

Subject: Young Investigator Training Program (YITP) | Selection procedure*

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The Young Investigator Training Program (YITP) Selection Board, appointed by the Head of the Law Department of the University of Catania (prot. no. 244628, 22.6.2022), met in remote mode on June 24th, 2022, at h. 8.30 a.m.

The YITP Selection Board is composed as follows:

- Giulio Bartolini, Associate Professor of International Law (SSD IUS13);
- Maria Sole Testuzza, Associate Professor of History of Medieval and Modern Law (SSD IUS19);
- Adriana Di Stefano, Associate Professor of European Union Law (SSD IUS14).

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Preliminarily, the YITP Selection Board reminds that, according to art. 3 of the call, applicants should:

- have held a PhD for no more than 10 years and currently hold a non-tenure track position in a foreign (non-Italian, worldwide) research institution;
- or be PhD students in a foreign (non-Italian, worldwide) research institution.

According to art. 6 of the call, scholarships will be awarded on the basis of the following aspects:

- *Curriculum vitae et studiorum*;
- Publications;
- Content of the research program: validity and scientific originality of the proposal; feasibility of the project; relevance of expected results;
- An interview on the research proposals and on the submitted qualifications (also in remote mode).

With regard to non-European grants, preference will be given to Ukrainian scholars and to other candidates of other nationalities under international protection.

In evaluating the submitted applications, the YITP Selection Board awards a maximum of 35 points, to be assigned as follows:

- *Curriculum vitae*: max 15 pt.
- Publications: max 7 pt.
- Research project: max 8 pt.
- Interview: max 5 pt.

The assessment is final only at the end of the oral interview. Applicants reaching a minimum of 15/35 pt. will be considered eligible candidates for the purposes of the call.

[...]

The YITP Selection Board notes that no applications have been received from either Ukrainian scholars or candidates of other nationalities under international protection.

After having ascertained the absence of circumstances of conflict of interests or incompatibility in the sense given by arts. 51 and 52 of the Italian Code of Civil Procedure, the YITP Selection Board examined the applications with a view to provide an assessment of CV, publications and research project.

At the end of the assessment, the YITP Selection Procedure drew up a table containing [...]–the provisional ranking of potential beneficiaries (see below).

The YITP Selection Board will meet on July 8th, 2022, for the purposes of conducting the interviews. The interviews will be held in remote mode at the following link: <https://bit.ly/3OlabMF>.

In light of different time zones, the interviews will be carried out in accordance with the following timetable:

8 July 2022, h. 9.30-12.30 a.m.

1. Abdelhadi, Kasmi
2. Akdogan, Erkan
3. Aksenova, Marina
4. Aksünger, Selman
5. Bertram, Daniel
6. Byczyński, Michal
7. Caruso, Elena
8. Debucquois, Claire
9. Dobre, Daniela
10. Feng, Yuxi
11. Fischer, Anna
12. Frode, Karin
13. Pelliconi, Andrea Maria

8 July 2022, h. 3.30-5.30 p.m.

1. Jafarpour, Yasaman

2. Jia, Yifan
3. Mutsvara, Shepherd
4. Nagy, Attila
5. Pantazopoulos, Stavros Evdodimos
6. Poderati, Giuseppe
7. Prosperi, Luigi
8. Rendl, Jakob
9. Simonyan, Artur
10. Videler, Mike

The meeting ended at h. 10.30 a.m.

The YITP Selection Board

Provisional Ranking List

EXTRA-EU

Applicant ID number	CV (0-15)	Publications (0-7)	Research Project (0-8)	Tot. (0-30)
75	15	7	6	28
25	14	4	6	24
42	13	5	5	23
68	12	3	7	22
78	4	4	4	12
74	5	3	3	11
70	4	2	4	10

58	4	2	1	7
26	2	2	2	6
40	3	0	1	4

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76	15	7	8	30
33	15	7	4	26
73	14	4	7	25
67	14	6	4	24
34	12	5	6	23
64	10	3	4	17
43	7	3	7	17
61	8	4	4	16
71	7	3	6	16
66	8	4	4	16
65	4	3	4	11
29	4	3	3	10
80	2	1	3	6