

# Degree Award 'Rotary Sant'Antonino per la Sostenibilità'

# 2<sup>nd</sup> edition Academic year 2023-2024

HAVING REGARD TO the letter of intent, our incoming protocol No 0076547 Tit. III Class. 12 of 29 March 2024, with which Sant'Antonino Rotary expressed its wish to continue with the second edition of the Degree Award, making available a total gross amount of € 2.712,50 (two thousand seven hundred twelve ad fifty) including charges to be paid by Politecnico di Milano, in favour of a Laurea Magistrale (equivalent to Master of Science) graduate from Politecnico di Milano.

**HAVING REGARD TO** the approval of the aforementioned letter of intent by the Vice Rector of the Piacenza Campus

## **HEREBY DECREES**

The issuance of a Call for 1 (one) 'Rotary Sant'Antonino per la Sostenibilità' Degree Award – 2nd edition a.y. 2023/2024.

## Art. 1 – Characteristics of the Degree Award and admission requirements

The Degree Award has a gross value of € 2.712,50 (two thousand seven hundred twelve ad fifty) including charges to be paid by Politecnico.

The Degree Award 'Rotary Sant'Antonino per la Sostenibilità' is intended for Laurea Magistrale (equivalent to Master of Science) graduates from Politecnico di Milano who meet the following requirements at the deadline of the Call:

- 1. Having graduated in one of the July, September, December 2024 and April 2025 sessions;
- 2. Having developed an original Thesis with relevant scientific value in one of the following areas:
  - CO<sub>2</sub> capture from industrial processes;
  - Technologies, processes and models for the sustainable management of waste and residues;
  - Technologies, processes and models for the sustainable use of biomass;
  - Models and instruments for the management of Smart Energy Systems;
  - Technologies, models and evaluations for improving air quality.
  - Architectural and landscape enhancement of energy installations;
  - Sustainable urban regeneration projects;
  - Regeneration projects for degraded landscapes experimenting with innovative



solutions for climate, environment, energy, transport, industry and agriculture;

- Urban and spatial strategies to cope with the climate crisis.
- 3. Having obtained a Laurea Magistrale (equivalent to Master of Science) degree score of no less than 100/110;

Although not essential, having developed the Thesis within the scope of projects or research pursued by the LEAP - Laboratorio Energia e Ambiente Piacenza (Piacenza Laboratory for Energy and the Environment) shall contribute to a positive assessment. In this case, the applicant for the Award shall enclose with the application a letter of presentation from the Head of the LEAP Area in which the Thesis was developed, highlighting the involvement and contribution of said applicant to the activity pursued.

## Art. 2 How to apply

Applicants shall submit their application by means of the specific function available from the Online Services <a href="http://www.polimi.it/servizionline">http://www.polimi.it/servizionline</a> (Agevolazioni e Convenzioni > Borse di studio, premi di laurea, esoneri, [Subsidies and Conventions > Scholarships, Degree awards, exonerations]) from 30 July 2024 by 12 pm noon (Italian time) on 27 June 2025.

Applicants **shall attach** following the appropriate procedure:

- their Thesis in pdf format, maximum 15MB

The file shall be named in the following format: Surname-Forename-Type of document.pdf (for example Smith-John-Thesis.pdf)

Completing the online application means submitting an application for the Call and implies acceptance of its contents. It is the applicant's responsibility to check that the procedure has been completed correctly.

After completing and submitting the application, the applicant may print a receipt and the application may no longer be altered. The applicant may delete the application and submit a new one at any time before the deadline set out in this Call.

Failure to complete and submit the application or submitting an incomplete application shall result in the applicant being excluded from the selection procedure.

In the case of multi-author theses, each co-author wishing to apply for the award shall submit an application individually.

In this case, all authors shall submit identical documentation. By submitting their application, the winning applicant agrees that their Thesis (or part thereof) may be disseminated in accordance with copyright.

# Art. 3 - Selection Committee

The Degree Award is assigned following a ranking list drawn up by a Selection Committee appointed by managerial decree after the deadline of the Call for applications.



In formulating the ranking list, the Selection Committee shall decide based on the degree score, the attached thesis and the criteria defined by the Committee.

Provided that the requirements set out in Art. 1 of the Call for applications are met, in the event of a tie the Selection Committee may distribute the award among several applicants.

In the event that the applicants are not suitable, the Selection Committee may not assign the award and may then decide to issue a new call for it in the same or the following academic year.

The winner(s) may be invited to a meet-and-greet with the donor.

The ranking will be posted on the University's website in the section:

www.polimi.it/studenti-iscritti/tasse-borse-e-agevolazioni-economiche/borse-di-studio-e-premi-di-laurea-non-dsu

and on the Piacenza Campus website in the section:

<u>www.polo-piacenza.polimi.it</u> > Studenti iscritti > Borse di studio e premi > Borse di studio e premi di laurea > Archivio borse di studio e premi di laurea scaduti

# Art. 4 Final and referral provisions

**Cumulation:** the Degree Award is subject to the principle of non-cumulation with other awards received from Politecnico di Milano for the same Degree Thesis, but it can be cumulated with other forms of financial aid provided by Politecnico for the academic year of reference of this Call, with contributions for international mobility provided by Politecnico or other public or private entities. The award may also be cumulated with exemptions from tuition fees and contributions.

