

## **RULES AND REGULATIONS OF EUROPEAN CITIZENS AND EU-EQUATED CITIZENS SCHOLARSHIPS FOR THE 2026-2027 ACADEMIC YEAR**

REGULATION FOR THE AWARD OF NINE (9) 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 2026-2027 (Class LM-41)

### **FOREWORD**

Based on the belief that deserving and motivated students should be supported in pursuing their academic and professional aspirations, Fondazione Rocca and Humanitas University have decided to fund nine (9) scholarships reserved for EU 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 2026-27 (class LM-41).

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

The nine (9) available scholarships are as follows:

- One (1) **full scholarship**, funded by **Fondazione Rocca**, for EU citizens resident in Italy<sup>1</sup>;
- Five (5) **partial scholarships**, reducing tuition costs to a total of **€5,206.00**, for EU citizens resident in Italy;
- 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 **€ 5,206.00**;
- Two (2) **partial scholarships**, reducing tuition costs to a total of **€5,206.00**, for EU citizens not resident in Italy<sup>2</sup>.

The value of the nine (9) scholarships is determined by:

- **Fondazione Rocca scholarship:** from **€ 10,000.00 to € 23,000.00** depending on the tuition bracket to which the student will be assigned.
- **Partial scholarships:** from **€ 5,000.00 to € 18,000.00** 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 € 5,000.00 to € 18,000.00** depending on the tuition bracket to which the student will be assigned.

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<sup>1</sup> For the purposes of this Regulation, “EU citizens resident in Italy” are defined as those who have taken the admission test for the places reserved for the EU quota and whose entire family unit earns income in Italy or whose income is subject to Italian taxation.

<sup>2</sup> For the purposes of this Regulation, “EU citizens not resident in Italy” are defined as those who have taken the admission test for the places reserved for the EU quota and whose entire or partial family unit earns income outside Italy or whose income is not subject to Italian taxation.

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

As established in the Art. 5, Humanitas University will undertake fiscal burdens in terms of taxation for each scholarship - provided for by the regulations in force.

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 based on 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	10,206 €	15,206 €	19,206 €	23,206 €

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
<i>Fondazione Rocca Scholarship</i>	10,000 €	15,000 €	19,000 €	23,000 €
Annual Academic Costs <i>Not covered by scholarship</i>	206 €	206 €	206 €	206 €

**Table 3**

Tuition Bracket	1 <sup>st</sup> Bracket	2 <sup>nd</sup> Bracket	3 <sup>rd</sup> Bracket	4 <sup>th</sup> Bracket
<i>Partial / Alfieri del Lavoro Scholarship</i>	5,000 €	10,000 €	14,000 €	18,000 €
Annual Academic Costs <i>Not covered by scholarship</i>	5,206 €	5,206 €	5,206 €	5,206 €

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

General Requirements for EU citizens resident in Italy

Candidates can apply for partial scholarship if:

- they have obtained a **Grade Point Average (GPA) greater than or equal to 8/10** in the two years preceding the final school year. An equivalent score is required for candidates with a non-Italian Secondary School diploma<sup>3</sup>;

<sup>3</sup> If the candidate has obtained a General Certificate of Secondary Education in Great Britain, a GPA higher 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.

- are ranked within the **first 30 positions** in the Entrance Exam Ranking List;

Candidates can apply for Fondazione Rocca scholarship if:

- they have obtained a **Grade Point Average (GPA) greater than or equal to 8/10** in the two years preceding the final school year. An equivalent score is required for candidates with a non-Italian Secondary School diploma;
- are ranked within the **first 30 positions** in the Entrance Exam Ranking List;
- they hold an ISEE 2026 value not higher than € 50,000.00.

If none of the first 30 candidates in the Entrance Exam Ranking List holds an ISEE 2026 value lower or equal to € 50,000.00, Humanitas University will verify if candidates from position 31<sup>st</sup> to position 60<sup>th</sup> meet this requirement – besides the general requirements – in order to award the Fondazione Rocca scholarship.

