

SELECTION OF ONE PROFESSOR (LEVEL 1 -PROFESSORE ORDINARIO), FOR THE ACADEMIC RECRUITMENT FIELD 13/A1 ECONOMIA POLITICA -- POLITICAL ECONOMY – (SECS-P/01 ECONOMIA POLITICA -- POLITICAL ECONOMY) AT THE INSTITUTE OF ECONOMICS -- ACADEMIC CLASS OF SOCIAL SCIENCES, RESERVED, PURSUANT TO ART. 24, SUBSECTION 6, OF ITALIAN LAW 240/2010, FOR ASSOCIATE PROFESSORS AND RESEARCHERS EMPLOYED AT THE SCHOOL, ISSUED BY RECTOR DECREE NO. 479 DATED 17/07/2019.

MINUTES OF THE PRELIMINARY MEETING

The Committee for the selection of one professor (level 1) for the academic recruitment field 13/A1 Political Economy (SECS/P/01 Political Economy) at the Institute of Economics, Academic Class of Social Sciences of the Scuola Superiore di Studi Universitari e di Perfezionamento Sant'Anna di Pisa (hereafter: the School), reserved for associate professors and researchers employed at the School to be selected pursuant to art. 24, subsection 6 of the Italian law 240/2010, nominated by the Rector by decree No. 479 dated 17/07/2019, consists of:

- Prof. Ennio Bilancini, Full Professor, 13/A1 “Political Economy” at IMT - Lucca;
- Prof. Uwe Cantner, Full Professor at the Friedrich Schiller University, Jena;
- Prof. Domenico Delli Gatti, Full Professor, 13/A1 “Political Economy” at Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore of Milano, designated Expert by the Institute of Economics;
- Prof. Giulia Iori, Full Professor at City, University of London;
- Prof. Mario Pianta, Full Professor of Group of Academic Recruitment Fields 13/A2 “Economic Policy” at the Scuola Normale Superiore, Florence;
- Prof. Fabio Recchia, Full Professor of 05/D1 “Physiology”, Member of the Recruitment Committee of the School;

The committee convened for the first time, via e-mail at 12:00, on October 21, 2019, from the following locations:

Prof. Bilancini in Pisa, Prof. Recchia in Philadelphia (USA); Prof. Pianta in Rome, Prof. Cantner in Jena; Prof. Iori in London, Prof. Delli Gatti in Milano.

The following draft of the minutes was agreed on and approved by the members of the Committee.

Prof. Delli Gatti was nominated as Chairperson and Prof. Recchia as Secretary.

Pursuant to art. 5 paragraph 2 of Legislative Decree no. 1172/1948, each member declares that there is no kinship or affinity up to the fourth grade with any of the other members and with the candidate, that there are no reasons to abstain in relation to art. 51 of c.p.c. and that he/she is not in any situation, actual or potential, of conflict of interests with the candidate (as per art. 6 bis of the Legislative Decree No. 241/1990).

The Committee then reviews the call (<https://www.santannapisa.it/it/selezioni-e-concorsi/selezioni-la-copertura-di-due-posizioni-di-professore-di-prima-fascia-riservate>) as well as Regulations of the

School related to calls for level 1 and level 2 professors (Arts. 18 and 24 of Law 240/2010).

The Committee acknowledges that the Personnel Office has received one application.

The Committee agrees that the aim of the present meeting is to assess the criteria with which publications, curricula and teaching activities of the candidate will be evaluated. The criteria will be published on the School's website.

In accordance with Italian Ministerial Decree 344/2011, the Committee shall assess: research activities, educational activities, supplementary teaching and service to students carried out by the candidate.

The Committee will assess the candidate according to the criteria established by Ministerial Decree 344/2011, in relation to the compliance of the scientific profile with the "general criteria of qualification" for teaching and research required for accessing professorial positions at the School¹, established by the Commission for recruitment.

1. For the assessment of teaching, supplementary teaching and service to students, the Committee will take account of:

- a) number of courses/ modules taught and continuity of teaching activities;
- b) results of official feedback from students on the modules /courses taught;
- c) coordination of teaching and/or training activities, and participation in committees on student progress/direction;
- d) quantity and quality of seminars, regarding both tutorials and mentoring of students, including activities relating to the preparation of theses for Master degree and PhD.

2. The following publications will be assessed: articles published in journals in paper or digital format, essays included in collective works and working papers in refereed series, texts accepted for publication in accordance with regulations with the exception of internal notes or departmental reports. The overall consistency of the scientific production of the candidate shall be assessed, together with the intensity and the temporal continuity of such production, with the exception of periods of involuntary removal from research with particular reference to parental functions (such periods should be adequately documented).

