place to be announced) will include a multiple-choice test on oral biology, periodontology and implantology.

Final score will be calculated as follow: up to 75 points for the written test and up to 25 points for the personal statement outlined above. The winner will be notified through certified mail. The scholarship will be officially presented during the XXIX National Congress of the Italian **Association of Dental Hygiene** Bologna 15-16 November 2019.