Candidates can apply for the *Alfieri del Lavoro* scholarship if:

- they have obtained a **Grade Point Average (GPA) greater than or equal to 8/10** in the two years preceding the final school year. An equivalent score is required for candidates with a non-Italian Secondary School diploma;
- are ranked within the **first 100 positions** in the Entrance Exam Ranking List;
- have been awarded the “Alfieri del Lavoro” Award<sup>4</sup>.

#### General requirements for EU citizens not resident in Italy

Candidates can apply for partial scholarship if:

- they have obtained a **Grade Point Average (GPA) greater than or equal to 8/10** in the two years preceding the final school year. An equivalent score is required for candidates with a non-Italian Secondary School diploma;
- are ranked within the **first 30 positions** in the Entrance Exam Ranking List;

#### How to participate

**All candidates ranked within the first 30 positions** in the Entrance Exam Ranking List, if they meet all the requirements listed above and/or are interested in participating, must send the following documents to [info@hunimed.eu](mailto:info@hunimed.eu), with the subject "**Humanitas University Scholarship**" by **April 08<sup>th</sup> 2026**:

- Motivation Letter and *curriculum vitae* in English;
- Report Card of the two years preceding the final school year;
- ISEE 2026 (only for EU citizens resident in Italy).

**Participants in the final selections of the "Alfieri del Lavoro" Award**, ranked within the first 100 positions of the Entrance Exam, must send the following documents to

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<sup>4</sup> The candidate is required to win the award; the ranking position only is not sufficient.

[info@hunimed.eu](mailto:info@hunimed.eu), indicating in the subject "**Humanitas University Scholarship – Alfieri del Lavoro**" by **October 30<sup>th</sup> 2026**:

- Motivation Letter and *curriculum vitae* in English;
- Report Card of the two years preceding the final school year;
- Documents attesting the winning of the *Alfieri del Lavoro* Award;
- ISEE 2026.

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

#### Award criteria for EU citizens resident in Italy

The scholarships, included the *Alfieri del Lavoro* one, will be assigned according to the following criteria: score of the Entrance Exam, GPA from the two years preceding the final school year, outcome of the interview and ISEE 2026.

Eligible candidates will be invited to interview with the Commission. The goal of the interview is to determine the motivation and aptitudes for each student towards their studies. Candidates may carry out their interview in person at Humanitas University (Via Rita Levi Montalcini 4, Pieve Emanuele, Milano – Italia), or through videoconferencing.

The date of the interview will be communicated to the candidates immediately following the publication of the **Entrance Exam Ranking List**.

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

**Table 4**

Parameter	Score Calculation Criteria
Entry test result	Exam score
GPA from the third-to-last year of high school*	$[(\text{Avg. grade} - 6)/(10 - 6)] * 220$
GPA from the second-to-last year of high school*	$[(\text{Avg. grade} - 6)/(10 - 6)] * 220$
Outcome of the interview	From 0 to 600 points
ISEE 2025**	From 0 to 200 points

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

\*\* The points are determined as follows: 200 points for ISEE between 0 and 25,000.00 €; 150 points for ISEE between 25,000.01 and 50,000.00 €; 75 points for ISEE between 50,000.01 and 70,000.00; 0 points for ISEE equal or greater than 70,000.01 or not submitted.

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 **2200 points**.

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

#### Award criteria of *Fondazione Rocca* scholarship

The Fondazione Rocca scholarship will be assigned according to the following criteria: score of the Entrance Exam, GPA from the two years preceding the final school year, outcome of the interview and ISEE 2026.

Eligible candidates will be invited to interview with the Commission. The goal of the interview is to determine the motivation and aptitudes for each student towards their studies. Candidates may carry out their interview in person at Humanitas University (Via Rita Levi Montalcini 4, Pieve Emanuele, Milano – Italia), or through videoconferencing.

The date of the interview will be communicated to the candidates immediately following the publication of the Ranking List of the Entrance exam rounds or, if established in advance, on Humanitas University's website ([www.hunimed.eu](http://www.hunimed.eu)).

