THE ECONOMY OF FRANCESCO RESEARCH GRANTS



2021/2022 Fellowship Program

DEADLINE: MAY 19th

The Economy of Francesco Fellowship program is open to young doctoral level students in the field of economics or related academic fields, from all countries.

Candidates must be active EoF members selected in the EoF application process.



APPLICATION PROCEDURE



ART. 1 - Research Grants

1. The Economy of Francesco (EoF) aims to help young economists who are committed to or are aspiring to an academic career, to achieve the necessary scientific background, in particular regarding the EoF topics. To achieve this goal, 10 small research fellowships will be granted for the year 2021/2022. The envisaged duration of the fellowship is from July 2021 to July 2022.

The amount of each scholarship is of Euro 5.000, gross of the tax charges required by locally applicable tax laws. The scholarship is compatible with other income or grants. The research grant is subject to verification by the Scientific Committee. At the conclusion of the research, the fellow will have to produce a paper.



2. Criteria for selection:

- Applicants who are enrolled in a Ph.D. program or in their first year of postdoc.
- Candidates must be active EoF members selected in the application process

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ART. 2 - Application requirements and deadlines

In order to apply, all applicants with the aforementioned profile should submit via email application@francescoeconomy.org

Please respect all indications:

- a. (SEND AS ATTACHMENT) an updated **curriculum vitae** (**please indicate your BIRTHDATE**) also including a **list of any other document**, scientific publication, background information or research experience that the candidate deems appropriate to help contextualize their application in relation to the research topic;
- b. (WRITE IN THE BODY OF THE EMAIL) the **annual personal income** (a self-declaration will be sufficient);
- c. (WRITE IN THE BODY OF THE EMAIL) a **letter of motivation** contextualizing personal objectives, qualifications and career goals, in no longer than 200 words;
- d. (WRITE IN THE BODY OF THE EMAIL or SEND AS ATTACHMENT) a **research proposal** for which the application for the grant is submitted, outlining specific research interests, in no longer than 500 words (Abstract; Keywords; Introduction; Methodology; Expected Results; Conclusion; Reference List). The project must be original; if the project is part of a broader research line, its specific objectives must be clearly declared and defined in the proposal;
- e. (SEND AS ATTACHMENT) a reference letter.

NB: .pdf, .doc, .docx, .odt files accepted; max size 512kb

Applications should be submitted online in English at application@francescoeconomy.org from 19th April to May 19th.

All applications arriving before the deadline will be evaluated by the Scientific Committee. Failure to submit all required documentation by the deadline will result in the application being null.

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ART. 3 – Evaluation of applications and selection of candidates

Each application will be examined and awarded by *The Economy of Francesco Scientific Committee*, coordinated by Prof. Luigino Bruni. The evaluation will take place on the basis of the candidate's scientific production, the originality of the project, its consistency with the inspiring principles of EoF; the proposed research program and the attitude emerging from the proposal, the annual personal income. The judgment of the Scientific Committee will be final. The Scientific Committee may schedule interviews if further information is required.

Candidates will be sent a communication on the outcome of their application via email **by June 14th.**



ART. 4 – Method of delivery of research grants

The grant disbursement procedure will be communicated directly to the selected EoF fellows

Recipients of the EoF scholarship will be required to:

- contribute to the activities of the **EoF Academy**, the international network of scholars formed with the aim of conducting and promoting scientific research on issues relating to the Economy of Francesco
- participate in related villages and networking activities
- **animate** the local EoF HUB
- attend and contribute to the **research seminars** scheduled for the year 2021/2022 by the EoF Scientific Committee
- participate and contribute to the **EoF events**

The EoF Scientific Committee will plan a specific **introduction session** for these scholars to effectively welcome them into the EoF Academy.

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