



**University of Milano- Bicocca**  
**Department of Statistics & Quantitative Methods**  
**Call for the awarding of n. 3 Research Grants in the framework of the**  
**Young Investigator Training Program (YITP)**

**Candidates shall also refer to the forms and documentation related to the selection announcement available at the link hereunder:**

<https://www.dismeq.unimib.it/it/eventi-e-news-0#news>

Upon the Department of Statistics & Quantitative Methods Council resolution as of 20/02/2019, a call of three research grants is opened, under the supervision of the Scientific Responsible, Prof. Silvana Stefani, in the framework of the Young Investigator Training Program. The call follows the Conference Energy Finance Italia held in Milano Bicocca on February 4-5, 2019 ([www.ief.unimib.it](http://www.ief.unimib.it)) where the announcement of the research Grants call was first given. Topics relevant for the application are: Electricity markets, Pricing, valuation and derivatives, Gas and commodity markets, Renewables.

The activities will have to be carried on in one of the research centers participating to the program YITP and under the supervision of the scientific referents:

Available research centers	Scientific Referents
UNIMIB - Department of Statistics & Quantitative Methods	Prof. Silvana Stefani
UNIMIB Scienza dei materiali	Prof. Maurizio Acciarri
UNIMIB - Department of Economics Management and Statistics	Prof. Matteo Pelagatti
Università di Brescia - Dipartimento di Economia e Management	Prof. Paolo Falbo
Libera Università di Bolzano – Facoltà di Economia	Prof. Federico Boffa
Università Sapienza di Roma - Dipartimento di Metodi e Modelli per l'Economia, il Territorio, la Finanza	Prof. Rita Laura D'Ecclesia
Università di Padova - Dipartimento di Scienze Economiche e Aziendali "Marco Fanno"	Prof. Fulvio Fontini
Università del Piemonte Orientale - Dipartimento di Studi per l'Economia e l'Impresa	Prof. Gianluca Fusai
Università di Camerino – Scuola di Scienze e Tecnologie	Prof. Carlo Lucheroni
Università di Napoli "Parthenope" - Dipartimento di Studi Aziendali ed Economici	Prof. Alessandro Sapio
Università di Padova – Dipartimento di Matematica "Tullio Levi Civita"	Prof. Tiziano Vargiolu
Università di Verona	Prof. Luca Taschini
Università di Bergamo - Dipartimento di Ingegneria gestionale, dell'informazione e della produzione	Prof. Maria Teresa Vespucci
Università di Chieti e Pescara "Gabriele D'Annunzio" - Dipartimento di Economia	Prof. Carlo Mari
Università di Chieti e Pescara "Gabriele D'Annunzio" - Dipartimento di Neuroscienze, Imaging e Scienze Cliniche	Dott. Cristina Di Girolami
REF-e – ricerca e consulenza per i mercati energetici	Dott. Virginia Canazza
ENI – Settore Finanza	Dott. Raffaella Cremonesi
Fondazione del Collegio degli Ingegneri della Provincia di Milano	Ing. Silvio Bosetti

Each **research grant** shall last for one month. Once accepted by the winner candidates, the research grants must be concluded by November 29, 2019.

The gross cost for the University, amounting to € 3.000 for each grant, includes all of the costs and fees for which the University is responsible, while the total grant for the contractor is gross of tax contribution for which the contractor is directly responsible, as established by the law.

The funds for the contract shall be drawn from the Project 2019-CONT-0125, UA.MB.D10 - Department of Statistics & Quantitative Methods.

The candidates shall carry out the following activities:

- participating to research activities under the supervision of the scientific referent;
- development and consolidation of relationships with Italian research groups, for the achievement of programs of common interest together with the host centers.

## **ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS**

- o Second cycle University Degree or equivalent (Laurea Specialistica/Magistrale/Magistrale a ciclo unico o Laurea vecchio ordinamento ante Ministerial Decree 509/1999) or a qualification approved as equivalent under provisions of the law
- o to belong to a non-Italian, public or private research institution (PHD student or post-doc student);

The eligibility of qualifications awarded abroad will be verified by the Selection Committee.

## **Incompatibility**

Grants within this announcement may not be combined with fellowships of any other kind, with the exception of those awarded by other institutions to integrate the specific research activities required by this announcement.

## **Procedures for submission of application form**

The deadline for submitting the application form is March 31, 2019. In the application form the candidate has to indicate the Hosting Research Center where he intends to carry on the research activity, with a minimum of no. 3 and a maximum of no. 5 preferences.

The application form is available at the link above <https://www.dismeq.unimib.it/it/eventi-e-news-0#news> and can be submitted by e-mail at Energy Finance Italia e-mail address [italiaenergyfinance@unimib.it](mailto:italiaenergyfinance@unimib.it) sending a copy of the application with autograph signature, together with the documents specified below. The copies of these documents must be scanned.

The candidate will have to indicate on the object of the message the following: *"Call for the awarding of n. 3 Research Grants in the framework of the Young Investigator Training Program"*.

Applications received after deadline will not be accepted.

Applications must include:

- a scanned copy of a valid identity document (Identity Card or Passport);
- a scientific CV;
- any letters of reference;
- any paper related to the mentioned topics relevant for the Conference and any other document, qualification or publication useful for the selection process.

### **Selection procedure**

Candidates' applications will be evaluated by a Selection Committee, composed of at least three members with specific competences on the matter.

The Selection Committee is composed as follows:

- Prof. Carlo Lucheroni, UNICAM Università degli Studi di Camerino
- Prof. Tiziano Vargiolu, Università degli Studi di Padova
- Prof. Silvana Stefani, Università degli Studi di Milano-Bicocca

According to Art. 51 and 52 of the Code of Civil Procedure and D.P.R. 62/2013, the Selection Committee looks over the applications to verify first of all the absence of situations of incompatibility among them or with the candidates.

The Selection Committee shall establish the maximum score, criteria and the procedure to be used in evaluating qualifications.

The Selection Committee shall formulate a ranking, formally approved by the Head of the Department of Statistics and Quantitative Methods and after verifying the legality of the deeds, the Head of Department shall approve by decree the ranking order and the awarding of the research grants.

In case of parity, priority is given to the youngest candidate.

The result of selection will be published on the Department website at the following address <https://www.dismeq.unimib.it/it/eventi-e-news-0#news>.

The Department will notify the awarded candidates by e-mail.

The winners will receive the assignment communication by e-mail, at the e-mail address indicated on the application form.

### **Processing of personal data**

Pursuant to Legislative Decree 196/2003 and Regulation EU 2016/679, the processing of personal data provided to or acquired by the University shall take place for the sole purpose of carrying out the present selection procedure; the data shall be processed by authorized personnel, including through the use of electronic means, in the manner and within the limits necessary for the fulfilment of the above-mentioned goals. The data shall be stored in compliance with norms on the storing of administrative documentation. The Data Controller is the University of Milan-Bicocca in the person of the Chancellor, Legal Representative, with offices in Piazza dell'Ateneo Nuovo 1, Milan.

**The person responsible for administrative proceedings**

In accordance with Art. 5 of Law no. 241 dated 7 August 1990, the person responsible for the selection process (RPA) is the head of Department of Statistics and Quantitative methods, Prof. Mario Mezzanzanica.

Head of Department  
Prof. Mario Mezzanzanica

