



## RULES AND REGULATIONS OF THE SCHOLARSHIPS FOR 2020-2021 ACADEMIC YEAR

REGULATION FOR THE AWARD OF SEVEN (7) SCHOLARSHIPS FUNDED BY FONDAZIONE ROCCA AND HUMANITAS UNIVERSITY. SCHOLARSHIPS ARE RESERVED FOR EUROPEAN CITIZENS AND EU-EQUATED CITIZENS WHO APPLY FOR THE FIRST YEAR OF THE SINGLE CYCLE DEGREE COURSE IN MEDICINE AND SURGERY IN THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2020-2021 (Class LM-41)

### FOREWORD

Convinced that deserving and motivated students must be supported in pursuing their academic and professional aspirations, Fondazione Rocca and Humanitas University have decided to fund seven (7) scholarships reserved for EU citizens and EU-equated citizens who wish to enroll in the first year of the Single Cycle Degree Course in Medicine and Surgery in English in the academic year 2020-21 (class LM-41).

### Art. 1. Categories and Value of Scholarships

The seven (7) available scholarships are divided into:

- One (1) **full** scholarship funded by *Fondazione Rocca*;
- Four (4) **partial** scholarships, reducing tuition costs to a total of € 3,156.00
- One (1) **partial** scholarship, reserved for students participating in the Final Selection of the *Alfieri del Lavoro Award*, reducing tuition costs to a total of € 3,156.00
- One (1) **partial** scholarship, reserved for students participating in the National Selection of the *Natural Sciences Olympics*, covering a single payment of € 3,156.00

The value of the seven (7) scholarships is determined by:

- **Full Scholarship: from € 10,000.00 to € 20,000.00** depending on the tuition bracket to which the student will be assigned;
- **Four (4) Partial Scholarships: from € 7,000.00 to € 17,000.00** depending on the tuition bracket to which the student will be assigned;
- **Partial Scholarship** reserved for students participating in the Final Selection of the **Alfieri del Lavoro Award: from € 7,000.00 to € 17,000.00** depending on the tuition bracket to which the student will be assigned;
- **Partial Scholarship** reserved for students participating in the National Selection of the *Natural Sciences Olympics: from € 7,000.00 to € 17,000.00* depending on the tuition bracket to which the student will be assigned.

Scholarships will be awarded for each academic year until graduation, according to the criteria established in Art. 4 of this Regulation.

The academic costs for students enrolled in the Degree Course in Medicine and Surgery of Humanitas University vary according to the student's Tuition Bracket (Table 1), which is assigned on the basis of the University Fees Regulation.

Tuition brackets and academic costs for the Medicine and Surgery Students of Humanitas University.

**Table 1**

Tuition Bracket	1 <sup>st</sup> Bracket	2 <sup>nd</sup> Bracket	3 <sup>rd</sup> Bracket	4 <sup>th</sup> Bracket
Annual Academic Costs	10.156 €	13.156 €	17.156 €	20.156 €

The value of the scholarship and the academic costs to be paid are thus defined (Table 2 and Table 3):

**Table 2**

Tuition Bracket	1 <sup>st</sup> Bracket	2 <sup>nd</sup> Bracket	3 <sup>rd</sup> Bracket	4 <sup>th</sup> Bracket
Full Scholarship	10.000 €	13.000 €	17.000 €	20.000 €
Annual Academic Costs <i>Not covered by scholarship</i>	156 €	156 €	156 €	156 €

**Table 3**

Tuition Bracket	1 <sup>st</sup> Bracket	2 <sup>nd</sup> Bracket	3 <sup>rd</sup> Bracket	4 <sup>th</sup> Bracket
Partial Scholarship / <i>Alfieri del Lavoro</i> Scholarship / <i>Natural Sciences Olympics</i> Scholarship	7.000 €	10.000 €	14.000 €	17.000 €
Annual Academic Costs <i>Not covered by scholarship</i>	3.156 €	3.156 €	3.156 €	3.156 €

**Art. 2. Requirements, Methods of Participation and Award Criteria**

General Requirements

Candidates who:

- Have obtained a Grade Point Average (GPA) of greater than or equal to 7.5/10 in the 3<sup>rd</sup>-to-last and 2<sup>nd</sup>-to-last year of secondary school. An equivalent score is required for candidates with a non-Italian secondary school diploma. <sup>1</sup>
- Are ranked within the first 30 positions in the Entrance Exam Ranking List;
- Are classified within the first 100 positions if they compete for *Alfieri del Lavoro* and *Natural Sciences Olympics* Scholarships.

Additional requirements for applicants of the *Alfieri del Lavoro* and *Natural Sciences Olympics* Scholarships

Candidates who:

- Have been awarded the "Alfieri del Lavoro" Award.

<sup>1</sup> If the candidate has obtained a General Certificate of Secondary Education in Great Britain a GPA greater than or equal to 7 is required.

If the candidate is completing an International Baccalaureate Diploma, refer to the **Conversion Table** in **Attachment A**.

If the candidate is completing a European Baccalaureate, his/her GPA is considered equivalent to the Italian GPA.

Candidates who:

- Are admitted to the National Selection of the *Natural Sciences Olympics* and are classified within the first 30 positions of the final ranking of the Olympics.

Scholarships are reserved for EU citizens and EU-equated citizens.

