

## Abstract of the Call for Applications Study grant FOR FINAL Dissertation and RESEARCH ABROAD

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## Art. 1 - Object

The Head of the Ravenna and Rimini Campus, Alma Mater Studiorum – University of Bologna offers **1** scholarships of **1500**  $\in$  (before taxes) to support a period of study abroad, related to research for the final dissertation.

Beneficiaries are students enrolled in the second year of the Second Cycle Degree in Resource Economics and sustainable development (RESD) The contribution aims at promoting research for the preparation of the final dissertation or the writing and preparation of a research paper related to the topic of the dissertation.

The study grant is incompatible with other scholarships, grants and benefits from the University of Bologna for the same destination during the same period.

## **Art. 2 - Admission requirements**

The evaluation Committee will consider applications with a research theme of international relevance, motivated by the thesis supervisor, and those where a visiting period abroad is particularly relevant for the gathering of information necessary for the preparation of the final dissertation or for the research paper.

## Aims of the projects

1. The collection of information available exclusively in a foreign country;

2. Research in a foreign archive;

3. Research in cooperation with researchers or professors in foreign universities or research institutes.

## Art. 3 - Evaluation

The evaluation Committee will give priority to the scientific strength and feasibility of the project.

In case of a tie between two or more candidates, the youngest will antecede in the ranking. Results will be available in the degree course website: <u>http://www.resd.unibo.it</u>.

## Art. 4 - Application procedure

All candidates shall apply with unstamped papers, according to application form as **Annex 1** and send it via regular mail to:

Ufficio Scienze Economiche e Sociali ACRR - Settore Servizi didattici "Campus di Rimini" Alma Mater Studiorum – Università di Bologna Via Angherà, 22 – Rimini

Or by email to <a href="mailto:ems.rn.candidature@unibo.it">ems.rn.candidature@unibo.it</a>, with the object "Application for research and thesis abroad – RESD students" (It's suggested to request the acknowledgement receipt).



## AREA DI CAMPUS RAVENNA E RIMINI

The candidate has to verify the correct receipt of the email. The office disclaims any responsibility in case of misplaced delivery.

## Deadline: 10<sup>th</sup> june, 2019 at 12,00 (Noon)

In case of regular mail, date of delivery will be considered and **not** the date of the sending stamp. The office disclaims any responsibility in case of misplaced delivery or any misunderstanding

**Documents required** to be attached to the application form **Annex 1** (or the application shall be invalid):

- Curriculum Vitae (signed);
- Self-certification with transcript of records;
- Draft of the project in English, stating in details the kind of research that will be carried out abroad, accompanied by the thesis supervisor approval, the supervisor's presentation of the candidate together with a statement indicating the reason and the necessity of a study period at the suggested University and/or other Institution, the methodological approach and type of information to be found
- Acceptance letter from the foreign Institution, stating their consent to host the candidate during his/her staying
- Copy of ID

## Art. 5 - Acceptance procedure

The ranking list and results will be available on the web site <u>www.resd.unibo.it</u>

Selected candidates need to confirm acceptance of the grant within 10 days from official notification, sending declaration of acceptance duly signed, and fiscal declaration or the assignment shall be invalid. The beneficiaries will have to start their research period abroad within 6 months from notification of the grant.

## Art. 6 - Payment of the contribution

The contribution will be paid before the departure, and has to be used during the time of the stay abroad.

# The candidate who will not fulfill his/her staying abroad during the declared time will have to return the full amount.

After the stay abroad, within one month from return (otherwise within the deadline for the fulfillment of the graduation requirements of the degree course) the student shall submit the following documents, or shall return the full amount of the study grant:

- Detailed report of the research activity;
- A declaration from the thesis supervisor, where the execution of the research activity abroad for which the grant has been assigned, is confirmed;
- Final report from the host Institution certifying the period of stay and the research activity undertaken.



## Art. 7 - Withdrawal

Those who, for any reason, waive the contribution shall give written notification in due time, in order to allow the replacement of candidates.

#### Art. - Privacy

The personal data provided shall be processed in compliance with the principles and provisions of Italian Legislative Decree no. 196/2003 (Data Protection Act) and the European Law GDPR UE n. 2016/679 and in any case exclusively for the purposes of this call for applications. The data will be processed using electronic and manual (paper) methods. The Data Controller is the University of Bologna – Rimini Campus. The Data Processor for the purpose of exercising your rights is the Head of the Ravenna and Rimini Campuses and the procedure in charge of Dr. Filippo Pigliacelli for Rimini Campus.

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