



**DECISION DATED 14 NOVEMBER 2022 BY THE DEPARTMENT FOR STUDIES OF THE UNIVERSITY OF VALENCIA PASSING THE REGULATIONS APPLICABLE TO THE *YOUNG LEADERS FOR EDUCATION AWARDS* FOR GRADUATES AND UNDERGRADUATES, MASTER'S AND PhD STUDENTS WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK OF THE SANTANDER/UNIVERSITY OF VALENCIA SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAMME**

In May 2023, the 5<sup>th</sup> Universia International Rectors Summit will be held in Valencia under the motto *University and society*, with the participation of universities from Germany, Argentina, Brazil, Colombia, Chile, Spain, the United States, Mexico, Peru, Poland, Portugal, the United Kingdom, and Uruguay.

On 11-08-2021, the University of Valencia signed a collaboration agreement with Banco Santander for specific academic collaboration in scholarship programmes promoted by Banco Santander.

In this context, the Department for Studies announces the *Young leaders for education* awards, aimed at graduates and undergraduates, master's and PhD students from the universities of the aforementioned countries.

By virtue of the powers granted to it by the Decision of 20 May 2022 by the Vice-chancellor of the University of Valencia (Valencia Region Official Journal 30 May 2022) to delegate some of her powers on Vice-Principal Departments, the University Manager and other university bodies, the Department for Studies

**HAS DECIDED**

**I:**

To call for the *Young leaders for education* awards and pass the regulations applicable to the Call, included in Annex I of this Decision.

**II:**

To fund the programme, the University of Valencia will contribute up to €3,000 payable under Item 4 of the economic expenditure classification -general budget allocation 6700059074 and specific budget allocation 20220920- of the 2023 budget, conditioned to the existence of adequate and sufficient credit and to the approval of the budget by the University of Valencia for 2023.

This Decision puts an end to the administrative proceeding though, on an optional basis, an interim appeal may be lodged before the same body issuing the resolution within one month, this period beginning the day after the decision is published. An administrative appeal may also be directly filed before the corresponding administrative appeals court of the Valencia Region, within two months from the day the decision is published.



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**The Vice-principal for Studies**

*(By delegation of the Vice-chancellor, Valencia Region Official Journal 30/05/2022)*

**Isabel Vázquez Navarro**

Valencia 14 November 2022.



## ANNEX I

### 1. Object

These rules regulate the *Young leaders for education* awards, which consist of three prizes, €1,000 each.

Within the framework of the Call, the University of Valencia -based on the agreement with Banco Santander- will invite the 60 finalists to participate in a training program and a stay in Valencia on the occasion of the 5<sup>th</sup> Universia International Rectors Summit.

### 2. Beneficiaries, requirements, and application

Undergraduate, master's and PhD students enrolled in academic year 2022-2023 or graduates from the last three academic years (21-22, 20-21, and 19-20) from universities in Germany, Argentina, Brazil, Colombia, Chile, Spain, the United States, Mexico, Peru, Poland, Portugal, the United Kingdom, and Uruguay are eligible.

Those meeting this requirement and willing to qualify for the awards will have to previously take and pass the Clevry test, available on [www.becas-santander.com](http://www.becas-santander.com).

#### 2.1. Application

Applications shall be submitted on the electronic portal of the University of Valencia, Electronic Registry (<https://links.uv.es/uehqu4E>), with a username and password of the University of Valencia, with prior registration with the portal, or with a digital electronic certificate. Applications must be addressed to the Information and Promotion Service (Servei d'Informació i Dinamització - Sedi) following this pathway: Type of unit: University, general and central services; Body to which it is addressed: Information and Promotion Service; Procedure: Specific procedures of the unit: Young leaders for education.

In addition to including their personal details, applicants must indicate, in the "Facts and reasons" section of the form, the academic theme chosen from those defined for the conference: Theme I: Supporting lifelong learning; Theme II: Boosting entrepreneurship and innovation; and Theme III: Promoting networks and interconnectivity.

Those applications not meeting the requirements in these regulations, including data proven to be false, or not submitting them as instructed, will be excluded from the selection process.

In compliance with Article 68 of Act 39/2015 of 1 October on Common Administrative Procedures for Public Administrations, should the documentation provided be incomplete, the



applicant will be requested to complete it or rectify any issues within ten business days; he/she will be warned that failure to do so will result in application withdrawal.

Filing the application entails full acceptance of award regulations.