¹ Teaching and Research qualification criteria, specifically requested by the Sant'Anna School (decided by Recruitment Commission and approved by the Academic Senate on 15 April 2014 and modified on 20 January 2015):

Research Activity skills: candidates must hold an outstanding ranking in their discipline in terms of quantity and quality of scientific publications; bibliometric criteria may be used if relevant for the scientific area.

Candidates must submit a document containing a self-assessment of their scientific production in the international context. In this document, they must explain their strengths by comparison with the best-known colleagues' production and highlighting their relationships and their scientific reputation in the international research networks.

Teaching Activity skills: teaching activity in post-graduate courses, particularly in PhD programs, is requested.

Participation in research projects: candidates are required to have been involved in research projects funded through competitive calls, e.g. European ERC grants, "Framework Programs" (e.g. Networks of Excellence, FET, Integrated Projects, *STReP*, etc) Marie Curie actions, as well as national funding agencies. Ability in fundraising is welcome.

Publishing activity: the roles of editor and associate editor of scientific journals, editor of book series and other publishing activities or leadership roles in scientific associations held by the candidates will be considered for the purpose of the selection.

The evaluation of scientific publications will be carried out on the basis of the following criteria:

- a) originality, innovation, methodological rigor and relevance of each publication;
- b) consistency of the candidate's research themes with the scientific subject area indicated in the announcement of the competition;
- c) scientific relevance of each journal / publisher and its impact factor within the scientific community;
- d) analytical determination, on the basis of guidelines recognized by the relevant international scientific community of the individual contribution of the researcher in the case of works carried out in partnership;
- e) in sectors where international use is consolidated, the Committee also makes use of the following indicators, with reference to all publications up to the date of the call:
 - i. total number of citations;
 - ii. number of citations per publication;
 - iii. combinations of the above parameters to increase the impact of the candidate's scientific production (Hirsch index or similar).

3. In the assessment of scientific research, the Committee will take account of:

- a) organisation, leadership and coordination in national and international research groups or participation therein.
- b) participation as a speaker in national and international conferences;
- c) national and international awards for research activities.

The Committee will pay particular attention to the scientific output produced by the candidate after the date of expiry of the call under which they obtained eligibility ("Abilitazione") in order to assess the continuity of scientific production.

The Committee then establishes the criteria that will be adopted for the evaluation of scientific publications, curriculum and teaching experience of the applicant.

4. Concerning teaching activities, the Committee will take into account

- a) number of courses/ modules taught and continuity of teaching activities;
- b) results of official feedback from students on the modules/courses taught;
- e) coordination of teaching and/or training activities, and participation in committees on student progress/direction;
- d) quantity and quality of seminars, regarding both tutorials and mentoring of students, including activities relating to the preparation of theses for Master degree and PhD.

5. Concerning the evaluation of the scientific output - publications and research activities the Committee shall focus on

- a) originality, innovation, methodological rigor and relevance of each publication;

- b) scientific relevance of each journal/publisher and its impact within the scientific community, using the following bibliometric indicators:
 - i) total number of citations;
 - ii) number of citations per publication;
 - iii) combinations of the above variables (Hirsch index or similar).
- c) organization, leadership and coordination in national and international research groups or participation therein;
- d) participation as a speaker in national and international conferences;
- e) national and international awards for research activities.

The Committee acknowledges that only one candidate - Andrea ROVENTINI - participates to the selection and each member declares that:

- there is no kinship or affinity up to the 4th degree with the candidate (as per Art . 5 paragraph 2 of Legislative Decree no. 1172/1948);
- there is no incompatibility with the candidate (as per articles 51 and 52 of the Code of Civil Procedure) ;
- there are not situation, actual or potential, of conflict of interests with the candidate (as per art. 6 bis of the Legislative Decree No 241/1990).

The Committee decides to reconvene again in a second meeting in order to assess the scientific publications, curriculum, and teaching experience of the candidate. Since it has been impossible to find a suitable date to hold a second meeting (and terminate the Committee's work) by the deadline of 17 November 2019 (*four months from the date of its nomination decree*), the Committee submits to the Rector the request for an extension of at least three months of the above mentioned deadline.

Moreover, the Committee decides to submit to the Rector the request to hold the second meeting via teleconference. This request has been expressed by Prof. Delli Gatti due to health problems and by Professors Cantner and Iori due to institutional and teaching obligations at their own universities that do not allow them to travel to Pisa.

The Committee members agree to send an email to the President confirming their approval of these minutes.

At the end of the meeting, the President will send the minutes to the Personnel Office who will then make public the criteria and procedures for the assessment of publications and qualifications.

The meeting ends at 19:00.

For the committee

Prof. Domenico Delli Gatti



(Chairperson)