



*Emanazione Bando borse di studio per studenti provenienti da Università con sede estera immatricolati per la prima volta ad un Corso di Laurea Magistrale del Politecnico nell'a.a. 2017/2018*

Il Direttore Generale

- Visto il Decreto legislativo 14/03/2013, n. 33, recante "Riordino della disciplina riguardante gli obblighi di pubblicità, trasparenza e diffusione di informazioni da parte delle pubbliche amministrazioni";
- Considerata la Legge 6/11/2012, n. 190, recante "Disposizioni per la prevenzione e la repressione della corruzione e dell'illegalità nella pubblica amministrazione";
- Visto lo Statuto del Politecnico di Torino emanato con D.R. n. 418 del 29/11/2011;
- Tenuto conto che il Piano Strategico Orizzonte 2020 del Politecnico di Torino pone tra i propri obiettivi quello di incrementare il livello qualitativo dell'offerta formativa e di garantirne un profilo alto e internazionalmente riconosciuto;
- Considerato che nel perseguire tale obiettivo l'Ateneo si impegna ad attrarre studenti meritevoli da tutto il territorio nazionale e dal resto del mondo, valorizzandone il talento, anche attraverso una più attenta selezione mirata a facilitarne l'integrazione nei percorsi formativi limitando situazioni di disagio e difficoltà di inserimento;
- Visto che per rendere operativa questa azione nei confronti degli studenti internazionali, l'Ateneo ha avviato il progetto "TOPoliTO: attracting international Top students at the Politecnico di Torino" che intende rafforzare la promozione dell'Ateneo all'estero allo scopo di orientare e selezionare i giovani che chiedono di iscriversi al nostro Ateneo;
- Tenuto conto che una delle linee di azione (linea 2) in cui si articola il suddetto Progetto prevede l'orientamento, la selezione e la valorizzazione degli studenti internazionali, con individuazione delle aree geografiche di maggiore interesse (Asia e Sud-Est Asiatico, America Latina, Nord Africa e medio Oriente);
- Visto che il Consiglio di Amministrazione nella seduta del 30 novembre 2015 ha stanziato una somma pari a € 1.300.000 finalizzata a supportare la linea di azione su descritta con borse di studio da destinare ai migliori studenti selezionati e altri strumenti di promozione;
- Considerato che la Convenzione tra il Politecnico di Torino e la Compagnia di San Paolo per il periodo 2016-2018 prevede il finanziamento della linea 1 del progetto "Mobilità Internazionale";
- Tenuto conto la Commissione Mobilità Internazionale ha stabilito che:
  - le suddette borse di studio vengano assegnate per l'anno accademico 2017/2018 ai migliori studenti provenienti da università con sede estera immatricolati per la prima volta a un Corso di Laurea Magistrale del Politecnico e che abbiano superato almeno 16 CFU entro il 03/03/2018;
  - l'importo di ciascuna borsa sia pari a 8.000 euro/anno (costo ente) per due anni (fatta salva la verifica del mantenimento dei livelli di merito che saranno i medesimi utilizzati nel caso delle borse "CSP Scholarships" già attivate);
  - le borse di studio siano così distribuite:
    - n. 6 per gli studenti iscritti ai corsi di Laurea Magistrale nell'area dell'Ingegneria
    - n. 2 per gli studenti iscritti ai corsi di Laurea Magistrale nell'area dell'Architettura





**DETERMINA**

l'emanazione del *Bando di concorso per borse di studio per studenti internazionali provenienti da università con sede estera immatricolati per la prima volta nell'a.a. 2017/2018 ad un Corso di Laurea Magistrale del Politecnico* allegato alla presente Determina.

Torino, 20/06/2018

IL DIRETTORE GENERALE  
(f.to Aldo TOMMASIN)



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Scholarships



## TOPoliTO Scholarships – Master of Science programs

### Call for applications

for international students enrolled in the 2017/18 academic year

### Introduction

The Politecnico di Torino has launched the program “TOPoliTO: attracting top students at the Politecnico di Torino” aimed at strengthening the University's ability to attract talented international students to undergraduate and graduate degree courses offered by Politecnico di Torino.

Within this program, Politecnico di Torino offers international<sup>1</sup> students who **meet the application requirements in art. 2 below** and who **are enrolled**, for the first time from the first semester, **in 2017/18 academic year** in a **full-degree Master of Science program** of Politecnico di Torino, in *Engineering* or *Architecture fields*, the opportunity to be awarded a **scholarship** to complete the program they are enrolled in.

