

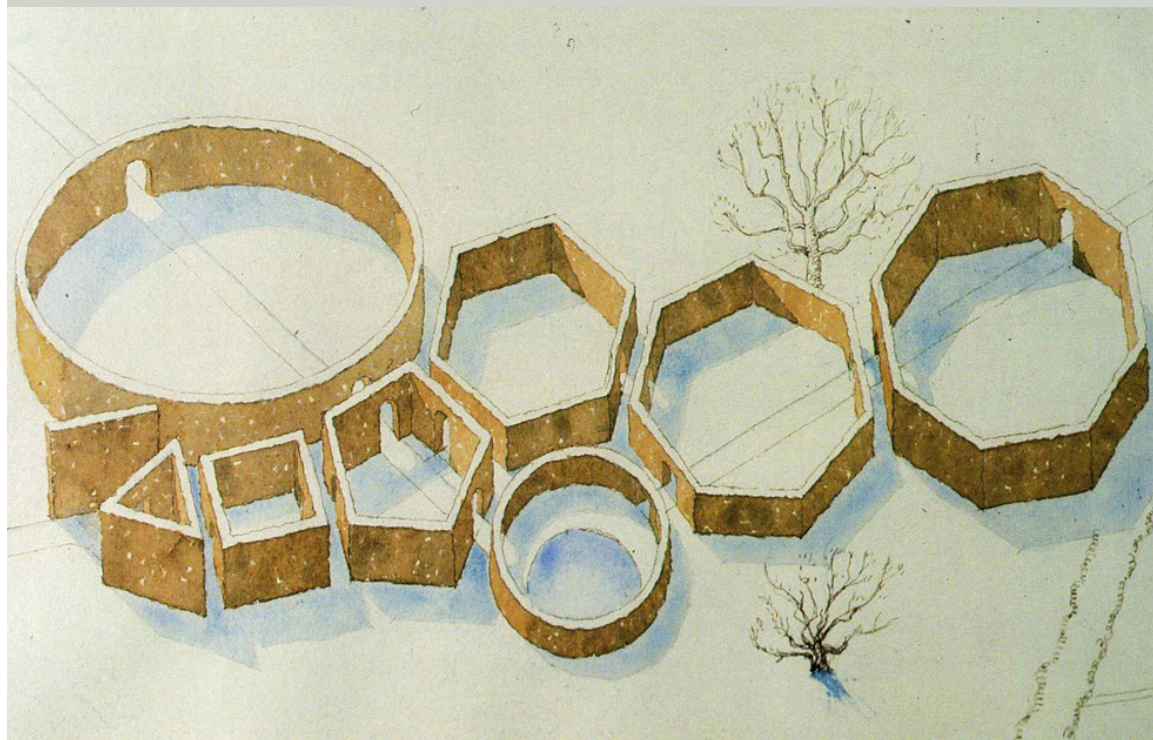


# Landscape scholarships

twelfth edition  
2026/2027

twelfth edition call,  
2026/2027

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## art. 1 – Aims

Fondazione Benetton Studi Ricerche establishes landscape study scholarships on a yearly basis to support young graduates who wish to carry out research into the landscape, gardens and the care of places. The scholarships focus on three thematic areas which correspond to the cultural profile and field of activity of three key figures for the Foundation's scientific work since its inception: Sven-Ingvar Andersson (**Landscape project**), Rosario Assunto (**Theories and policies for landscape**) and Ippolito Pizzetti (**Nature and gardens**).

## art. 2 – 2026/2027 edition

The twelfth edition 2026/2027 will grant **two six-month scholarships** in one of the three thematic areas, to be chosen by the candidate. Candidates are encouraged to submit entries with original and innovative content which reflects the scientific work of the Foundation. Candidates who meet the requirements in article 4 may individually submit one research project and are asked to pay close attention to the instructions in article 5 below.

## art. 3 – Scholarship details

The value of each scholarship is Euro 10,000.00 (gross). The duration of the scholarships, which are residential and non-extendable, is six months and they will take place from 15 January 2027 to 15 July 2027. A coordinated and continuous collaboration contract shall be drawn up for scholarship holders in accordance with article 409 of the Italian Code of Civil Procedure.

## art. 4 – Application requirements

The scholarships are open to Italian and foreign graduates (master's degree/laurea magistrale) and postgraduates who are under the age of 40 on 31 August 2026. Research grant holders, or those who hold a public or private position and carry out any work activity on an ongoing basis cannot apply. A good working knowledge of written and spoken Italian is required. Candidates will be selected based on their application.

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#### **art. 5 – Application procedure**

The application form and the call are available at [www.fbsr.it](http://www.fbsr.it)

**Applications** must include the following documents drawn up in Italian (except for graduation theses and other original scientific papers, if written in another language):

- description of the scientific project put forth by the applicant, highlighting the thematic area of the scholarship being applied for (with reference to article 1), the title and content of the research, its aims, the time frames and methods for carrying it out (maximum length 4,000 characters including spaces, excluding a short bibliography if attached);
- Curriculum Vitae in the European format, indicating knowledge of languages;
- short biographical note, written in a discursive style, which includes relevant details about the education and profile of the candidate, as well as his/her motivations (maximum length 2,000 characters including spaces);
- copy of the degree thesis and any scientific papers deemed relevant to the research project (including master's or PhD theses with a short abstract in Italian);
- signed and dated presentation letter from a professor and/or other person the candidate has collaborated with;
- copy of the applicant's identity card, tax code and residency permit if applicable.

Applications and the various attachments must be sent by email to **[paesaggio@fbsr.it](mailto:paesaggio@fbsr.it)** with the subject line "Borse di studio sul paesaggio 2026/2027".

All documents must be sent **solely in electronic form in a word or PDF file**.

The overall weight must not exceed 15 MB, otherwise candidates are requested to use SwissTransfer.

**The deadline for submitting applications is, without exception, noon on Monday 31 August 2026.**

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#### **art. 6 - Selection process and important dates**

The **successful candidates will be selected** by an internal commission set up by the Foundation for the purpose and their decision is final.

The commission reserves the right to summon applicants for interview.

**The results will be published by 30 October 2026** on the website [www.fbsr.it](http://www.fbsr.it) and the successful candidates will subsequently be notified by email.

By **16 November 2026** the successful candidates shall send written notification to the Foundation secretary's office, formally accepting the scholarship and shall then sign the contract, internal regulations and copyright statement. Failure to do so will entitle the commission to select other candidates for the scholarships among the submitted applications.

Any queries or requests for information may be sent to the Foundation exclusively in writing at **[paesaggio@fbsr.it](mailto:paesaggio@fbsr.it)**

#### **art. 7 – Scholarship procedures**

Each scholarship holder shall have one or more scientific advisors appointed by the Foundation.

The Foundation shall provide them with the necessary spaces and services at its premises. Scholarship holders may leave the premises subject to agreement with their advisors and according to their research programme.

Board and accommodation in Treviso shall be paid for by the scholarship holder. The Foundation reserves the right to amend the methods and topics of the scholarship should internal needs require it.

The Foundation undertakes to promote and disseminate the scientific results of the research using the methods it deems most appropriate.