

THE RECTOR

In response to the ongoing war in Palestine, in Ukraine and other countries, causing several humanitarian crisis;

Since the current scenario is still in process of developing and considering the strong vocation of our University towards cooperation and hospitality;

Having regard to the motions of the Academic Senate and the Board of Directors of 16 and 18 April 2024;

Having regard to the motion of the Academic Senate of 6 May 2024 in which the University commits itself "to promote international support actions and programs in support of Palestinian universities, to support students, professors, researchers, doctoral candidates, technical-administrative personnel, in this phase of collapse of the structures educational".

Having regard to the resolution of the Board of Directors, point 07/01 of 26 April 2022 "Extraordinary measures for enrolment ina.a. 2023/2024 and financial support for students fleeing from Ukraine and other countries at war".

Having regard to the Council Directive 2001/55/EC, of 20 July 2001 on minimum standards for granting temporary protection in the event of a mass influx of displaced persons and on promoting a balance of efforts between Member States receiving displaced persons and suffering the consequences of their reception.

Having regard to the resolution of the Board of Directors rep 1008/2024 of 10.07.2024, which has decided on measures in favour of students fleeing from Palestine, from Ukraine and other countries in war that enroll or enrol in open access degree courses provided for by the Educational Offer, even in derogation of the current University regulations, To instruct the offices to prepare a new call for grants;

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ART. 1 Subject and addressees

An invitation to tender is issued for the award of scholarships n. 20 in favour of students from **Palestine**, **Ukraine and** other countries in war registered and enrolled, to the non-telematic degree and master's degree courses for the academic year 2024/2025 of the University.

ART. 2 Duration and amount of the grant

The amount of the scholarship is € 5,200.00 (plus administrative expenses) to cover all expenses for meals, travel and purchase of teaching material in addition to the regional tax and stamp duty.

In addition to the grant, a contribution for accommodation costs, duly documented, of € 2,400.00 is provided.



The cost of the PJ_GEST_MIGL_STUD will be charged to the cost account CA.C.B.01.02.07 Prizes and contributions for students with or without qualifications who have the necessary availability.

ART. 3 Admission requirements for the selection

Participation in the selection is subject to the following conditions:

- be registered or enrolled in non-telematic undergraduate and graduate courses for the academic year 2024/2025;
- not be enrolled at another Italian university for the academic year 2024/2025:
- not be a recipient of other scholarships and/or accommodation grants. You must also have applied for or be in possession of a residence permit.

ART. 4 Submission of the application: modalities, documentation

The application for participation may be submitted until 12.00 on the 20th day following the publication of this call exclusively online, by filling in the appropriate telematic form available at the following https://www.unipa.it/servizi/segreterie/.

Students must LOG IN with their credentials of you.unipa.it e-mail address (e.g. name.surname@you.unipa.it).

The application shall be accompanied by:

- 1) copy of passport or other valid identity document, in PDF format or photo format:
- 2) Statement of assets and liabilities (ONLY with the form attached to this call).
- 3) copy of the residence permit or receipt of the application for a residence permit issued by the Italian authorities.

ART. 5 Criteria for evaluation, formation and approval of the ranking

The evaluation committee will be appointed by the Rector from among the competent Vice Rectors and from among the officials of the Office of the Person in charge of the procedure.

The Commission will assess whether the admission requirements are met and then draw up a ranking.

The ranking will be drawn up according to the number of CFU achieved by the deadline of the call.

In the case of a parity of CFU and a number of CFU equal to zero, the declared balance sheet and income shall be considered as prevailing.

The Commission will compile the ranking of merit according to the descending order of the score and send it to the Process Manager for the preparation of the final ranking.

The final ranking will be approved by Rector's Decree and made public exclusively through posting on the University register and on the web page https://www.unipa.it/servizi/segreterie/



ART. 6 Acceptance and grant modalities

The winners will receive the award notification of the scholarship by e-mail to the e-mail address provided in the application as well as the institutional e-mail address.

No later than 10 days from the date of notification of the award, the recipient must send an e-mail to <u>justpeace@unipa.it</u>, the statement of acceptance of the scholarship under the conditions of the competition announcement by communicating the details of the current account, otherwise cancellation.

In the event of non-acceptance or withdrawal, scholarships may be awarded by scrolling, according to the ranking, to suitable candidates in a useful position.

The grant will be awarded in two instalments.

The first instalment (for an amount of € 3,800.00) to the completion of the following conditions:

- 1. be staying in the provinces of the University of Palermo (Agrigento, Caltanissetta, Palermo and Trapani);
- 2. opening a bank account in Italy preferably at an Italian/European bank or a prepaid card with an IBAN registered or co-registered in the name of the winner.

The second instalment (for an amount of EUR 1,400.00) upon completion of the following conditions

have achieved by 10 August 2025 the following minimum number of cfu:

- 6 CFU for first year students (cohort 2024/2025) of the CdL, CdLM and CdLMCU;
- 10 CFU for students enrolled in the second academic year (cohort 2023/2024) of the CdL, CdLM and CdLMCU;
- 20 ECTS for third year members of the CdL and CdLMCU, 1 FC of the CdLM:
- 20 + 6 CFU per year for the years following the third of the CdLMCU and 1 FC of the CdL.

The accommodation contribution, for € 2,400.00 will be paid at the same time as the second instalment, upon presentation of a lease agreement for a property located in the provinces where the University of Palermo is located. The contract must be accompanied by the receipt of registration at the Revenue Agency.

The grant and accommodation contribution will be withdrawn if the recipient decides to move to another university or to withdraw from study.

Art. 7 Processing of personal, sensitive and judicial data

The personal data provided by students who are candidates for selection are processed by the University of Palermo - Teaching Area services to students. Career sector students and organization, for the purposes of managing selection and related procedural activities, according to D. Lgs. n. 196 of 30.06.2006 "Code on the protection of personal data" as amended by DGS 101/2018.



Art. 8 Person responsible for the procedure

Pursuant to the provisions of art. 5 of the law of 7 August 1990, n. 241, the person responsible for the selection procedure referred to in this call is Dr Maria Maira, Student Careers and Organization Sector.

For information, please contact <u>justpeace@unipa.it</u> or call 091 2386505 - 091 23893114.

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