



Competitive "Call for Abstracts" pursuant to art. 6 DPR 430/2001 paragraph 1, letter a) - Competitions organized for the production of scientific works

The "La Venaria Reale" Conservation and Restoration Center Foundation (hereinafter also the "Promoting Company" or "CCR") with registered office in via XX Settembre 18, 10078 Venaria Reale (TO), Partita IVA (VAT number) 09120370011, Codice Fiscale (Tax Code) 97662370010, R.E.A. TO-1035302, on the occasion of the Young Professionals Forum 2021 (hereinafter also "Forum") and in order to promote the development of innovative solutions with regard to the protection of cultural heritage, announces the *Call for Abstracts* competition, as described below.

PERIOD OF DEVELOPMENT

- Deadline for submission of abstracts: 17th March 2021 extended to 9th May 2021
- Deadline for communication of the selected abstracts: by 9th June 2021

TERRITORY

Abstracts can be sent by candidates without nationality limits.

The evaluation of the abstracts by the jury will take place by means of telematic comparison between the members of the Scientific Committee of the Forum.

BENEFICIARY

The call is open to: 1) students close to graduation or recently graduates; 2) PhD students; 3) researchers and workers employed in the conservation of cultural heritage.

AWARD

The Scientific Committee of the Forum (hereinafter also the "Committee") will award the most significant contribution in terms of content quality, originality, communication and efficacy. Only one prize is available.

The winner will benefit from an unpaid two/three-months internship at the CCR, to be designed according to the areas of competence of the winner itself. The CCR guarantees accommodation, meals and round-trip travel expenses. The period of development will be determined compatibly with the health measures imposed by the pandemic, respecting the needs of the winner and should be carried out in a timeframe between September 2021 and 30 June 2022.

OPERATING MODES

Participants must submit their abstract by filling in the appropriate application form and in accordance with the reference model available at <https://www.centrorestaurovenaria.it/call-abstracts>.

Each candidate may submit only one abstract to a maximum of two sessions. Each candidate may appear as author or co-author of only one abstract. In case of co-authoring, the group is committed to designate a representative. The person representing the group will be the one who, in case of victory, will win the prize.

The abstract must be written in English and a maximum of 700 characters long. It must contain no more than 4 images - 220 dpi maximum for each) concerning to a maximum of 2 sessions with respect to which the candidate intends to present the work.

The abstract must illustrate case studies, research projects in the humanistic/technical/scientific field or conservation/fruition programs in which the candidate has played a prominent role. The work must exhibit original material, that must have never been published before.

By sending the abstract, the candidate guarantees to be the holder of the intellectual property rights



on the work presented and/or to have previously obtained the necessary consents and permits from any other persons involved, thus relieving the Promoting Company of any possible dispute by third parties.

During the application procedure, a video presentation of the candidate and at least one letter of reference from a professor/researcher/professional who has supported/promoted or contributed to the work will also be requested.

This material, like the reference abstract, must be in English too. By submitting the abstract, the candidate consents to its disclosure for the purpose of its assessment and / or vote in the context of the Young Professionals Forum 2021.

In case of victory, the participant agrees to the publication of the related article within the Forum.

Selection criteria

The winner will be selected by the Committee, made up of 8 members, identified as follows:

- Sara Abram - CCR, General Secretary of the Foundation
- Lorenzo Appolonia – IGIIIC, Italian Group of the International Institute for Conservation, President
- Michela Cardinali - CCR, Director of Conservation Laboratories and of the Higher Education and Study School
- Stefania De Blasi - CCR, Head of Documentation and Communication
- Maria Beatrice Failla - UniTo, University of Turin, Associate Professor
- Alberto Garlandini - ICOM, International Council of Museums, President
- Costanza Miliani - CNR, National Research Council of Italy, Director
- Sarah Stannage - IIC, International Institute for Conservation, Executive Director

The Committee will evaluate the projects through unquestionable judgment, based on the quality of the contents, their originality, the effectiveness of the presentation and communication methods. Specifically, abstracts will be evaluated on the basis of the following criteria:

- Originality and innovative capacity of the work
- Applicability of the proposed solutions to the conservation of cultural heritage activities
- Technical validity
- Solidity of the logical-argumentative structure and clarity of exposition
- Multidisciplinary approach

In the case of projects evaluated with the same score, the admission priority will be determined by the Committee.

Proclamation of the winner and prize delivery

The winner will be announced at the end of the Forum session.

The win will be confirmed by e-mail sent to the e-mail address communicated during the application procedure.

Within 10 days from confirmation email, the winner must send via email (youproforum@centrorestaurovenaria.it) the formal acceptance of the award and send his/her details (telephone number and a copy of a valid ID card) in order to proceed with the organization of the experience at the CCR.

ADVERTISING THE EVENT

The Promoting Company will advertise the event through its website, specifically via the dedicated page : <https://www.centrorestaurovenaria.it/en/young-professionals-forum-2nd-edition>

A copy of these regulations is available at the registered office of the Promoting Company and on the page: <https://www.centrorestaurovenaria.it/call-abstracts>



CHANGES TO THE REGULATION

The Promoting Company reserves the right to modify the provisions of this regulation at any time, by communicating it in an appropriate manner and in advance and by undertaking not to introduce changes that make it worse.

FREE PARTICIPATION

The participation in the call for abstracts is free, except for the cost of connecting to the Internet, according in the tariff plan of the candidate's telephone operator.

The 35 euros registration fee to the YPF event of 1-2 July 2021 is applied to participants to the call for abstracts.

PERSONAL DATA PROCESSING

In accordance with the privacy provisions sanctioned by Regulation 679/2016/EU (hereinafter "Privacy Policy"), as well as by Legislative Decree 101/2018, for personal data (hereinafter "Data") must be understood any information relating to a natural person identified or identifiable, directly or indirectly, through an identification element such as, by way of example, but not complete, name, identification number, online ID.

The Promoting Company, as Data Controller pursuant to art. 13 of the Privacy Law and Regulation 679/2016/EU, undertakes to use and keep the information communicated by the candidates for the sole purposes related to the Young Professionals Forum 2021 event and in full compliance with the current data protection regulations. These data will be processed manually and/or electronic and, in case of further specific consent to the treatment, for sending informative/promotional material.

The provision of data is optional, but failure to consent to the processing will result in the inevitable exclusion from participation in the event.

Candidates will be able to exercise their rights at any time, as provided for in arts. 15-22 of the GDPR 2016/679, by contacting the Promoting Company by communication sent by post to the registered office of the same or by sending an e-mail to the address privacy@centrorestaurovenaria.it.

For any further details you can view the complete information at the following address: <https://www.centrorestaurovenaria.it/ricerca-e-innovazione/young-professionals-forum>

FINAL NOTES

The Promoting Company is not responsible:

- for any problem of access, impediment or malfunction relating to technical or IT tools, the telephone line or internet connection, hardware or software components or any other cause not attributable to the Promoting Company which could result in failure to register or participate in the event by candidates;
- for any errors in the communication of information and/or material necessary for the registration / participation of candidates. This includes any communications made with times and / or ways other than those described in this regulation or in the event registration pages, as well as communications of information and/or incomplete, corrupt or not received for reasons not attributable to the Promoting Company;
- for any problems in sending/receiving e-mails for reasons not attributable to it;

The Promoting Company reserves the right to exclude candidates from the evaluation and/or cancel any winnings if such candidates have engaged in behavior deemed by the Promoting Company in any fraudulent way, contrary to the normal course of the event or, more generically, to the principles of loyalty and honesty.