## **2.2 Documents to be provided**

In the "Attached files" section of the application, candidates shall submit the following documents, which may be written in Spanish, English, and Portuguese.

- Motivation letter. Length: 500 words
- Short text about the vision of the future of education, according to the academic them chosen. Length: 1,000 words. This will be the document used as a basis to determine the candidate's score.
- Curriculum vitae
- Document proving graduate status for the past three academic years (21-22, 20-21, and 19-20) or undergraduate, master's or PhD student status in academic year 2022-23, except for University of Valencia students and graduates.

## **2.3. Submission deadline**

The application term will begin the day after the publication of the excerpt of this Call in the Official Journal of the Generalitat Valenciana and will end on 15 January 2023 at 23:59 (CEST time zone).

## **3. Award procedure**

The award procedure will be conducted under a competitive bidding format, as laid down by Article 22 of Act 38/2003 on General Subsidies, and according to the criteria in point 4.2 of these regulations.

The instructing body for the Call is the Information and Promotion Service of the University of Valencia.

Once she is presented the award proposal made by a selection committee -whose composition and functions are indicated in point 4- the Vice-principal for Studies is the competent body who decides on the awards.

## **4. Selection commission, selection procedures, and evaluation criteria**

### **4.1 Selection commission**



Candidates will be evaluated by a selection commission appointed by the Vice-chancellor or by a delegated person. The commission is made up of experts from the university community. The composition of the commission will be made public on the official Notice Board of the University of Valencia.

The selection commission has the power to interpret and resolve any aspects not provided for in these regulations for the purposes of fulfilling of the aim of the award.

#### **4.2 Procedure and criteria for the selection of the participants in each phase**

Participants will be selected by the selection commission established in point 4.1 by evaluating the documents submitted according to the following criteria:

##### **PHASE 1: PRESELECTION OF 60 APPLICATIONS**

From the applications received, 20 candidates will be selected for each of the proposed academic themes. The assessment will be based on the document "Short text about the vision of the future of education", the maximum score being 100 points according to the following criteria:

- Description of the idea and its value proposition: up to 20 points.
- Description of the problem to be solved, need and opportunity: up to 20 points.
- Level of innovation and creativity of the idea: up to 20 points.
- Impact of the proposal in the corresponding academic theme and its economic, social, and environmental feasibility: up to 20 points.
- Ability to identify the resources needed to implement the project or the idea: up to 20 points.

Those selected in this first phase will be trained on-line, between February and March 2023. This training will consist of two sections: specific training on the chosen academic theme and *pitch* training. Upon completion of the training, they shall submit a video, as indicated by the University of Valencia regarding length and characteristics, and within the set period.

The 60 selected candidates completing the training and submitting the video will be invited to a stay in Valencia, within the framework of the agreement with Banco Santander, from May 6 to 10, 2023, to get to know the city and the University of Valencia and to be trained on a face-to-face basis.

##### **PHASE 2: SELECTION OF 9 APPLICATIONS**

The commission described in point 4.1 of these regulations will select three candidates for each of the academic themes, based on the videos submitted. The commission will consider the following criteria: clarity in the description of the idea and its value proposition, level of



innovation and creativity, impact of the proposal and its staging: speech, resources, and communication effectiveness.

### **PHASE 3: SELECTION OF THE AWARDEES**

The nine candidates selected in the previous phase will participate in a competitive presentation organised at the University of Valencia during their stay.

Together with representatives of the Universia Network, the commission described in point 4.1 of these regulations will select a winning presentation for each of the themes. The commission will consider the following criteria: clarity in the description of the idea and its value proposition, level of innovation and creativity, impact of the proposal and its staging: speech, resources, and communication effectiveness.

### **6. Amount of the awards**

Three prizes of one thousand Euro each, for each of the three candidates selected in phase 3. The awards are subject to the corresponding withholding tax and other taxes, as per the legislation applicable in each case.

To fund the Call, the University of Valencia will contribute €3,000 payable under Item 4 of the economic expenditure classification -general budget allocation 6700059074 and specific budget allocation 20220920- of the 2023 budget, conditioned to the existence of adequate and sufficient credit and to the approval of the budget by the University of Valencia for 2023.

Within the framework of the agreement with Banco Santander, the University of Valencia will pay for the expenses of the training programme, travel and accommodation expenses, and subsistence of the 60 selected candidates during their stay in Valencia.

