

COMPETITION BY EXAM AND ACADEMIC TITLES FOR THE CONFERRAL OF 1 RESEARCH GRANT ANNOUNCED ON FEBRUARY 3 2020, PROT. N. 15368 FOR THE SECTOR OF 14/A2 POLITICAL SCIENCE AND SECTOR 14/C3 POLITICAL SOCIOLOGY, SOCIOLOGY OF LAW AT THE CENTER DONDENA OF UNIVERSITA' 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 14/A2 POLITICAL SCIENCE and sector 14/C3 POLITICAL SOCIOLOGY, SOCIOLOGY OF LAW with a duration of three years at the Research Centre DONDENA (Project - LOSS Narratives of Loss: Unravelling the Origins of Support for Socially Conservative Political Agendas. Horizon 2020 Call: ERC-2019-COG. Grant Agreement n. 864687) of Università Commerciale "Luigi Bocconi" of Milan is made up of:

- Prof.ssa Catherine Netjes (De Vries), Full Professor
- Prof. Anthony Bertelli, Full Professor
- Prof. Piero Stanig, Assistant Professor

The Committee decided to meet on March 11 2020 at 16:00 pm in on a skype call to evaluate the candidates' profiles and assign scores related to their research activities, academic titles and publications. Prof.ssa De Vries, Prof. Bertelli and Prof. Stanig participated on call.

The Committee had previously appointed Prof. Bertelli as President and Prof. Stanig 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:

ACAROGLU Ilhan Onur	10 points	Evaluation of CV, academic titles and research and programming experience
	15 points	Evaluation of scientific publications and the “Document to pursue the research”;
TOTAL	25 points	

The Candidate received a PhD from University of Birmingham. His research topics fits the focus of the call, and the candidate has some publications. The candidate’s research focus is political philosophy, less in applied in applied political science The candidate does not display evidence of research skills mentioned in the call, such as knowledge of R and proven data skills (data collection and analysis methods).

AL-KHOURY Dareen	10 points	Evaluation of CV, academic titles and research and programming experience
	5 points	Evaluation of scientific publications and the “Document to pursue the research”;
TOTAL	15 points	

The Candidate is a PhD student at the University of Milano - Bicocca. His research is in the area of media analysis, political participation, extremism, with a focus on radicalization and islam. His area of research does not fit the thematic focus on the call. The candidate does not display evidence of research skills mentioned in the call, such as knowledge of R and proven data skills (data collection and analysis methods).

ALEKSANDRA Ana	10 points	Evaluation of CV, academic titles and research and programming experience
	10 points	Evaluation of scientific publications and the “Document to pursue the research”;
TOTAL	20 points	

The Candidate obtained a PhD from the Scuola Normale Supriore in Firenze (2019) and is now lecturer at Sciences Po Le Havre. She has research publications, yet these are primarily in the area of contentious politics and NGOs, less so in applied political behavior or political economy. The candidate does have knowledge of R, yet does not display evidence of proven data skills (data collection and analysis methods) in experimental methods that are mentioned in this call.

AUSSERLADSCHEIDER Valentina	20 points	Evaluation of CV, academic titles and research and programming experience
	15 points	Evaluation of scientific publications and the "Document to pursue the research";
TOTAL	35 points	

The Candidate is a PhD candidate at Cambridge University. Her research interests are political sociology and international and comparative political economy, especially far right politics. The candidate shows promising line of research. The candidate does have knowledge of R, yet does not display evidence of proven data skills (data collection and analysis methods) in experimental methods that are included in this call.

AZZOLLINI Leo	20 points	Evaluation of CV, academic titles and research and programming experience
	20 points	Evaluation of scientific publications and the "Document to pursue the research";
TOTAL	40 points	

The candidate is a PhD candidate at the Bocconi University. His research focus fits the content of this call very well. The candidate also shows some programming experience is in line with the requirement of the call, albeit only an intermediate level of R.

BERZ Jan	20 points	Evaluation of CV, academic titles and research and programming experience
	5 points	Evaluation of scientific publications and the "Document to pursue the research";
TOTAL	25 points	

The candidate is a PhD candidate and research fellow at the Leuphana University of Luneburg. He has not yet defended the PhD, but he has some publications. His research experience however is not in line with the requirement of the call, it is in the field of party competition/political elites rather than in political behavior/public opinion research. The candidate does have knowledge of R, yet does not display evidence of proven data skills (data collection and analysis methods) in experimental methods that are included in this call.

BOLET Diane	28 points	Evaluation of CV, academic titles and research and programming experience
	30 points	Evaluation of scientific publications and the “Document to pursue the research”;
TOTAL	58 points	

The candidate is a PhD candidate at the London School of Economics. She has not yet defended the PhD, but has some publications. Her research and programming experience are clearly in line with the call. Her research project fits the ERC project well and showed a lot promise in terms of her own research contribution. It displays research autonomy.

