

Titolo III Classe 12.15_2019
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The General Manager

HAVING REGARD TO Italian Presidential Decree 28.12.2000, no. 445;

HAVING REGARD TO Articles 2 and 12 of Italian Prime Ministerial Decree of 9 April 2001, 'Equal treatment in the right to higher education';

HAVING REGARD TO the Regulation for Administration, Finance and Accounting, issued by Rector's Decree no. 828 ref. no. 7766 of 14/03/2014 and in particular Articles 75 and 79;

HAVING REGARD TO Rector's Decree No 63/AG of 24/12/1999 issuing the Regulations for the degree prize 'Prof. Ottorino Sesini';

HAVING REGARD TO the minutes of the Exam Board for the MS degree prize 'Prof. Ottorino Sesini' year 2025 of 22/05/2025;

HEREBY DECREES

the issue of the competition notice for the assignment of **1 MS degree prize "Prof. Ottorino Sesini" year 2026.**

Art. 1

Introduction

Prof. Ottorino Sesini has been, since 1935 and for many years, an illustrious professor of Applied Mechanics to Machines at the Politecnico di Milano.

In 1981 he was appointed Professor emeritus of the Politecnico di Milano.

Thanks to the fund created in 1986 by the Sesini family, was born the prize of graduation named after him.

Art. 2

Description of the prize and recipients

The MS degree prize, for a total of €1,500.00 gross and net of charges to be paid by the Politecnico di Milano, shall be awarded to students who graduated with a Laurea Magistrale at the Politecnico di Milano:

1. in Mechanical Engineering - Ingegneria Meccanica

2. in the period May 2024 to April 2025
3. with an average exam mark of at least 27/30, with an additional score of 3/30 assigned to each honours

The Fundraising and Alumni Unit will verify whether the requirements have been met, using the Politecnico di Milano's digital archive.

It is the applicant's responsibility to ensure that the data present in the Politecnico di Milano's digital archive are correct and current by the deadline of this call for applications.

Art. 3 How to participate

Applicants must submit their applications via the Online Services <http://www.polimi.it/servizionline> (Benefits and agreements> Economic benefits) **by 12 pm (noon Italian time) on 17 April 2026.**

Applicants must attach the following:

- their thesis in PDF format, maximum 10 MB
- a summary of up to four pages in PDF format, maximum 10 MB

The files must be named in the format Surname-Name-Type of document.pdf (for example Smith-John-Thesis.pdf)

The completion of the online application (status: closed) is equivalent to submitting an application for participation in this call for applications, and implies acceptance of its contents.

It is the applicant's responsibility to check that the procedure has been completed correctly.

After having completed and submitted the application, the applicant may print a receipt and the application may no longer be altered. The applicant may delete the application and submit a new one at any time before the deadline set out in this call.

Failure to complete and submit the application, submitting an incomplete application or submitting inadequate documents will result in the applicant being excluded from the assessment procedure.

In the case of **multi-author theses**, **each co-author wishing to compete** for the prize **must submit their own individual application.**

In this case, all authors must submit identical documentation required by Art. 3 under penalty of exclusion of all authors from the evaluation.

In case of non-participation of one or more authors, it is up to the applicant author to contact them in the event of winning the prize.

Art. 4

Selection Committee

The awarding of the MS degree prize is decided on the basis of a ranking drawn up by a Selection Board appointed by managerial decree after the deadline of the call for applications.

The ranking shall be drawn up by the Board taking into account the academic career and the thesis produced.

On the condition that the requirements in Art. 2 of the call are met, in the event of a tie, the Board shall award the prize to the applicant whose thesis is in the field of Mechanics Applied to Machines.

In the event that multiple applicants hold equivalent qualifications, the Board may decide to divide the amount of the prize among them.

Should the Selection Board decide that none of the theses presented by the competitors is adequate, the prize shall not be awarded.

The ranking will be posted on the University's website in the section:

<https://www.polimi.it/studenti/tasse-borse-e-agevolazioni/borse-di-studio-non-dsu-e-premi-di-laurea>

The winner(s) may be invited to meet with the donor.

Art. 5

General rules

Accumulation: the MS degree award cannot be combined with other Politecnico di Milano awards received for the same MS thesis.

Waiver: in case of waiver by the winner, the degree prize shall be awarded to the next applicant in the ranking.

Payment: the degree prize shall be paid in a single payment. The winner shall be notified via email, after the publication of the final ranking, at their university e-mail address. Within 10 days of receiving said notification, the winners must return the forms attached to the award notification, signed for acceptance.

