Call for 3 merit-based Study Awards of € 1000 each for deserving students enrolled in the first year of the Master's Degree Economics and Public Policy - curriculum Policy Analysis and Evaluation (LM-56 cod.5945 curr.C64) in the academic year 2023-2024 who by the 15th of October 2024 have passed all first-year exams

APPLICATION DEADLINE 15th October 2024, 12:00pm

1. OBJECT OF THE SCHOLARSHIP

In order to acknowledge and reward those students of the Master's Degree in Economics and Public Policy – LMEPP curr. Policy Analysis and Evaluation - PAE (LM-56 cod. 5945 curr. C64) who have passed all first-year exams and earned the corresponding credits by the 14th of September 2024, LMEPP announces a call for 3 study awards of € 1000 each (gross of taxes).

2. ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

In order to apply, the following requirements must be met:

- a) Being enrolled in the first year of PAE curr. of LMEPP in the A.Y. 2023-24.
- b) Having passed and have on your records by the **15th October 2024** all first year PAE exams.
- c) The average grade of these exams being equal or above 28/30.

3. AMOUNT AND SETTLEMENT OF THE SCHOLARSHIPS

The gross amount of each scholarship is € 1000 and it includes all social security charges and taxes to which the recipient is subject by law. The grant does not entitle to any treatment in social security schemes.

4. APPLICATIONS

In order to apply, you will have to fill in the application form (Attachment 1) and include: 1) a copy of a valid identification document and 2) your transcript with exams, dates and grades. Applications, addressed to the Head of the Department of Economics of the University of Bologna, will have to be received by the **15**th **October 2024, h 12 p.m. (12:00)**. Duly filled out application forms shall be sent by email to michela.sandias@unibo.it indicating as email subject: "Application for study awards for deserving PAE students".

Applications received after the above-mentioned deadline and time, or in alternative modes, will not be taken into consideration.

In their application the candidates must indicate, under their own responsibility: family name and first name; date and place of birth; nationality and residence address.

The University of Bologna can check whether the declared information correspond to the truth. In case of false declarations, the winners will lose their right to receive the grant and will be subject to sanctions according to art. 76 DPR 445/2000.

5. EVALUATION

The Awarding Committee will be composed by Prof. Giulio Zanella, Prof. Denni Tommasi, Dr Stephanie Heger. The scholarships will be awarded to the first three students in a ranking that will be based on the average of the grades obtained in the exams of the mandatory learning activities of the first year of PAE (equivalent to 60 CFU). The Committee will also consider the average grade, which will have to be equal or higher than 28/30.

In case of winners' non-acceptance and/or withdrawal, the grants will be assigned to the next suitable candidates following the established ranking. In case of equal score, the scholarship will be awarded to the younger candidate.

The ranking established by the Committee will be formally approved by the Head of the Department of Economics and published on the website: <u>https://bandi.unibo.it/</u> by **November 2024**.

6. ACCEPTANCE, RENOUNCE AND AWARDING OF THE SCHOLARSHIPS

The scholarship winners will be notified by an email sent to their institutional address @studio.unibo.it, and will have to confirm the acceptance of the scholarship within 5 days from the notification date, writing an email to michela.sandias@unibo.it. The scholarship winner will have to inform Michela Sandias of any change occurring with respect to what she/he has declared in her/his application. Prizes will be awarded following act of the Head of Department according to the merit-based ranking, and will be disbursed by the Department of Economics. The scholarship winners can withdraw by writing an email, not beyond the fifth day from the notification date, to the attention of the Head of the Department of Economics to michela.sandias@unibo.it. In this instance, the Committee can decide to award the scholarship to the next eligible candidate, following the established ranking.

7. PERSONAL DATA

Personal data will be treated in compliance with D.Lgs n. 196/2003, the data controller being Alma Mater Studiorum - Università di Bologna, located in Bologna, Via Zamboni n. 33.

The Head of Department Prof.ssa Carlotta Berti Ceroni