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# **Call for the AXA Chair in Socio-economic Risks of financial markets at the University of Torino**

The Department of Economics, Statistics, and Applied Mathematics of the University of Torino invites outstanding scholars to express their interest and apply for one AXA Chair in Socio-economic Risks of financial markets. We see this as an opportunity to further strengthen the University of Torino ambition to become one of the leading research and teaching centres in Europe.

## **Requirements**

We seek academics of the highest profile with a strong commitment to research and teaching in Finance and the aspiration to contribute to the University of Torino international expansion and visibility.

Applicants must have at least of 10 years of documented research experience after their first PhD, have established teaching experience and a relevant record of publications in first-rate international journals in Financial Economics. Applicants must also have either a associate or full professorship (or emeritus) at a university or have recently obtained the appropriate national qualification (ASN) in Area13 A1 or D4 from the Italian University system.

Ideal candidates are leading scholars in the field of finance or economics and show a passionate drive to develop advanced research projects and engage in a dynamic and stimulating academic environment at the University of Torino, contributing to its further development.

## **Role and Responsibilities**

The AXA Chair is expected to undertake rigorous and innovative research in their field of interest, publish in high quality international outlets, and provide academic leadership in research activities. The AXA Chair holder is also expected to contribute to the collegial and intellectual life of the University and its community at large (including the Collegio Carlo Alberto).



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The prospective Chairholder would be expected to be in Torino full-time, with a part-time appointment to be accepted only in exceptional cases and with explicit consent from the AXA Research Fund.

The position offers the opportunity to launch new research streams while teaching on preferred subjects.

He/She is expected to teach and publish in English.

The period of appointment is 5 years.

### **Salary**

The gross amount of the annual research grant to be assigned to the Chair holder corresponds to € 73.270, including social security, and excluding the burden of the Administration and will be paid in monthly instalments.

### **About the Department of Economics, Statistics, and Applied Mathematics**

The Department of Economics, Statistics, and Applied Mathematics (ESOMAS) starts in 2012 from the merging of the former departments of economics (Prato) and statistics and applied mathematics (de Castro). It aims to promote and develop interdisciplinary study of social and economic phenomena.

Esomas is third in the most recent national ranking of departments of economics in Italy.

Esomas runs many didactical programs, such as the Laurea Triennale (Bachelor) in Economics and the Laurea Magistrale (Masters) in Economics and in Quantitative Finance and Insurance, both in English. Esomas also runs a postgraduate Master in Finance, Insurance, and Risk Management, a postgraduate Master in Insurance Innovation as well as a Ph.D. program (Vilfredo Pareto doctoral school) in Economics in cooperation with the Collegio Carlo Alberto.

### **Applications**

To express your interest for this position please send one document including:



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- the letter of intent explaining your interest in the institution and illustrating your research programme within the AXAChair for the next five years,
- the Curriculum vitae,
- a brief list of your most important publications.

To apply for the position, please send the documents to: [ricerca.ateneo@unito.it](mailto:ricerca.ateneo@unito.it)–with object “Application for the AXA Chair in Socio-economic Risks of financial markets at the University of Torino”:

For further information, please consult the following link

The University of Torino welcomes applications and expressions of interest from international and female scholars.

The evaluation process will be carried out by a Commission appointed by the Senate of the University of Torino composed of 5 experts in the field of socio-economic risk, of which 2 outside the University of Torino.

**Closing date: November 12th 2020, 5 p.m. (Central European Summer Time CEST, UTC+2)**