FONDAZIONE Roberto Longhi

Fellowships for the year 2023-2024

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The Roberto Longhi Foundation for History of Art Studies announces the availability of a number of fellowships for the year 2023-2024, beginning November 1, 2023. The fellowships are designed for those who wish to dedicate themselves to a research project in the History of Art.

2 - Requirements for admission

- 1) Non-Italian citizens should have fulfilled the preliminary requirements for a Doctoral Degree in the History of Art at an accredited university or an institution of equal standing.
- 2) Applicants must be under thirty-two years of age.
- **3**) Good knowledge of Italian, elementary knowledge of English and/or French. Applicants must already fulfill all requirements by May 15, 2023.

3 - Application

Applications should be addressed to the secretariat of the Foundation and sent in PDF format by certified email by May 15, 2023 to the e-mail address fondazionelonghi@legalmail.it. Applications should include:

- a) the candidate's biographical data (place of birth, domicile, citizenship);
- b) a transcript of the candidate's undergraduate and graduate records;
- c) a copy of the candidate's degree thesis and of any original work, published and unpublished;
- d) a "curriculum studiorum", also indicating the spoken and written knowledge of foreign languages;
- e) letters of recommendation from at least two persons of academic standing who are acquainted with the candidate's work;
- f) the subject of the research which the candidate is interested in pursuing within the History of Art;
- g) two passport-sized photographs.

In order to be considered, all applications must be complete and signed. For further information:

Tel/Fax 0039 055 6580794 – E-mail: longhi@fondazionelonghi.it – web site: www.fondazionelonghi.it.

A facsimile of the application form is available on our website.

4 - Scientific Committee

Selected candidates who fulfill all requirements will be invited for an interview in Italian with the Scientific Committee (Selection Committee). Part of the interview will be held in English or French.

The interview date will be announced to candidates by E-mail, sent at least 15 days before the scheduled interview. To participate in interviews candidates should be able to provide a valid ID document.

All decisions of the Scientific Committee are considered final.

5 - Fellowships

Fellowships will be paid in monthly instalments over a period of seven months, beginning in November 2023 until May 2024. The total amount of the grant will be of 5.600 Euro. Successful candidates must confirm the acceptance of the fellowship and its stipulations by a registered letter with a return receipt or a certified e-mail within 15 days of receiving the admission offer.

Fellowships will be granted, according to the unobjectionable judgement of Foundation, thanks also to contribution of third parties.

Two fellowships are in memory of Nicola Pauer d'Ankerfeld and Giovanni Pauer d'Ankerfeld, the second explicitly named "Giovanni and Giammaria Pauer and Giovanna Cicognani in Pauer".

Fellowship holders may make use of the study materials available in the Foundation.

At the end of the Academic Year a written report with the results of the research undertaken must be submitted. The Longhi Foundation reserves the right of first publication of the above described research results.

6 - Requested commitment

The Academic Year will begin in November. Fellowship holders must attend the Foundation, cooperate on specific group research projects selected by the Scientific Committee and dedicate themselves full time to the research for which the fellowship is assigned. Therefore, they may not work or collaborate with other institutions at the same time.

Fellows are required to live in Florence for the entire duration of the fellowship (except for travel necessary to their research), to attend all seminars, lectures and other activities arranged by the Foundation and they may not exceed the periods of vacation set by the Foundation.

Within November 30, 2023 fellowship holders are required to take up permanent domicile in Florence and to communicate their address. Failure to fulfill all these conditions could lead to the eventual revocation of the fellowship.

7 - Further obligations

It is forbidden to take part in any activity that could interfere with the accomplishment of the above mentioned duties.

8 - Personal data

Personal data submitted by candidates will be collected by the Fondazione Roberto Longhi as in art.10, comma 1, of the L. n. 675/31 dicembre 1996 in order to manage the application process.

Florence, 15 March 2023

Chairman
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