

**COMPETITION BY EXAM AND ACADEMIC TITLES, ANNOUNCED ON 01/07/2021, PROT. N. 103 [Cod. riferimento: C3 1°L] FOR THE CONFERRAL OF 1 RESEARCH GRANT WITH A DURATION OF TWO YEARS FOR THE SECTOR 01/B1 INFORMATICS AT THE RESEARCH CENTRE BIDSÀ OF UNIVERSITÀ COMMERCIALE "LUIGI BOCCONI" OF MILAN**

**Minutes 1**

The Judging Committee of the competition by exam and academic titles for 1 spot for a Research Grant related to sector 01/B1 INFORMATICS (Scientific Sector INF/01 INFORMATICS) with a duration of two years at the Research Centre BIDSÀ of Università Commerciale "Luigi Bocconi" of Milan is made up of:

- Prof. Dirk Hovy, Associate Professor
- Prof. Daniele Durante, Assistant Professor
- Prof. Cristoph Feinauer, Assistant Professor

It met on 02/15/2021 at 15.00 pm in a conference call at Bocconi University to decide the scores to assign to the research and academic titles and publications.

The Committee had appointed Dirk Hovy as President, Cristoph Feinauer as Member and Daniele Durante as Secretary.

The Committee took note of the regulations set out in the notice of competition that the maximum points to be assigned are as follows:

- 30 points out of 100 for the evaluation of CV, academic titles and research and programming experience;
  - 30 points out of 100 for the evaluation of scientific publications presented and the "Document to pursue the research";
  - 40 points out of 100 for the evaluation by interview.
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- 100 points out of a total of 100

Only candidates who achieve a minimum of 40 points in the evaluation of titles, publications and project will be admitted to be evaluated by interview.

Having read the applications and titles submitted by the candidates of the competition, which were all compliant with what was set out in the competition notice, the following points were assigned:

<b>NAME</b>	10 points	Evaluation of CV, academic titles and programming experience
<b>Elena AKHMATOVA</b>		
	6 points	Evaluation of scientific publications and the "Document to pursue the research";
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>16 points</b>	

The candidate holds a PhD in Computer Science from University of Sydney in Australia achieved in 2009; her profile and publication record do not fit the project and they are not fully in line with the requirements of the call.

<b>NAME</b> <b>Judith ANDREW</b>	23 points	Evaluation of CV, academic titles and research and programming experience
	11 points	Evaluation of scientific publications and the “Document to pursue the research”;
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>34 points</b>	

The candidate achieved a PhD in 2020 from University of Caen in France; her profile and publication record do not fit the project and they are not fully in line with the requirements of the call.

<b>NAME</b> <b>Roya ASADI</b>	10 points	Evaluation of CV, academic titles and research and programming experience
	23 points	Evaluation of scientific publications and the “Document to pursue the research”;
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>33 points</b>	

The candidate holds a PhD from the Department of Artificial Intelligence at Malesya University; his profile and publication record do not fit the project and they are not fully in line with the requirements of the call.

<b>NAME</b> <b>Muhammad Adnan ASHRAF</b>	11 points	Evaluation of CV, academic titles and research and programming experience
	12 points	Evaluation of scientific publications and the “Document to pursue the research”;
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>23 points</b>	

The candidate achieved a PhD in Computer Science from NWPU University in Xi'an, China in 2017; his profile and publication record do not fit the project and they are not fully in line with the requirements of the call.

<b>NAME</b> <b>Rosario CATELLI</b>	11 points	Evaluation of CV, academic titles and research and programming experience
	12 points	Evaluation of scientific publications and the

		“Document to pursue the research”;
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>23 points</b>	

The candidate is a PhD candidate in Information Technology and Electronic Engineering at University of Naples Federico II ; his profile and publication record do not fit the project and they are not fully in line with the requirements of the call.

<b>NAME</b> <b>Amanda CURRY CERCAS</b>	36 points	Evaluation of CV, academic titles and research and programming experience
	37 points	Evaluation of scientific publications and the “Document to pursue the research”;
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>73 points</b>	

The candidate is a PhD candidate in Computer Science at Heriot-Watt University of Edimburgo, Uk. Thanks to a broad experience and an excellent publication record in line with the research project, the candidate corresponds well to the requirements of the call.

