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GIORGIO ROTA BEST PAPER AWARD FOR YOUNG RESEARCHERS

1st edition

CALL FOR PAPERS

The Centro Einaudi launches the 1st annual *GIORGIO ROTA Best Paper Award*, which is established to honour the memory of Giorgio Rota, a leading Italian economist born in Turin, who was in charge of economic research at the Centro Einaudi for many years.

The Centro Einaudi is an independent no-profit institute based in Turin. Its mission is to conduct independent research, providing policy recommendations in the fields of political economy, welfare policies, government and market competition.

Since 1963, the Centro Einaudi has been a beacon of liberalism and one of the most influential Italian think-tanks. Many of its members hold prominent positions in academia, government, journalism and business.

Young researchers are invited to participate to the 1st GIORGIO ROTA Best Paper Award by submitting high-quality scientific papers (a maximum of two papers per candidate) presenting original research on the following subject:

CONTEMPORARY ECONOMICS AND THE ETHICAL IMPERATIVE

Topics of interest include, but are not limited to:

- Corporate responsibility and social entrepreneurship
- Ethics, economy and the new technologies
- Ethics, power and economic responsibility
- Fair trade and the ethical consumer
- Microcredit and alternative financial tools
- Political economy and theories of justice
- Public ethics and political institutional frameworks
- Social and environmental justice
- Sustainability, resilience and green economy
- World economic crisis and the post-utilitarian perspective

The authors of the three best papers will be awarded a prize of 1000 Euros per paper and they will be invited to present their work at the ***Giorgio Rota Conference*** that will be organised at the **end of March 2013 in Turin**. The workshop date and programme will be published on the Centro Einaudi website (www.centroeinaudi.it).



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Participation to the conference is mandatory in order to be awarded the prize. The Centro Einaudi will also refund up to a maximum of 500 Euros for travel expenses to Turin (one author for each paper).

An award committee will select the papers on the basis of their quality, originality and relevance. All decisions of the commissioners are final. The award-winning papers will be published by the Centro Einaudi in an ISBN e-book or in an ISSN series.

The *GIORGIO ROTA Best Paper Award* is open to researchers **born after December 31st, 1975**, who have obtained a university graduate qualification (BA, MA or PhD) in the fields of economics, geography, sociology, political science or other social sciences.

In order to participate to the Prize, the corresponding author of each paper should submit **by October 31st, 2012** an email to **applications-GR@centroeinaudi.it** with the following documents:

- A signed copy of the *GIORGIO ROTA Best Paper Award* application form[LINK];
- The scientific paper in electronic format (up to two papers per participant);
- A copy of the document proving the obtained university graduate qualification;
- A copy of an identification document indicating the date of birth.

Co-authored papers are acceptable on condition that all the authors fulfil the eligibility criteria of the Prize and declare – in a document attached to the application form – that they are informed of the award procedure.

Submitted papers need to fulfil the following criteria:

- To be unpublished at the date of the Conference (**March 2013**);
- Not to be under copyright of third parties;
- To be written in English or Italian;
- To be saved in a single file (.doc , .docx or .pdf format);
- Not to exceed 8.000 words (titles, footnotes, figures and tables included);
- To include an abstract of 150-300 words, in English or Italian.

The selected papers will be announced by January 15th, 2013.

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“Contemporary economics and the ethical imperative”

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Paper details

Title: (abstract: max 150-300 words) Author(s):
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- If the paper will be selected, I will attend the *GIORGIO ROTA Conference* that will be held at the end of March 2013 in Turin (Italy) in order to present the paper and claim the prize.

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