The initiative is promoted by the Politecnico di Torino with the support of Compagnia di San Paolo.

### 1. Amount and duration of the Scholarships

The project will award **8** scholarships to international students enrolled in the 2017/18 academic year at the **Master of Science level** as follows:

- **6** scholarships to students enrolled in *Engineering* field programs<sup>2</sup>
- **2** scholarships to students enrolled in *Architecture* field programs<sup>3</sup>

The scholarship is meant to cover the two years (a.y. 2017/18 and 2018/19) of the Master of Science program.

The Gross Amount of the scholarship will be 8.000 € per year for the 2 years of the program<sup>4</sup>.

### 2. Application requirements and incompatibility

#### REQUIREMENTS

Application is open to international students who, **in spite of the citizenship**, meet the following **requirements**:

<sup>1</sup> “International students” are those whose qualification for admission to Master of Science programs were obtained at an institution outside Italy

<sup>2</sup> See [course catalogue](#)

<sup>3</sup> See [course catalogue](#)

<sup>4</sup> The amount gross of all charges for the beneficiary account is 7.373,27 € per year. N.B.: being a taxed scholarship, the net amount will depend upon individual tax conditions.



- having a **Bachelor Degree** or an “equivalent academic qualification” **obtained in an University outside Italy**. Students with “equivalent academic qualification” are those enrolled in foreign universities in 5 or 6-year degree programs who have not graduated yet but meet the minimum requirement of 15 years of global schooling (minimum 3 years at University level) and have acquired at least 180 ECTS credits or equivalent
- **being enrolled, for the first time and from the first semester, as a full-time student in 2017/18 academic year** in a **Master of Science program of Politecnico di Torino**, in *Engineering* or *Architecture fields*
- having achieved **at least 16 credits** (excluding recognized credits and language exams) **within the Winter examination session – 2017/18 academic year** at the Politecnico di Torino

#### INCOMPATIBILITY

Applicants **must not**:

- **have been enrolled, before the 2017/18 academic year**, in any First, Second, Third Cycle Degree program or Specializing Master **in an Italian university**, with the exception of students in the frame of Double or Joint Degree projects who obtained a Laurea degree (First Cycle) of Politecnico di Torino or any other Italian University and a First Cycle Degree at their home foreign institution
- have obtained a **credit recognition higher than 20 credits** at Politecnico di Torino
- **be the recipient of any other Italian or foreign scholarships** provided by any private or public institution (including, for example, scholarships of the Regional Agency for the Right to Education of Piedmont –EDISU, Alta Scuola Politecnica (ASP), Invest your Talent, CRUI grants for beneficiaries of international protection or Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation –MAECI etc.) **nor at the time of application, neither at the time of the publication of the scholarship list of standings, at the time of payment, and for the whole duration of the scholarship assignment**
- **be part of a Double or Joint Degree project** as an incoming student attending a Master of Science program at the Politecnico di Torino

### 3. How to apply

Students interested in applying for TOPolITO Master of Science Scholarships have to submit the application **from the date of publication of this call up to July 4<sup>th</sup>, 2018** through the online procedure which can be accessed through the "*Portale della Didattica*" - Section "*La mia didattica*".

### 4. Assignment requirements

Applicants will be selected based on the **marks** and **number of credits** achieved and registered by March 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2018, end of the Winter examination session 2017/18 academic year.

Only students having obtained **at least 16 credits** (excluding recognized credits and language exams) will be considered for the list of standings. Any exam taken but not registered by this date will not be considered.

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## 5. Assignment procedure

The list of standings of students matching all requirements indicated at article 2 will be established on the basis of a score obtained by **multiplying the number of credits** of each exam achieved and registered by the Winter examination session – 2017/18 a.y. for **the mark obtained**. The **final score** is given by the **sum** of the results.

The list of standings will be drawn up in decreasing order based on the results thus obtained. Assignments will be based on the number of scholarships available.

In case the scholarships available for a specific field (*Engineering* or *Architecture*) are not all awarded, the remaining scholarships will be transferred and made available to eligible students of the other field according to the list of standings.

In case two or more candidates obtain the same score, the younger will be awarded the scholarship.

