



**POLITECNICO**  
MILANO 1863

DETAILS OF ANNOUNCEMENT

The Rector

## NOTICE OF SELECTION

A selection procedure is called for 20 students enrolled in the following Programmes at the Politecnico di Milano School of Architecture Urban Planning Construction Engineering who will participate in the "Advanced School of Architecture (ASA)" HONOURS PROGRAMME as part of the Laurea Magistrale (LM) (equivalent to Master of Science) programmes class LM/4 in:

- ARCHITECTURAL DESIGN AND HISTORY - PROGETTAZIONE ARCHITETTONICA E STORIA
- ARCHITETTURA - AMBIENTE COSTRUITO - INTERNI - ARCHITECTURE - BUILT ENVIRONMENT – INTERIORS
- ARCHITETTURA - ARCHITETTURA DELLE COSTRUZIONI
- ARCHITETTURA E DISEGNO URBANO - ARCHITECTURE AND URBAN DESIGN
- SUSTAINABLE ARCHITECTURE AND LANDSCAPE DESIGN - ARCHITETTURA SOSTENIBILE E PROGETTO DEL PAESAGGIO
- INGEGNERIA EDILE – ARCHITETTURA (c.u.)

The Advanced School of Architecture (ASA) is a training course for 20 talented students which strengthens and develops architect-designers, through design and research work that put the student in direct contact with the professional processes, reality and complexity in European and non-European realities.

The programme is divided into four experimental training experiences, with compulsory attendance:

- Three week-long **Master Classes**, during which students will develop a themed project under the guidance of an invited professor, for a total of 12 additional ECTS, which will be part of the Diploma Supplement.
  - Master Class 1: in September 2022, at the beginning of the second LM /fifth academic year LM-CU;
  - Master Class 2: in January-February 2023, in the middle of the second academic year LM /fifth academic year LM-CU;
  - Master Class 3: in June-July 2023 at the end of the second academic year LM /fifth academic year LM-CU.
- an **advanced project practice**, to be carried out in an architectural studio of international excellence, for at least 600 hours, some of this will comprise the ECTS of the Curricular Internship and the rest will be an Extracurricular Internship which will be part of the Diploma Supplement.



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### APPLICATION

The procedure is open to Politecnico di Milano students who are regularly enrolled in the first semester of the 2021/22 academic year:

- in the first year of one of the five Laurea Magistrale (equivalent to Master of Science) programmes in Architecture (class LM/4) of the School of Architecture Urban Planning Construction Engineering;
- in the fourth year of the single-cycle Laurea Magistrale (equivalent to Master of Science) programme in Ingegneria Edile – Architettura (Construction Engineering – Architecture) (class LM/4) of the School of Architecture Urban Planning Construction Engineering who have, by the expiry date of this selection procedure, at least 180 ECTS.

The participation application must be submitted through the dedicated function available from On-line services (section Admission Inquiries> Admission and selection procedure) **from 4 March and by 12 noon (Italian time) 31 March 2022.**

The following must mandatorily be attached to the application (in pdf format of a maximum 10 MB), drafted in English:

- Curriculum Vitae of up to three pages
- motivation letter of up to 500 words;
- Portfolio containing designs developed during the training course, workshops and any work activities up to 30 pages;

The files must be named with Student Matricula-Surname document type.pdf (for example 777777- Rossi-portfolio.pdf).

Completing the application online equates to submitting the application for pre-selection.

Failure to complete and submit the application or submitting an incomplete application will result in the student being excluded from pre-selection. It is the applicant's responsibility to check that the procedure has been completed correctly.

### SELECTION

The selection is entrusted to a Commission composed of ASA Director Prof. Pierre-Alain Croset and at least two members appointed by the AUIC School Pro Tempore Dean. The Committee and applicant selection will be published on the School's website at <https://www.auic.polimi.it/en/school/projects/advanced-school-of-architecture-asa#c3053>

The assessment process will be divided into **two phases**:

- during the **first phase** a ranking will be drawn up to select **the applicants admitted to the English interview**, based on the Curriculum Vitae, portfolio and motivational letter assessment. The **first 30 students in the ranking** will be admitted to the interview. The ranking of the applicants admitted to the interview and the date of the interview will be published **by 13/05/2022** on

<https://www.auic.polimi.it/en/school/projects/advanced-school-of-architecture-asa#c3053>

- during the **second phase**, the Commission will draw up a final merit ranking list of the **20 students admitted to the Advanced School of Architecture**, based on the score awarded in the interview.

If there are equal scores, the youngest applicant in the ranking is given precedence.

Failure to attend the interview on the date and time set or late participation, even if due to force majeure, will be considered as a waiver of participation in the selection.



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The Commission has **100** points available, distributed as follows:

**First phase**

Assessment of the <b>motivational letter</b>	up to 15 points
Assessment of <b>portfolio</b> of works including texts and iconographic material, based on content originality and consistency, formal quality, argumentative and graphic skills, linguistic expression	up to 50 points
Evaluation of the <b>Curriculum Vitae and studiorum</b> (qualifications, curricular and extra-curricular activities and experiences)	up to 15 points

**Second phase**

Evaluation of the <b>English interview</b>	up to 20 points
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The selection outcome of the 20 students admitted to the Advanced School of Architecture will be published by 31/05/2022 on the AUIC School website at <https://www.auic.polimi.it/en/school/projects/advanced-school-of-architecture-asa#c3053>

The 20 admitted students must confirm their acceptance by sending an email to [asa@polimi.it](mailto:asa@polimi.it) within five days of the ranking list publication.

If there is a waiver by successful applicants, the next in the ranking list will be selected.

**INCOMPATIBILITIES**

Participation in the ASA Honours Programme means that participation in other University programmes, such as Alta Scuola Politecnica, Double Degree programmes, international mobility programmes is not permitted, except for design practice abroad which is coherent with the ASA programme.

**PERSONAL DATA PROCESSING**

For personal data processing, under Art. 13 of EU Regulation 2016/679 of 27 April 2016, please refer to the dedicated webpage on the University website <https://www.polimi.it/privacy>.

**HEAD OF THE PROCEDURE**

Under Art. 5 of Law, 7 August 1990, no. 241, the person responsible for the selection process covered by this call, is Dr Gianluca Attolini.

Milan, 4 March 2022

The Rector

signed Prof. Ferruccio Resta

For more information:

<https://www.auic.polimi.it/it/scuola/progetti/advanced-school-of-architecture-asa>

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