

PUBLIC SELECTION BASED ON QUALIFICATIONS AND INTERVIEW FOR THE AWARDING OF NO. 1 GRANT LASTING 12 MONTHS FOR CONDUCTING RESEARCH IN ACCORDANCE WITH ART. 22 OF LAW OF 30.12.2010 NO. 240 AT THE DEPARTMENT LETTERS, PHILOSOPHY, COMMUNICATION OF THE UNIVERSITY OF BERGAMO (ACADEMIC RECRUITMENT FIELD 14/C1 – GENERAL SOCIOLOGY - ACADEMIC DISCIPLINE SPS/07 – GENERAL SOCIOLOGY (PROGETTO PRIN15DLFCMARZ)

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RESEARCH PROJECT

"Death, Dying and Disposal in Italy. Attitudes, Behaviours, Beliefs, Rituals"

The project aims to fill a wide gap in Italian sociological research by studying dying and death in Italy. It intends to gather for the first time – in a systematic manner comparable with other countries – information and knowledge about the beliefs, attitudes and behaviours of Italians in regards to death and dying. The researcher's tasks are:

- 1) attending organizational (meetings, seminars, communication, etc.) and scientific (interviews, analysis) activities;
- 2) gathering 40 in-depth interviews (on a common script) to families and professionals. Interviews shall be collected according to a plan agreed with the tutor and the research team, recorded, fully transcribed and integrated with an ethnographic account;
- 3) writing up a paper and a co-authored (with the tutor) chapter in the final volume.