#### How to participate

**The first 30 ranked in the Entrance Exam Ranking List** must send the following documents by 28 February 2020 to the address [info@hunimed.eu](mailto:info@hunimed.eu), indicating in the subject "**Humanitas University Scholarship**":

- Motivation Letter and *curriculum vitae* in the English Language;
- Report Card of the 3<sup>rd</sup>-to-last and 2<sup>nd</sup>-to-last year of secondary school

**Participants in the final selections of the "Alfieri del Lavoro" Award and of the Natural Sciences Olympics, ranked within the first 100 positions of the Entrance Exam**, must send the following documents by 28 February 2020 to the address [info@hunimed.eu](mailto:info@hunimed.eu), indicating in the subject "**Humanitas University Scholarship – Alfieri del Lavoro/Natural Sciences Olympics**":

- Motivation Letter and *curriculum vitae* in the English Language;
- Report Card of the 3<sup>rd</sup>-to-last and 2<sup>nd</sup>-to-last year of secondary school
- Specify participation in the above selections

All candidates who have not sent this documentation by the above deadline will not be able to compete for any of the scholarships.

#### Award criteria

The scholarships will be assigned according to the following criteria: score of the Entrance Exam, GPA from the 3<sup>rd</sup>-to-last and 2<sup>nd</sup>-to-last year of secondary school, outcome of the motivational interview.

For each parameter, a score will be determined according to the following criteria (Table 4):

**Table 4**

<b>Parameter</b>	<b>Score Calculation Criteria</b>
Entry test result	Exam score
GPA from the 3 <sup>rd</sup> -to-last year of secondary school*	$[(\text{Avg. grade} - 6)/(10 - 6)] * 25$
GPA from the 2 <sup>nd</sup> -to-last year of secondary school*	$[(\text{Avg. grade} - 6)/(10 - 6)] * 25$
Outcome of the motivational interview	From 0 to 70 points

\*For candidates with non-Italian diplomas, an equivalent calculation formula will be used to determine score.

**The total score achieved by the candidate will be calculated by the sum of the scores relative to the parameters listed above, determined according to the established criteria.**

**The maximum achievable score is 300 points.**

**In case of equal scores, the highest position in the ranking list is assigned to the candidate who obtains a better exam score.**

Candidates will be called to hold an interview with a Special Scholarship Commission between February 28 and March 5, 2020. The interview is aimed at determining the motivation and aptitudes of the candidates towards the study of the courses included in the study plan of the degree course.

Candidates can hold the interview in person at Humanitas University (Via Rita Levi Montalcini 4, Pieve Emanuele, Milan - Italy) or by videoconference.

The dates of the interviews will be communicated to the candidates immediately following the publication of the Ranking List of the Entrance Exam.

### Enrollment

The **eligible candidates** will automatically be considered **pre-enrolled** until the Scholarship Winners are announced. During this time, the eligible candidates will not be required to complete the payment of the First Tuition Installment.

Following the **Announcement of Scholarship Winners**, all eligible candidates that were held as **pre-enrolled** will then be able to **complete their enrollment** no later than the deadline indicated via email from [info@hunimed.eu](mailto:info@hunimed.eu). First Tuition Installment amount, which varies according to the contents of Tables 1, 2 and 3, will also be indicated within the same email.

### **Art. 3. The Special Scholarship Commission for the Allocation of Humanitas University Scholarships**

To ensure the impartiality of the procedure for assigning Humanitas University scholarships, Humanitas University will appoint a special scholarship Commission composed of the President of the Degree Course in Medicine and Surgery - who will also be the Commission President - by a member of the faculty and a member of the University's administrative staff.

### **Art. 4 Requirements for Renewal of Scholarships**

Scholarship winners of the Academic Year 2020-2021 are entitled to the renewal of the scholarship in the following years of the degree course, up until graduation, if, at the end of each year, they meet the following requirements:

- Achieved and maintained a weighted grade average equal to or greater than 27/30.
- Achieved a minimum annual number of University Credits as specified in the following table (Table 5):

**Table 5**

<b>DEGREE COURSE IN MEDICINE AND SURGERY</b>	<b>CREDITS REQUIRED</b>
1 <sup>st</sup> Year	According to the procedure specified above
2 <sup>nd</sup> Year	51, to be achieved by the end of the first year
3 <sup>rd</sup> Year	86, to be achieved by the end of the second year
4 <sup>th</sup> Year	162, to be achieved by the end of the third year
5 <sup>th</sup> Year	219, to be achieved by the end of the fourth year
6 <sup>th</sup> Year	269, to be achieved by the end of the fifth year

- Scholarship winners must obtain the required credits by the end of the exam session in September (last exam session of the academic year);
- In the event that, in September of each year, the scholarship winners do not reach the University Credits specified in Table 5 or do not maintain a weighted grade average of equal to or greater than 27/30, the student will lose the scholarship award and will have to pay the academic tuition fees regularly required in accordance with the Fees Regulation;
- Scholarship winners must obtain the Degree in Medicine and Surgery in 6 years of study. However, an additional 6-month period, for the sole purpose of obtaining the degree, is granted. After this period of time, the student will have to pay the academic tuition fees regularly required in accordance with the Fees Regulation.

**ATTACHMENT A**

***IB Conversion Table***

<b>24 = 6</b>	<b>34 = 8,2</b>
<b>25 = 6,2</b>	<b>35 = 8,4</b>
<b>26 = 6,4</b>	<b>36 = 8,7</b>
<b>27 = 6,7</b>	<b>37 = 8,9</b>
<b>28 = 6,9</b>	<b>38 = 9,1</b>
<b>29 = 7,1</b>	<b>39 = 9,3</b>
<b>30 = 7,3</b>	<b>40 = 9,6</b>
<b>31 = 7,6</b>	<b>41 = 9,8</b>
<b>32 = 7,8</b>	<b>42 = 10</b>
<b>33 = 8</b>	