CREMASCHI Simone Carlo Vladimiro	28 points	Evaluation of CV, academic titles and research and programming experience
	30 points	Evaluation of scientific publications and the “Document to pursue the research”;
TOTAL	58 points	

The candidate is a PhD candidate at the European University Institute. He has not yet defended the PhD, but he has some publications. His research and programming experience are very much in line with the requirement of the call, especially the causal inference and qualitative combination. His research project fits the ERC project well and was rigorous and original. It displays research autonomy.

EROL Fatim	20 points	Evaluation of CV, academic titles and research and programming experience
	15 points	Evaluation of scientific publications and the “Document to pursue the research”;
TOTAL	35 points	

The candidate is a PhD candidate at Koc University. He has not yet defended the PhD, but he has some publications. His research expertise is more in political psychology than political behavior /political economy research. His research and programming expertise are not fully in line with the requirements listed in the call.

FERRARA Federico Maria	15 points	Evaluation of CV, academic titles and research and programming experience
	15 points	Evaluation of scientific publications and the "Document to pursue the research";
TOTAL	30 points	

The candidate is a PhD candidate at the University of Geneva. He has not yet defended the PhD, but he has some publications. His research and programming expertise are not fully in line with the requirements listed in the call.

HJERMITSLEV Ida Baek	15 points	Evaluation of CV, academic titles and research and programming experience
	15 points	Evaluation of scientific publications and the "Document to pursue the research";
TOTAL	30 points	

The candidate is a PhD candidate at Duke University. She has not yet defended the PhD, but has some publications. Her research focuses more on political parties than political behavior/economy. Her research and programming expertise are not fully in line with the requirements listed in the call.

JOZWIAK Andreas	20 points	Evaluation of CV, academic titles and research and programming experience
	20 points	Evaluation of scientific publications and the "Document to pursue the research";
TOTAL	40 points	

The candidate is a PhD candidate at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. He has not yet defended the PhD, but he has some publications. His programming experience is in line with the requirement of the call as well as his research focus on gender attitudes and/or welfare state. His research proposal could have been more fully developed.

KAPLAN Yael Rivka	25 points	Evaluation of CV, academic titles and research and programming experience
	10 points	Evaluation of scientific publications and the "Document to pursue the research";
TOTAL	35 points	

The candidate is a PhD candidate at the Hebrew University Jerusalem. She has not yet defended the PhD, but has some publications. Her research focus fits the project, but the candidate does not display evidence of research skills mentioned in the call, such as knowledge of R and proven data skills (data collection and analysis methods).

MARTINEZ HERRERA Karla Georgina	5 points	Evaluation of CV, academic titles and research and programming experience
	0 points	Evaluation of scientific publications and the "Document to pursue the research";
TOTAL	5 points	

The candidate obtained her PhD in Law at Universidad de Alicante and Università degli Studi di Milano. Her research and programming experience however is not in line with the requirement of the call. The research project does not show any elements of own research capability in the area of applied political science/behavior.

MURAOKA Taishi	30 points	Evaluation of CV, academic titles and research and programming experience
	28 points	Evaluation of scientific publications and the "Document to pursue the research";
TOTAL	58 points	

The candidate is currently a postdoc at Harvard University and obtained his PhD from Washington University St Louis (2019). He has some very good publications, one in the top-tier of political science. His research and programming experience is in line with the call, especially most recent work. Research project was highly innovative and well thought out. It displays research autonomy.

PANNICO Roberto	20 points	Evaluation of CV, academic titles and research and programming experience
	15 points	Evaluation of scientific publications and the “Document to pursue the research”;
TOTAL	35 points	

The candidate is a postdoc at the University of Lisbon and holds a PhD from Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona (2017). He has some publications. However, the field of expertise is more in economic voting and survey research, rather than the research and programming experience required in this call.

VITTORI Davide	15 points	Evaluation of CV, academic titles and research and programming experience
	15 points	Evaluation of scientific publications and the “Document to pursue the research”;
TOTAL	30 points	

The candidate is a postdoc at the Université Libre de Bruxelles and holds a PhD from LUISS Guido Carli (2018). He has some publications. However, the field of expertise is more in digital democracy, political parties and observational data analysis, rather than the research and programming experience required in this call.

ZHIRKOV Kirill	30 points	Evaluation of CV, academic titles and research and programming experience
	28 points	Evaluation of scientific publications and the “Document to pursue the research”;
TOTAL	58 points	

The candidate is a PhD candidate at the University of Michigan. He has not yet defended the PhD, but he has already some publications. His research and programming experience is very much in line with the requirement of the call. The research project is well thought out and innovative. It displays research autonomy.

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

AZZOLLINI Leo (40 points)
BOLET Diane (58 points)
CREMASCHI Simone Carlo Vladimiro (58 points)
JOZWIAK Andreas (40 points)
MURAOKA Taishi (58 points)
ZHIRKOV Kirill (58 points)

The interviews will take place on 20 and 23 of March 2020 between 15-18 pm via skype 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, 11 March 2020

- Prof. Anthony Bertelli (President)
- Prof.ssa Catherine Netjes (De Vries), (Member)
- Prof. Piero Stanig (Secretary)



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