

“EY Foundation - Third Sector Philanthropic Organization” Degree Prize in memory of Fabrizio Pascale – 2025 Edition

Luiss Guido Carli, in collaboration with **EY Foundation - Third Sector Philanthropic Organization** and the family of **Fabrizio Pascale**, a brilliant Luiss alumnus and partner of the EY network, who passed away prematurely, announces a competition for the award of **two degree prizes** in his memory, for a total amount of **€ 4,500** (four thousand five hundred euros).

The prizes are reserved for a graduate of a **bachelor’s degree program** and a graduate of a **master’s degree program** at Luiss Guido Carli, who defended a thesis on topics related to Fabrizio Pascale’s area of specialization: **“Telco, Media and Technology”** or **“Digital Innovation”**.

In the years before his death, he had ably held the position of “Telco, Media & Technology Mediterranean Leader” of EY, participating in major industry conventions and workshops, discussing and contributing intelligently to the debate on digital, innovation and telecommunications.

The competition is open to all candidates who have completed their studies on track in the graduation sessions scheduled from 1 June 2024 to 30 April 2025, obtaining their degree with a **grade of not less than 105/110**.

The selection will take place through an analysis of **thesis abstracts, curricular requirements** and merit, taking into account the list of exams passed and the marks obtained in each one as well as the **economic-income situation** of the candidates. The process also envisages the evaluation of a **motivational letter** and an interview before a commission appointed specifically for that purpose. **Those who already have a permanent working contract on the date of submission of the application are excluded from the competition.**

The Degree Prizes are funded by Fabrizio Pascale’s family and by EY Foundation Third Sector Philanthropic Organization, which operates in coordination with and in accordance with the instructions of the family of the Fabrizio, with the aim of adequately honoring his memory. The € 3,000 (three thousand euros) donated for the prize by the Pascale Family is topped up by the EY Foundation through a contribution worth € 1,500 (one thousand five hundred euros).

The Degree Prizes are broken down as follows:

- a prize of **€ 1,500** (one thousand five hundred euros) will be awarded to a bachelor’s degree program graduate;
- a prize of **€ 3,000** (three thousand euros) will be awarded to master’s degree program graduate or a student in the process of graduating from such a program.

Applications to participate in this competition must be sent no later than **noon on 6 May 2025** using the form available online at:

<https://www.luiss.edu/studenti/agevolazioni-economiche-e-prestiti/premi-di-laurea>

accompanied by a copy of the degree thesis and abstract together with a detailed curriculum vitae, a motivational letter and a currently valid ISEE (***indicatore della situazione economica equivalente***) means test certificate calculated for the purpose of obtaining aid for university studies.

The applications will be examined by a special commission that will award the prize at its absolute discretion. The commission will be composed of a Luiss representative, a representative designated by EY Foundation, a representative designated by EY and a member of the family of Fabrizio Pascale, EY partner and Luiss alumnus, in whose memory this prize was established.

The two Degree Prize winners will be notified by June 2025. The two winners of the Degree Award will be simultaneously notified of the date of the award ceremony

Any request for clarification or information should be addressed to the University's Financial Aid Office by sending an email to: agevolazionieconomiche@luiss.it.

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