Taxation: monies awarded are subject to taxation, in accordance with current legislation on scholarships and degree prizes. The degree award is treated as employment income, and is therefore treated in the same way for tax purposes. The costs borne by the Politecnico di Milano correspond to the regional production (IRAP) rate amounting to 8.5% of the amount of the degree prize.

Non-award: in the event that, for any reason, the degree prize is not awarded, the relative amount shall go to increase the capital of the fund.

Self-certification: Politecnico di Milano will verify the recipient's declarations and any false declarations will result in the forfeiture of any benefits awarded.

Art. 6

Head of the procedure

Pursuant to Art. 5 of Italian Law No 241 of 7 August 1990, the head of this call for applications procedure is Ivano Ciceri.

For information: borse.premi@polimi.it

The General Manager
Ing. Graziano Dragoni

This Call for Applications is translated into English for information purposes only. The Italian version alone is valid for all legal purposes.

PRIVACY POLICY IN ACCORDANCE WITH ARTICLE 13 OF THE EUROPEAN GENERAL DATA PROTECTION REGULATION (GDPR)

The Politecnico di Milano (hereafter also Politecnico), as Data Controller, with registered address in Piazza Leonardo da Vinci 32, 20133 Milan - General Management, hereby informs you of the methods for processing your personal data, in compliance with Regulation (EU) 2016/679 of 27 April 2016 on the protection of personal data and relative implementing regulations (hereafter the Regulation).

The Data Processor of the data you have provided is the Director of the Research, Innovation and Corporate Relations Division.

A.PERSONAL DATA COLLECTED

The personal data concerning you collected and processed by the Politecnico are (a) the data provided by you when you registered or enrolled, including name, surname, date and place of birth, gender, tax code, nationality, home address, telephone and email contact details, academic qualifications; (b) the data collected when you submit your application, in particular relating to your academic career, the degree awarded, as well as the information contained in your thesis.

B.PURPOSES AND METHODS OF PROCESSING

Your personal data may be processed for the following purposes:

1)for the public interest of verifying requirements for participation in the competition according to the criteria set forth in this call for applications and all other legal purposes, including statistics.

In relation to the aforesaid purposes, the data will be processed by the Politecnico di Milano using manual, computerised and electronic tools, in a manner pertinent and limited to what is necessary with respect to the purposes for which the data are processed, and in any case in such a way as to guarantee the utmost security and confidentiality and always in full compliance with current legislation.

C.MANDATORY OR VOLUNTARY NATURE OF DATA PROVISION

The provision of data for the purposes indicated in section B 1 is mandatory; any refusal to provide such data will result in the inadmissibility of the application and immediate exclusion from the procedure.

D.SCOPE OF DATA DISCLOSURE AND CIRCULATION

Your personal data will be communicated to the Politecnico employees who are authorised to process those data, namely natural or legal persons who work with the Politecnico to implement the procedures for the selection and assignment of the award under this call. **Your data shall also be disclosed to the donor to inform them of the result of the competition.**

If any contact is made by the donor, the latter will be understood to be a separate and autonomous data controller, which will provide you with an appropriate privacy policy.

E.STORAGE AND POSSIBLE TRANSFER OF PERSONAL DATA

Your personal data will be stored at the Politecnico di Milano and will not be transferred to a third country.

F.DATA RETENTION PERIOD

Your personal data will be retained only for as long as strictly necessary in order to meet the requirements of this call for applications, unless it becomes necessary to retain and store the data for a longer period in the public interest. If the data are stored for longer periods, the Politecnico guarantees compliance with the data minimisation principle under Art. 89, point 1 of the Regulation.

G.YOUR RIGHTS

You have the right to:

- obtain information on the methods by which your data are processed and any other information under Art. 15 of the Regulation ('right of access')
- rectify any of your personal data that are incorrect or incomplete pursuant to Art. 16 of the Regulation ('right to rectification')
- restrict the processing of personal data concerning you, pursuant to Art. 18 of the Regulation ('right to restriction');
- object to the processing of your personal data in the cases and by the methods set forth in Art. 21 of the Regulation ('right to object')

You may make a complaint to the Data Protection Officer by writing to: privacy@polimi.it

By submitting an application, you declare you have read and understood this privacy policy and all of its parts, as indicated in Art. 13 of the Regulation, and you consent to the processing of your personal data.