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**Research scholarship on *The impact of climate changes on health and welfare: an analysis at global level* - Università Ca' Foscari Venezia (Italian law 30 December 2010, n.240)**

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### **Description**

The Department of Economics at Università Ca' Foscari Venezia invites applications for a scholarship in:

***The impact of climate changes on health and welfare: an analysis at global level***

- **scientific coordinator and tutor:** Prof. Monica Billio
- **duration:** 6 months
- **SSD:** SECS P/03

### **Abstract:**

This project proposes to study specific themes in the area of climate changes, and the economics of health and finance. In particular, it requires to study the relationship between climate changes and health, as well as the estimation of the quality of life at global level. Methods from health economics will be adopted to be able to quantify the cost of mortality generated by specific sources of pollution in the absence of adequate health systems and health behaviors. Further, how this aspects of health and healthcare are linked with financial economics will need to be explored (e.g. the impact on portfolio returns). The holder of this scholarship will be required to: review the literature to identify potential gaps in relevant areas of research, conduct exploratory data analysis, and develop of replicable codes using statistical software such as R. At the end of the scholarship, the holder will write a report that contains the following: the description of the methods adopted, the main empirical results obtained, and policy recommendations for policymakers and relevant stakeholders.

**Stipend:** The research fellowship amounts to 12.000,00 Euros.

**Deadline for submission of applications:** 2021-01-10, h. 12:00 noon – local time.

**Please note that the University is closed from 24th of December 2021 to 9th of January 2022 so is recommend that applications should NOT be submitted during the indicated closing period.**

### **Minimum Application Requirements**

- degree and scientific-professional curriculum suitable for carrying out research activities

### **Favourite headlines**

Candidate must possess:

- Knowledge of software such as R;
- knowledge of applied econometrics,
- must have had research experience in policy evaluation;
- have scientific publications
- Excellent knowledge of written and oral English

### **How to apply**

Candidates should submit:

1. A CV in European format (<http://www.unive.it/data/28900/>), duly dated and signed.
2. A photocopy of a valid identity document (e.g. Identity Card or Passport).
3. All documents, qualifications and publications relevant for the selection procedure.

### **How to submit your application**

Applications should be submitted here:

<https://apps.unive.it/domandeconcorso-en/accesso/dec-borsabillioauraia-15122021>

The candidate if necessary could access the procedures for updating any data and materials by the link, in any case any updates must be made no later than the deadline **2021-10-07, h. 12.00, noon, local time.**

### **Selection procedure**

The selection is made by assessment of the scientific-professional qualifications of the candidates, the *curriculum vitae et studiorum*, the scientific publications and the interview.

The interview will be held in remote only. Further details on how to connect online will be published alongside the convocation notice

The interview will take place telematically on **2022/01/12, at 10.00 AM, local time.**

The short-list of the candidates admitted to the interview, or any postponement, will be published on the University's webpage on **2022/01/10** (<https://www.unive.it/data/12136/>).

### **Incompatibility**

The fellowships within this announcement may not be combined with:

- other research grants;
- fellowships of any other kind, with the exception of those awarded by national or foreign research institutes to integrate, with periods abroad, the specific research activities required by this announcement.

The granting of the Short Research fellowship does not give rise to the establishment of any employment relationship, nor does it give rise to rights regarding access to the roles of the University staff.

### **Information and contacts**

For further information please contact Segreteria Amministrativa del Dipartimento di Economia, phone number: 041-2349173; e-mail: [simar@unive.it](mailto:simar@unive.it)

## **Evaluation Procedure and Commission.**

A **Commission** summoned by the Director of the Department/Center, who indicates the President of the Commission and the member taking the minutes, will evaluate the applications.

**Evaluation procedure.** The Commission defines the general evaluation criteria. The interview and any other test must ascertain the suitability of the applicant to the research activity. The Commission compiles a ranking and specifies the winning applicant, having regard to the score appointed to experience and qualifications, interview and any other test, as specified by the call.

**Awarding of the short research fellowship** Having received the selection documents, and at the outcome of the checks, the Director approves, by his own decree, the classification and the selection procedure reports and makes them public according to the procedures specified in the Regulation awarding the short research fellowship art. 6 and in the website <http://www.unive.it/data/28900/>. Exclusion is justified in detail in the selection reports which can be accessed in accordance with law 241/90.

The Director of the Department at which the research programme will be conducted awards the research fellowship to the winner of the selection procedure, subject to ascertainment of the prescribed requirements. The latter shall accept the award within 7 days from receipt of the communication by signing the relative contract at the competent office of the Department of Economics, which will establish the terms of and procedures for the collaboration and allocation of the grant.

**Grant.** The fellowship is intended to provide the successful candidate with the opportunity to pursue his/her own research while benefiting from the range of expertise at Università Ca' Foscari Venezia. The tutor coordinates the activities of the Research Fellow and any other research activity within the same program and provides the Fellow with all the information for carrying out the research.

The Department provides the Research Fellow with the needed back-up support such as access to facilities, equipment and administrative services.

The Research Fellowship is not, in any case, considered as an employment contract and the Fellow is not part of the University staff.

The rights for any patentable invention coming from Research Activities belong to the University or entities with which the University has signed (or will sign) specific agreements.

## **The person responsible for administrative proceedings**

In accordance with Art. 5 of Law no. 241 dated 7 August 1990, as amended, the person responsible for the selection process (RPA) is Dott. Silvia Lovatti who can be reached at the Department of Economics, at the e-mail address [silvialo@unive.it](mailto:silvialo@unive.it) and telephone no. +39 04102349158

## **Final provisions**

For anything not specified in this call, see the University of Venice's current regulations regarding the awarding for research fellowships and the current legislation.