



CALL FOR INTEREST: SCHOLARSHIP / RESEARCH POSITION PROPOSAL

Position Title: Research Assistant – EoF Fraternity Index Project

Host Institution:

The Economy of Francesco Foundation - Università LUMSA

Duration:

Initial period of 12 months

Workload:

Part-time (approx. 30-50%)

Funding:

- To be discussed individually according to available funds.

Purpose of the Role:

To support the development, revision, and validation of the EoF Fraternity Index, including both quantitative and qualitative components.

Key Responsibilities:

- Support data collection and validation
- Assist in quantitative analysis and indicator development
- Contribute to survey design and implementation
- Support qualitative research (interviews, interpretation of concepts)
- Assist in drafting reports and research outputs
- Explore integration of new data sources (e.g., digital/big data)

Profile:

- Background in economics, PhD required or near completion
- Experience with data analysis (R, Python, Stata, or similar)
- Interest in interdisciplinary research
- Ability to work collaboratively in an international team
- English required; other languages would be a plus (Italian, Spanish, others).

Selection Process:

- Open to candidates within and beyond the EoF network
- Selection coordinated jointly by EoF Fraternity Index team

Expected Outcomes:

- Contribution to the next version of the EoF Fraternity Index
- Support for publication and dissemination of results
- Strengthening of the research base of the project

Future Perspective:

The position may evolve depending on funding availability and project development.

Process for application

Required Documentation:

Candidates must submit:

Curriculum Vitae et Studiorum

Complete list of publications

Relevant scientific publications (up to 3 digital attachments)

Research project

Motivation letter (max 1 page)

Scan of valid ID

Optional reference letter

Evaluation Criteria:

Candidate profile: relevance of profile, quality and relevance of publications, motivation

Top candidates may be invited for a short interview (online possible)

Fellowship Duration and Amount:

€10,000 to be paid as agreed by both parties

Amounts are all-inclusive.

Contract duration: 12 months

Application Procedure:

Submit all documentation in Italian or English in PDF format to:

scientificboard@francescoeconomy.org by May 31st, 2026. Incomplete applications will not be considered.

Results to be shared as soon as available.

Selection Results:

Results will be communicated directly to applicants. The Selection Committee may request interviews and reserves the right not to award a position if requirements are not met.