## 6. Publication of list of standings

Two separate lists of standings with eligible applicants for *Engineering* and *Architecture* field will be published as follows:

- **17/07/2018**: publication of **1<sup>st</sup> provisional list of standings**
- **23/07/2018**: publication of **final list of standings**
- **26/07/2018**: deadline for the **acceptance** of the scholarships by the winner students
- **30/07/2018**: publication of **update final list of standings upon reassignment** in case of withdrawal of winners

The lists of standings will be published to the online Official Register of the Politecnico di Torino ([https://www.swas.polito.it/dotnet/albo\\_online/](https://www.swas.polito.it/dotnet/albo_online/)) and on the [TOPoliTO project website](#).

The affixing of the standings to the online Official Register of the Politecnico di Torino and on the TOPoliTo project website will be, for all intents and purposes, the only official notification of inclusion in the lists of selections and, for students with the appropriate qualifications, the only official communication that they have been awarded a scholarship. We emphasize that the Politecnico di Torino assumes no responsibility for the applicant's failure to view the standings and/or the terms for the acceptance of the scholarships as published on the online Official Register of the Politecnico.

## 7. Acceptance

An e-mail message will be sent to eligible applicants that, based on the number of scholarships available, could be assigned the scholarship. This e-mail will summarize the terms for the acceptance of the scholarship. Nevertheless, this message does not constitute an official communication of the outcome of the selection.



In order to confirm the position in the ranking, eligible students will have to officially accept it, under penalty of loss of the scholarship. Acceptance will be expressed according to the procedures indicated in the mentioned e-mail within the deadlines indicated in art. 4.

By accepting the scholarship, eligible students will state their full acceptance of the conditions laid down in the call for applications, and declare, under their own full responsibility, that they do not fall within any of the conditions of incompatibility laid down in art. 2 of this call for applications. They shall also commit to notify the university of any variation in the declared information which may arise during the year.

## 8. Payment and requirements to maintain the scholarship

The scholarship is meant to cover the two years of the regular duration of the Master of Science program.

Payment of the total amount related to the 2017/18 a.y. will be done with a single installment. Payment for 2018/19 a.y. will occur monthly. In order to receive the payment, scholarship recipients will be required to open a bank account in their name in an Italian bank.

The student will **maintain the scholarship** for his/her second year of the Master of Science program provided that he/she will maintain the following requirements:

- being registered as a full time student for the a.y. 2018/19 in the second year of the same Master of Science program of first enrollment (internal transfer to another program is not compatible with the maintenance of the scholarship)
- achieving a **minimum of 40 credits within September 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2018** (Autumn examination session – a.y. 2017/18)

In case one or both those requirements are not met, the payment of the scholarships will be stopped.

Scholarships have a maximum duration of 2 continuous years, after which the student will be responsible for his/her expenses until graduation, as well as tuition and any other fees.

## 9. Other important information

**Outgoing mobility:** TOPoliTO scholarship recipients can apply to outbound activities in the frame of the mobility calls. Nevertheless, due to the impossibility to be the recipients of other scholarships, the only financial support for the outgoing mobility will be TOPoliTO scholarship.

**Costs not covered by the scholarship:** TOPoliTO scholarships do not include tuition fees, travel and accommodation costs, which are thus totally at the expense of the student.

**Tuition fees:** TOPoliTO scholarship recipients can apply for tuition fees reduction. For more information see [https://didattica.polito.it/tasse\\_riduzioni/index\\_en.html](https://didattica.polito.it/tasse_riduzioni/index_en.html)



## 10. Official in charge of the administrative procedure

According to art. 5 of Italian Law n. 241 of 07/08/1990, the official in charge of the administrative procedure concerning this call for application is Francesca Brazzani.

## 11. Contacts

International Affairs Department- Incoming Mobility Office: [topolito.grants@polito.it](mailto:topolito.grants@polito.it)

## 12. Processing Personal Data

Applicants' personal data will be managed as stipulated by the European General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) 679/2016 and according to the guidelines published at [http://didattica.polito.it/privacy/index\\_en.html](http://didattica.polito.it/privacy/index_en.html) and exclusively used for selection and enrolment purposes. All anonymous data may be used in statistical elaboration processes.

The data will be processed using electronic method.

The Administration reserves the right to verify the truth of the information provided. Without prejudice to the penal sanctions of article 76 of Italian Presidential Decree no. 445/2000, in the event of fraudulent information being discovered as a result of such verification the applicant will forfeit the right to the study grant.

Approved by the General Director (n. 853 of 20/06/2018)