

Title III Class 12.2

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RESEARCH, INNOVATION AND CORPORATE RELATIONS DIVISION

The Head of the Division

HAVING REGARD TO Italian Presidential Decree No. 445 of 28 December 2000; **HAVING REGARD TO** Articles 2 and 12 of Italian Prime Ministerial Decree of 9 April 2001, 'Equal treatment in the right to higher education';

HAVING REGARD to Article 75, paragraph 2, of Politecnico di Milano Regulation for Administration, Finance and Accounting, issued with Rector's Decree no. 828 ref. no. 7766 of 14/03/2014;

HAVING REGARD TO letter Reg. No 14346/2024 of 23/01/2024 in which Mathilde Amélie Prot, Legal Representative of the company QSC S.r.l. expressed her willingness to donate Politecnico di Milano, as a purely charitable donation, €5,000.00 for the award of 1 'QSC' Laurea Magistrale (equivalent to Master of Science, hereinafter LM) degree award for students at Politecnico di Milano who have obtained a LM degree with a thesis on innovation, technology and sustainability;

HAVING REGARD to Managerial Decree No 15821/2024 Reg. 15821/2024 of 24/01/2024 accepting the donation made by QSC;

HEREBY DECREES

The issuance of the call for applications for 1 "QSC" 2024 LM degree award.

Art. 1 Description of the degree award and recipients

The LM award, worth €5,000.00 gross each and inclusive of charges to be borne by Politecnico di Milano, shall be assigned for the best LM thesis on subjects related to: "Innovation Technology and Sustainability".

The call is open to students who have obtained a LM degree from Politecnico di Milano in:

- Building Engineering Architecture
- Sustainable Architecture and Landscape Design
- Civil Engineering for Risk Mitigation
- Energy Engineering
- during the period from January 2023 to May 2024.
- with a degree score of at least 105/110

The Fundraising and Alumni Unit will verify whether the requirements have been met, using Politecnico di Milano's digital archive.



Art. 2 Application Procedure

Applicants must submit an application using the relevant function available within Online Services http://www.polimi.it/servizionline (Benefits and agreements > Scholarships, degree awards, exemptions and general calls) by 12.00 noon (Italian time) on 7 June 2024.

Applicants **must attach**, through the appropriate procedure:

- -their LM thesis in PDF format, max. 10 MB
- -a presentation of their LM thesis highlighting its distinguishing features and the reasons for which it is deserving of the award (no more than four A4 pages in Italian or English) in a PDF file no larger than 5 MB

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

The completion of the online application is equivalent to submitting an application for participation in this call for applications, and implies acceptance of its contents. It is the applicant's responsibility to check that the procedure has been completed correctly.

After having completed and submitted the application, the applicant may print a receipt and the application may no longer be altered. Applicants may delete and resubmit the application at any time before the deadline of the call for applications.

Failure to complete and submit the application or submission of an incomplete application will result in the applicant being excluded from the assessment process.

In the case of theses with multiple authors, each co-author that intends to apply for the award must submit an individual application.



Art. 3 Selection Board

The award of the degree award shall be decided on the basis of a ranking list drawn up by a Selection Board appointed by managerial decree after the deadline of this call for applications.

In formulating the ranking, the board shall make a decision on the basis of the attachments uploaded through the appropriate procedure and their relevance and significance to the topic indicated in Art. 2

Provided that the requirements set out in Article 1 of the call for applications are met, the Board may divide the award among several candidates in the event of a tie.

The Selection Board may decide not to assign the award in the event that the none of the applicants are deemed eligible.

The winner may be invited to meet the donor

The ranking will be published on the University website at:

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Art. 4 General Rules

Non-cumulation: this degree award cannot be combined with other awards received for the same thesis.

Renunciation: in case of renunciation by the winner, the degree award shall be assigned to the next applicant in the ranking.

Payment: the winner shall receive notification of being assigned the degree award at their University e-mail address. Within 10 days of receiving said notification, the winner must sign and return for acceptance the relevant forms attached to the award notification. The award shall be disbursed in a single payment by Politecnico di Milano.

Taxation: the amount awarded will be subject to taxation, in accordance with current legislation on scholarships. The degree award is treated as income equivalent to employment, and is therefore taxed accordingly. The costs borne by Politecnico di Milano correspond to the IRAP rate of 8.5% of the amount of the degree award.



Art. 5 Procedure Manager

In accordance with the provisions of Art. 5 of Italian Law No 241 of 7 August 1990, the procedure manager responsible for this call is Mr Ivano Ciceri.

For more information: **borse.premi@polimi.it**

The General Director Mr. Graziano Dragoni

Digitally signed pursuant to Art. 21, par. c.1.2 of the Digital Administration Code (CAD) - Leg. Decree 82/2005 and subsequent amendments and additions

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

Politecnico di Milano (hereafter also *Politecnico*), in the role of Data Controller, with registered address in 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) 2016/679 of 27 April 2016 on the protection of personal data and respective implementing regulations (hereafter the *Regulation*).

The Data Processor of the data you have provided is the Head of Research, Innovation and Corporate Relations

PERSONAL DATA COLLECTED

The personal data concerning you collected and processed by Politecnico are (a) the data provided by you at the time of registration or enrolment, including your name, surname, date and place of birth, gender, tax code, nationality, home address, telephone and email contact details, academic qualifications; (b) the data collected when you submitted your application, in particular those relating to your academic career and the qualifications you have obtained, as well as the information contained in your thesis.

A. PURPOSES AND METHODS OF PROCESSING



Your personal data may be processed for the following purposes:

1. for the public interest of verifying requirements for participation in the competition according to the criteria set forth in this call for applications and all other legal purposes, including statistical.

In relation to the aforementioned purposes, the data processing shall be carried out by Politecnico di Milano using manual, computerised and electronic tools, in a manner that is relevant and limited to what is necessary with regard to the purposes for which they are processed and, in any case, in such a way as to guarantee the utmost security and confidentiality and always in full compliance with the legislation in force.

B. MANDATORY OR VOLUNTARY NATURE OF DATA PROVISION

The provision of data for the purposes indicated in section B 1 is mandatory; any refusal to provide such data shall result in the inadmissibility of the application and immediate exclusion from the procedure.

C. SCOPE OF COMMUNICATION AND CIRCULATION OF THE DATA

Your personal data shall be disclosed to Politecnico employees who are authorised to process such data, namely natural or legal persons who work with Politecnico for the purposes of implementing the procedures for the selection and assignment of the benefit provided for by this call.

Your data shall also be disclosed to the donor to inform them of the results of the call.

In the event of any contact with the donor, this shall be understood to be a distinct and autonomous data controller of your personal data. As such, the donor shall provide you with the necessary privacy statement.

D. STORAGE AND POSSIBLE TRANSFER OF PERSONAL DATA

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

E. 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, par. 1 of the Regulation.

F. YOUR RIGHTS

We remind you that you have the right to:



obtain information on the methods by which your data are processed and any other information under Art. 15 of the Regulation (*right of access*) to rectify inaccurate personal data concerning you pursuant to Art. 16 of the Regulation (*right to rectification*); to restrict the processing of your personal data pursuant to Art. 18 of the Regulation (*right to restriction of processing*); to object to the processing of your personal data in the cases and by the methods set forth in Art. 21 of the Regulation (*right to object*);

Any complaints may be sent in writing to the Data Protection Officer at: privacy@polimi.it

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