<b>NAME</b> <b>Ramzi CHAIEB</b>	16 points	Evaluation of CV, academic titles and research and programming experience
	18 points	Evaluation of scientific publications and the “Document to pursue the research”;
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>34 points</b>	

The candidate holds a PhD in Engineering Science and Technology from the National Engineering School of Tunis in 2017; his profile and publication record do not fit the project and they are not fully in line with the requirements of the call.

<b>NAME</b> <b>Marco DI GIOVANNI</b>	24 points	Evaluation of CV, academic titles and research and programming experience
	35 points	Evaluation of scientific publications and the “Document to pursue the research”;
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>59 points</b>	

The candidate achieved a joint PhD from University of Bologna and Polytechnic University of Milan in 2020; although the publication record is sometimes slightly outside the research project, the candidate has a great publication record and his profile corresponds to the requirements of the call.

<b>NAME</b> <b>Anne LAUSCHER</b>	36 points	Evaluation of CV, academic titles and research and programming experience
	39 points	Evaluation of scientific publications and the “Document to pursue the research”;
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>75 points</b>	

The candidate is PhD candidate in Natural Language Processing at University of Mannheim, Germany. Thanks to a broad experience and an excellent publication record in line with the research project, the candidate corresponds well to the requirements of the call.

<b>NAME</b> <b>Leila MOUDJARI</b>	12 points	Evaluation of CV, academic titles and research and programming experience
	12 points	Evaluation of scientific publications and the “Document to pursue the research”;
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>24 points</b>	

The candidate is PhD candidate in Artificial Intelligence at Science and Technology University - Houari Boumediene of Bab-Ezzouar in Algeria; her profile and publication record do not fit the project and they are not fully in line with the requirements of the call.

<b>NAME</b> <b>Alan RAMPONI</b>	35 points	Evaluation of CV, academic titles and research and programming experience
	12 points	Evaluation of scientific publications and the “Document to pursue the research”;
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>47 points</b>	

The candidate is a PhD candidate in Computer Science at University of Trento, Italy. Thanks to a solid publication record in line with the research project, the candidate corresponds to the requirements of the call.

<b>NAME</b> <b>Ali SAEED</b>	11 points	Evaluation of CV, academic titles and research and programming experience
	23 points	Evaluation of scientific publications and the “Document to pursue the research”;
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>34 points</b>	

The candidate achieved in 2020 a PhD in Computer Science from COMSATS University of Islamabad in Pakistan; Although the candidate sent an excellent presentation letter, his profile and publication record do not fit the project and they are not fully in line with the requirements of the call.

<b>NAME</b> <b>Charles WELCH</b>	23 points	Evaluation of CV, academic titles and research and programming experience
	34 points	Evaluation of scientific publications and the “Document to pursue the research”;
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>57 points</b>	

The candidate achieved in 2020 a PhD in Computer Science from University of Michigan; thanks to a good publication record, very relevant fit for the project in existing work, the candidate corresponds to the requirements of the call.

Based on the regulations for this competition, the following candidates will be admitted to be evaluated by interview:

**Cercas Curry Amanda** (73 points)  
**Di Giovanni Marco** (59 points)  
**Lauscher Anne** (75 points)  
**Ramponi Alan** (47 points)  
**Welch Charles** (57 points)

The interview will take place on the date 02/24/2021 at the time 15.00 via conference call.

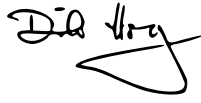
The meeting ended at 17.00 pm.

Pursuant to and in accordance with article 5 of the notice of competition, the Committee hereby communicates this report to the Faculty and Research Division of Università Commerciale "Luigi Bocconi" for subsequent steps.

Read, approved and signed.

Milan,

- Prof. Dirk Hovy (President)

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- Prof. Cristoph Faineauer (Member)

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- Prof. Daniele Durante (Secretary)

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