### **7. Decision**

In view of the result of the final competition, the instructing body of this Call will submit a reasoned award proposal to the Department for Studies, who will make a final decision on the awardees.

The Vice-principal for Studies will decide on the grants once the award proposal has been reviewed, within the six-month period established by Act 38/2003 of 17 November on General Subsidies which, for these purposes, will count from the day after the end of the application period.



The Call and the award decision will be made public, with notifying effect, on the official notice board of the University of Valencia [<https://tauler.uv.es>] and the winning candidates will be informed of the award decision.

The final Decision on the beneficiaries puts an end to the administrative proceeding though, on an optional basis, an interim appeal may be lodged before the same body issuing the resolution within one month, this period beginning the day after the decision is published. An administrative appeal may also be directly filed before the corresponding administrative appeals court of the Valencia Region, within two months from the day the decision is published.

### **8. Compatibility**

These awards are compatible with any other type of public or private aid, as long as the total amount obtained in all the grants does not exceed the total cost of the activity that is the object of the prize.

### **9. Intellectual property**

The intellectual property of the ideas presented under this programme will be owned by the participants.

### **10. Supplementary rules**

In matters not provided for in the Call, the following legislation shall apply: Act 38/2003 of November 17 on General Subsidies, Act 1/2015 of the Generalitat, on Public Finance, Instrumental Public Sector and Subsidies, and Act 39/2015 of 1 October on Common Administrative Procedures for Public Administrations.



## **11. Personal data**

### **11.1. Data of the person responsible**

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### **11.2. Purposes and legal grounds for data processing**

In compliance with Regulation (EU) 2016/679 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 27 April 2016 on the protection of natural persons with regard to the processing of personal data and on the free movement of such data and Organic Act 3/2018 of 5 December on the protection of personal data and guarantee of digital rights, we inform you that the personal data provided in this process will be incorporated into the relevant information systems of the University of Valencia in order to manage and process the application for participation in the competition as per Act 38/2003 of 17 November on General Subsidies.

### **11.3. Origin of data**

The University of Valencia shall only process the data provided by the applicant.

### **11.4. Recipients of personal data**

Within the framework of the relationship established for the submission of applications, strictly necessary data will be transferred in the following cases and for the following purposes:

- To Banco de Santander as the competition promoter.
- Publication of the award decision on the official notice board of the University of Valencia. Additionally, for information purposes, you may find out about the decision on the websites under the official domain of the University of Valencia.
- Publication of the beneficiaries, amount, and purpose of the awards, on the disclosure portal of the University of Valencia ([www.uv.es/transparencia](http://www.uv.es/transparencia)), in compliance with Article 8.1 a) of Act 19/2013 of 9 December on Disclosure, Access to Public Information, and Good Governance, and Article 9.1 e) of Act 2/2015 of 2 April on Disclosure, Good Governance and Citizen Participation of the Valencia Region.
- To the National Grant Database (Datos Nacional de Subvenciones - BDNS), in compliance with Article 20 of Act 38/2003 of 17 November on General Subsidies.

### **11.5. Data retention period**

Data will be retained and, if applicable, cancelled according to the following criteria:





- For candidates not being awarded the grant and not completing the training programme, data will be kept for the periods provided for by administrative regulations in guarantee of their rights.
- For candidates who are awarded the grant and who complete the training programme, data will be kept throughout the period covered by the Call, included into the candidate's records if applicable, and kept for the purposes of accreditation and certification of the grant and any other related academic merit.

### **11.6. Rights**

Individuals providing their data have the right to request -from the data controller- to access, rectify, delete, limit, and oppose to data processing, and the right to data portability. Those willing to exercise their access rights may do so sending an email to [sedi@uv.es](mailto:sedi@uv.es) from their official UV address or a letter enclosing a copy of their ID and, if applicable, any relevant application documents, addressed to the Data Protection Delegation of the University of Valencia.

### **11.7. Right to file a claim with a control authority**

The University of Valencia, its trusts and associated entities conform to Spain's Data Protection Act (Ley Orgánica de Protección de Datos - LOPD) and General Regulation on Data Protection (Reglamento General de Protección de Datos RGPD). An email address [lopd@uv.es](mailto:lopd@uv.es) is available for information, suggestions, requests to exercise rights, and friendly dispute resolution regarding personal data protection, notwithstanding their right to file a claim with the competent control authority.

### **11.8. University of Valencia privacy policies**

The privacy policies of the University of Valencia can be seen at <http://links.uv.es7qBf2qd6>