

Annex 1

**Fundacio ESADE Scholarship and Grant Programme**  
**ESADE *Talent Scholarships y Living Stipends***  
**2023-2024 academic year**

**1. OBJECTIVE**

In keeping with its mission, Fundació Esade aims to attract talented students and provide opportunities to those who are motivated to study at Esade and have an excellent academic track record yet lack the necessary financial resources to do so. To this end, Fundació Esade awards scholarships to finance students completing the official Master of Research in Management Sciences (M.Res), for this dedicating its own funds and donations.

**2. GENERAL REQUIREMENTS**

Candidates for this Fundació Esade Scholarship have to:

- \* Accredit their financial need and the difficulty in financing and paying the tuition for the chosen programme.
- \* Accredit their academic records.
- \* Present the scholarship application within the established deadline. **They must provide all the required documentation for their candidatures to be considered.**

**3. REQUIRED DOCUMENTATION**

1. The duly completed ***scholarship application***.
2. If needed, a copy of the ***2022 and/or 2021 personal income tax declaration***.

**4. SCHOLARSHIP AMOUNT**

The Research Vicedean of ESADE, in collaboration with its executive bodies, will determine the total amount of Fundació Esade's own resources and donations dedicated to the different scholarships each academic year.

The Talent Attraction Committee is responsible for establishing the specific amounts of each individual scholarship awarded, an amount which can range from 25% to a maximum of 100% of the year's corresponding tuition fees.

In addition to that, the M.Res candidates can apply to a financial aid (Living Stipend) to cover their travel expenses and living costs. This financial aid, aims also to mitigate the opportunity cost most of the M.Res candidates have to come to study the MRes and therefore, they quit their jobs. The total amount of the financial aid is 17.406€ gross and will be paid in the most appropriate way to cover living expenses, ideally will be paid in a monthly basis from September to June each academic year.

## **5. APPLICATION AND DECISION DEADLINES**

Candidates will submit their scholarship application and requested documentation once they have been admitted into the MRes.

There will be one ordinary meeting to review all scholarship applications for M.Res candidates. This meeting will be the Doctoral Commission Meeting in May.

After that, if it's necessary, there will be an extraordinary meeting reviewing scholarship applications in July Doctoral Commission Meeting.

Candidates will be informed of the corresponding decisions to the e-mail address they provide in their applications. Deadline will be 2 weeks after the Doctoral commission meeting where they've submitted their scholarship application

## **6. SCHOLARSHIP SCOPE**

Candidates must also sign the commitment document issued by Fundació Esade. Should they fail to comply with it, Fundació Esade will understand that they expressly renounce the scholarship.

## **7. SCHOLARSHIP REVOCATION**

To ensure its decisions are as objective as possible, the Talent Attraction Committee requests financial data to ensure that Fundació Esade awards its scholarships equitably. If the data candidates provide are incomplete or false, Fundació Esade reserves the right to review the concession of the scholarships and, if warranted, revoke them.

The scholarship will be extinguished if academic results are not enough or if the Student break the internal regulations rules (ie. Plagiarism).

## **8. TAXATION**

The scholarships detailed in Term and Condition 2 above comply with that established in Article 7 in Law 35/2006, dated November 28th, on personal income tax, as well as Article 2 in Royal Decree 439/2007, dated March 30th, approving the Personal Income Tax Regulations, and Article 14.1.a in the Revised Law on Income Tax for Non-Residents (Royal Legislative Decree 5/2004, dated March 5th), revised by Law 26/2014, dated November 27th, on tax exemptions for scholarships/grants awarded by not-for-profit institutions to which Title II of Law 49/2002, dated December 23rd, duly applies.