



Call for applications for the awarding of three scholarships to attend the master's degree program in Law, Digital Innovation and Sustainability - 2023/2024 academic year

1. Subject of the Competition

A master's degree in Law, Digital Innovation and Sustainability provides the necessary tools to interpret the technological and ecological transition taking place in society and the economy, offering students a solid interdisciplinary, managerial, legal and technical background. In that context, social, cultural, ethnic and gender diversity, as well as a focus on sustainable forms of development and emerging technologies for the innovation economy, are an indispensable value and selection criterion.

In order to encourage students who have already earned a bachelor's degree at Luiss to specialize in these fields, thanks to the support of leading companies in their fields of expertise, Luiss University is offering the following scholarships for the 2023/2024 academic year to future students in the Law, Digital Innovation and Sustainability master's degree program:

- 1 full waiver of the annual tuition fee, funded by **Fondazione Mario Gasbarri - Alleanza Assicurazioni**, reserved for students enrolled in the 2022/2023 academic year in the Politics: Philosophy and Economics bachelor's degree program;
- 1 full waiver of the annual tuition fee, funded by **NTT Data Italia S.p.A.**, reserved for students enrolled in the 2022/2023 academic year in the Management and Computer Science bachelor's degree program;
- 1 partial waiver – worth € 6,300 – of the annual tuition fee, funded by the third sector body **LabGov**, reserved for students enrolled in the 2022/2023 academic year in a bachelor's degree program at Luiss University and residing in one of the following regions: Campania, Molise, Puglia, Basilicata, Calabria, Sicily and Sardinia. The waiver will be credited against the second and third installments of the annual tuition fee. Therefore, the scholarship winner will have to pay the first installment in full as well as the associated statutory taxes by the deadline that the University sets.

2. Eligibility

The competition is open to students who:

- have completed on track (*in corso*) all the examinations provided for in their study plan by the deadline for submission of applications for this competition, with the exception of the final examination for graduating students;
- have been admitted directly to the master's degree program without having to take the admission test;
- will enroll in the first year of the master's degree program in Law, Digital Innovation and Sustainability in the 2023/2024 academic year.

3. Incompatibility

The aid envisaged by this competition is incompatible with other tuition fee waivers or scholarships held for any reason whatsoever, except for those awarded by Italian or foreign institutions designed to support, through periods abroad, a student's education for the academic years covered by this competition.

4. Awarding of the Scholarships

The scholarships will be awarded based on position in the rankings that will be compiled, one for each type of scholarship.

The ranking will be determined on the basis of the average grade achieved by candidates in their undergraduate studies by the deadline for submission of applications for this competition. The scholarship will be awarded to the candidate with the highest average grade.

In the event of a tie between two students:

- the scholarship consisting in a total waiver will be equally divided between the entitled candidates. In the event of a tie between more than two students, the scholarship will be assigned to the two students who have sent the application form first;
- the scholarship consisting in a partial waiver will be allocated to the candidate who has sent the application form first.

The outcome of the competition will be published in each candidate's own private area by July 2023.

5. Renewal of the Scholarship

The scholarship, awarded for the standard duration of the degree program, will be renewed in the following academic year on condition that the recipient, by the end of the summer exam session of the first year, has earned at least 70% of the education credits required under their study plan for graduation purposes and also has a weighted average grade of not less than 27/30.

The end of the summer session is set annually by the University and does not include the month of September.

Renewal of the scholarship envisages also the performance of three specific tasks monitored by the degree program's management:

- Tutoring for courses and in particular the **R&I Lab** and the **X-Labs** and **Z-Labs**. The scholarship holder, as a junior tutor, is required to provide guidance and supervision in relation to the group work of each R&I Lab and each X-Lab and Z-Lab, with an emphasis on the special role of "facilitator" in the conduct of project activities and communication or dissemination of results;
- Collaboration in **at least one Research and Innovation (R&I) project** pertaining to one of the research labs connected to LDIS (such as, for example, the European projects EUARENAS.EU/Collaboratorio Reggio, AWARE-EU.EU, EngageUniversity.EU R&I/Co-Science, Casa Tecnologie Emergenti Roma Open Lab, Co-Roma, etc.), paying particular attention to those falling within the areas focused on by the degree program and/or the funding entity.
- Proactive participation in the **XYZ Camp** (<https://landing.luiss.it/xyzcamp/>), i.e. the LDIS intergenerational Engagement & Community Building campaign. A program to initiate social self-organization and peer to peer learning, as well as social activities of inclusion and sharing, is envisaged. The goal of the LDIS Engagement & Community Building program is to enhance the classroom's sense of community and intergenerational dialogue by encouraging the establishment of a supportive and inclusive climate within the community and with stakeholders in the LDIS innovation ecosystem, with the possible creation of one or more start-ups or NGOs as LDIS community *inno-preneurship* vehicles. Proactive participation in the XYZ Camp includes writing articles, blog posts, and reports, as well as organizing and/or participating in digital engagement initiatives that aggregate data and convey LDIS content and results.

6. Submission of Applications

Applications must be submitted through the online application form available at: <https://www.luiss.it/studenti/agevolazioni-economiche/esoneri-e-borse-di-studio/futuri-studenti-lauree-magistrali> **between 1 June and noon on 4 July 2023.**

Only complete applications actually received by the deadline of noon on 4 July 2023 will be considered. Luiss University disclaims any liability in relation to applications that are not received due to technical issues or reasons attributable to third parties.

7. Revocation

The aid envisaged by this competition will be revoked upon the occurrence of any one of the following:



- a. the student fails to enroll in the Law, Digital Innovation and Sustainability master's degree program at Luiss University for the 2023/2024 academic year, in which case the scholarship will be allocated to the next highest ranked student;
- b. the student is eligible for the Disco Lazio regional competition for the awarding of scholarships;
- c. the student no longer fulfills the requirements necessary for renewal, as specified in Article 5 above;
- d. the student discontinues their studies;
- e. the student transfers to another university.

8. Contact Information

Any request for clarification should be addressed to the Financial Aid Office by sending an e-mail to agevolazionieconomiche@luiss.it.

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