A tutorial may include:
- Seminars & oral presentations
- Problem-solving sessions
- Case studies
- Project work & essays

There are usually scientific articles to read, oral presentations to prepare, homework & suggestions for books and other material to consult.

**What is the role of the tutor?**
- Introduce a new scientific field and assess your ability to read, understand & analyze related scientific articles and apply critical thinking.
- Encourage you to communicate, be active & argue about scientific matters.
- Provide constructive feedback and advice on your needs related to your scientific development.

**Attendance**: required to all the sessions.

**Assessment**:
- The tutor assesses your performance & the Doctoral School informs you about the outcome.
- The tutor cannot be your thesis director (unless two tutors are responsible for the tutorial).
- For PhD students who need to strengthen their skills, the tutorial will be followed by a meeting with the tutor, the thesis director and, in some cases, the thesis committee.