

# DIMA DEPARTMENT OF MECHANICAL AND AEROSPACE ENGINEERING



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#### **HIGHLIGHTS**

DIMA Delegation at Broglio Space Center

DIMA delegation participated in a mission in Kenya at the Broglio Space Center. Below some pictures of the trip and a declaration of prof. Gaudenzi, director of department: "Four days in Kenya in Nairobi and at the San Marco Base in Ngomeni on the coast with Munzer Jahjah of the Italian Space Agency and many colleagues. We kicked off three research projects funded by ASI and to be developed in Kenya and in Italy. A workshop with Kenyan Space Agency and with Kenyan Universities. We were then invited by the Italian Ambassador to Kenya Dr. Pieri. At the end a breath-taking visit at the San Marco base: from the platform in the see the launches were performed and the control implemented. A row of 27 successful launches (10 times the Scout Laucher, 5 times a San Marco satellite the first from US). We sit on the shoulders of a giant: Luigi Broglio who invented manufactures and operated all that! A tribute to his memory!"









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#### **NEWS FROM DIMA**

Meeting of Joint European Disruptive Initiative

Recently it was held a meeting of some members of JEDI - Joint European Disruptive Initiative at DIMA, which was followed by a meeting with students. Below some pictures of the meeting and a declaration of prof. Gaudenzi, director of department: «First JEDI meeting in Rome in view of the constitution of a JEDI Hub! Together with a group of friends and innovation leaders - and with my students - Andrè Loesekrug Petri (speaker of Jedi) and General Jean Paul Palomeros we shared the JEDI view on the role and policies of Europe on innovation! Andrè lectured for our students on the same subject and the reaction was impressive in terms of interest and energy! Young people are the most important asset! We need to let them grow in competences, motivation, entrepreneurship and - most importantly - care of our society. We should empower them to take initiatives for the future of our common societal interests!»







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### OPPORTUNITIES FOR RESEARCH, NETWORKING AND INTERNATIONALIZATION



Now open the call for International Post-degree Scholarships. The Call won for exams and qualifications extabilishes two scholarships to attend courses and traineeships at foreign and international university organizations, in agreement with law 398, of November 30, 1989. The scholarships last from 6 to 12 months. Students allowed to apply are Sapienza Graduated (Masters Degree -two years courses/ single cycle courses/ old system). The scholarships are divided according with the National University Commission (CUN in Italian) subject areas, with following identification of Single Cycle Degrees (5-6 year programme) (ante DM 509/99), Masters or Graduate Degree, Second Cycle Degree, and inter-faculties. The International Post-degree Scholarships are exempt from treatment. 4 of law 476/84. The Call is published on the Administration Transparency Portal with deadline at 22 may 2019 at this link: <a href="https://web.uniroma1.it/trasparenza/borse-di-studio-la-frequenza-di-corsi-o-attivit-di-perfezionamento-allestero-2019">https://web.uniroma1.it/trasparenza/borse-di-studio-la-frequenza-di-corsi-o-attivit-di-perfezionamento-allestero-2019</a>



Are you interested in funding opportunities for research, innovation and market uptake projects on clean energy? Then mark in your agenda this year's Horizon 2020 Energy Info Days which will take place on 25-27 June in Brussels. The event will help you in preparing successful proposals for Horizon 2020 calls (total budget of some EUR 640 million) for the year 2020. A brokerage event, organized by the Horizon 2020 Energy National Contact Points, will be part of the Info Days and give you the opportunity to network and look for partners to form a consortium. Registrations are now open at: <a href="https://h2020-energy-info-day-2019.com/registration/">https://h2020-energy-info-day-2019.com/registration/</a>

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