For each parameter, a score will be determined according to the following criteria (Table 5):

**Table 5**

Parameter	Score Calculation Criteria
Entry test result	Exam score
GPA from the third-to-last year of high school*	$[(\text{Avg. grade} - 6)/(10 - 6)] * 170$
GPA from the second-to-last year of high school*	$[(\text{Avg. grade} - 6)/(10 - 6)] * 170$
Outcome of the interview	From 0 to 600 points
ISEE 2025	$[(50,000 - \text{ISEE value})/(50,000)] * 300$

*\*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 **2200 points**.

In case of equal scores, the highest position in the ranking list for the Fondazione Rocca scholarship is assigned to the candidate who holds the lowest ISEE 2026 value.

#### Award criteria for EU citizens not resident in Italy

The scholarships will be assigned according to the following criteria: score of the Entrance Exam and outcome of the interview.

Eligible candidates will be invited to interview with the Commission. The goal of the interview is to determine the motivation and aptitudes for each student towards their studies. Candidates may carry out their interview in person at Humanitas University (Via Rita Levi Montalcini 4, Pieve Emanuele, Milano – Italia), or through videoconferencing.

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

For each parameter, a score will be determined according to the following criteria (Table 6):

**Table 6**

Parameter	Score Calculation Criteria
Entry test result	Exam score
Outcome of the interview	From 0 to 600 points

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 **1560 points**.

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

### **Enrollment and refund of the first instalment**

Candidates competing for a scholarship are required to finalise their enrollment as indicated in the [Call for Applications](#).

Following the **publication of the ranking list for the allocation of scholarships**, candidates who do not receive a scholarship may request a refund of the first instalment (€ 5,000.00 excluding regional tax and duty stamp) if they are not interested in confirming their enrolment. The **reimbursement must be requested** by e-mail to [info@hunimed.eu](mailto:info@hunimed.eu) within **three working days** of the publication of the ranking list; the communication must include the bank details (IBAN, account holder, name of bank) where the reimbursement should be made. A request for reimbursement will result in **exclusion from the final admission test ranking**.

Candidates **who do not request reimbursement** within the established deadlines are considered as officially enrolled and, in the event of withdrawal, **will not be entitled to a refund of the first instalment**.

### **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 2026-2027 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 7):

**Table 7**

DEGREE COURSE IN MEDICINE AND SURGERY	CREDITS REQUIRED
1 <sup>st</sup> Year	According to the procedure specified above
2 <sup>nd</sup> Year	50, to be achieved by the end of the first year
3 <sup>rd</sup> Year	97, 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	227, to be achieved by the end of the fourth year
6 <sup>th</sup> Year	295, 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 (lastexam session of the academic year);
- If, in September of each year, the scholarship winners do not reach the University Credits specified in Table 6, or do not maintain a weighted grade average 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, anadditional 6-month period, for the sole purpose of obtaining the degree, is granted. After this period, thestudent will have to pay the academic tuition fees regularly required in accordance with the Fees Regulation.
- Scholarships **may not be combined** with other scholarships. If more than a scholarship is assigned to the student, the student is required to choose only one of the allocated benefits;
- If students who are scholarship winners decide to withdraw from the degree course within the beginning of the first exam session (January 2027), Humanitas University will assign the available scholarships to the enrolled students who ranked in the positions immediately following the withdrawn students.
- If any scholarship awards are lost due to the lack of the merit requirements for renewal at the end of the first year, Humanitas University reserves the chance to provide for a new allocation on the basis of criteria and procedures that will be shared through a specific official communication.

## Art. 5 Tax implications of the scholarship

In order to **ensure a net amount exemption equal** to what is specified in art. 1 of these Regulations, **Humanitas University undertakes fiscal burdens** in terms of taxation for each scholarship - provided for by the regulations in force.

Please, note that scholarships are **assimilated to employees' earnings** pursuant to art. 50 of the DPR n. 917/86. Therefore, the beneficiary students will receive a relevant receipt and **will have to autonomously manage the obligations and tax implications** which derive from receiving these amounts.

## ANNEX 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>	