**Revocation:** the award may be revoked if disciplinary sanctions are brought against the beneficiary.

**Withdrawal:** if the winner withdraws or fails to return the required forms by the relevant deadline, the award shall be assigned to the next suitable applicant in the ranking list.

**Payment:** the winner shall be notified of being assigned the Degree Award at their University institutional e-mail address. Within 10 days of receiving said notification, the winner shall return the relevant forms attached to the award notification, signed for acceptance.

The Degree Award shall be paid in a single instalment by Politecnico di Milano - Piacenza Campus - only after submitting proof of the Laurea Magistrale (equivalent to Master of Science) degree certificate issued by Politecnico di Milano.

**Taxation:** the amount awarded is subject to taxation, in accordance with applicable scholarship rules. The amount of the Degree Award shall be treated as employment income for tax purposes and has thus the same tax treatment. The charges borne by Politecnico di



Milano are the IRAP regional tax on production activities, equal to 8.5% of the scholarship amount.

**Data self-certification**: Politecnico di Milano shall check the declarations made by the winner(s); and misrepresentation shall result in the forfeiture of the benefits obtained.

# **Art. 5- Processing of Personal Data**

Pursuant to Regulation (EU) No 679/2016, Politecnico di Milano shall process personal data as detailed in the information at the bottom of this Call.

# Art. 6 - Procedure Manager

Pursuant to the provisions of Art. 5 of Italian Law No 241 of 7 August 1990, the Procedure Manager for this Call is Dr Valentina Armani <u>valentina.armani@polimi.it</u>; +39 0523 356807).

For information:

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Milan, 06 May 2024

Signed by the Head of Management
(Dr Valentina Armani)



# PRIVACY POLICY PURSUANT TO ARTICLE 13 OF THE EUROPEAN GENERAL DATA PROTECTION REGULATION (GDPR)

Politecnico di Milano (hereinafter also Politecnico), in its role as Data Controller, based at Piazza Leonardo da Vinci 32, 20133 Milan - General Management, hereby informs you of the methods for processing your personal data, in compliance with Regulation (EU) No 2016/679 of 27 April 2016 on the protection of natural persons with regard to the processing of personal data and the respective implementing regulation (hereinafter also Regulation). The Processor of the data provided by you is the Department Manager of the Piacenza Campus.

#### A. PERSONAL DATA COLLECTED

The following data constitute personal data belonging to you which have been collected and processed by Politecnico: (a) data that you submitted upon registration or enrolment, such as your name, surname, date and place of birth, gender, tax code, nationality, residential address, telephone and email contact details, educational qualifications; (b) data collected when you submitted your application on the relevant application form.

### B. DATA PROCESSING PURPOSES AND METHODS

Your personal data may be processed for the following purposes: 1) for the public interest purpose of verifying the requirements for participation in the call for applications based on the criteria set forth in this call, and for all other legal purposes, including statistical purposes. In relation to the aforementioned purposes, Politecnico di Milano shall process said data, using manual and electronic instruments and means, only insofar as such data is relevant and the data processing is limited to the purposes for which they were initially collected and, in any case, in such a manner as to ensure that the data can be kept absolutely secure and confidential, and always in full compliance with applicable rules in force.

### C. MANDATORY OR VOLUNTARY NATURE OF THE DATA PROVISION

The provision of data for the assignment of the award under this call, is mandatory; any refusal to provide such data shall result in the application being ineligible and immediate exclusion from the procedure.

## D. SCOPE OF COMMUNICATION AND CIRCULATION OF THE DATA

Your personal data shall be notified to Politecnico employees authorised to process said data, namely natural or legal persons who work with Politecnico to implement the procedures for the selection and assignment of the award under this call.

### E. STORAGE AND POSSIBLE TRANSFER OF PERSONAL DATA

Your personal data shall be stored at Politecnico di Milano and shall not be transferred to a third country.

### F. DATA RETENTION PERIOD

Your personal data shall be retained only for as long as strictly necessary in order to meet the requirements of this call for applications, unless it becomes necessary to retain and store the data for a longer period in the public interest. If the data are stored for longer periods, Politecnico guarantees compliance with the data minimisation principle under Art. 89, point 1 of the Regulation.

## G. YOUR RIGHTS

It is hereby recalled that you have the right to obtain information on the methods by which your data are processed and any other information envisaged by Art. 15 of the Regulation ('right of access') - to obtain the rectification of inaccurate personal data relating to you, pursuant to Art. 16 of the Regulation ('right to rectification') - to restrict the processing of your personal data in accordance with Art. 18 of the Regulation ('right to restriction of processing'); - to object to the processing of your personal data in the cases and according to procedures set out in Art. 21 of the Regulation ('right to object')

You have the right to file a complaint with the Data Protection Officer at the email address: privacy@polimi.it

By applying, you declare you have read and understood this privacy policy and all of its parts, as set out in Art. 13 of the Regulation, and you consent to the processing of your personal data.