

Associate Professor in the fields of Planning, Urbanism and Urban Studies POLITECNICO DI MILANO, DEPARTMENT OF ARCHITECTURE AND URBAN STUDIES

The Department of Architecture and Urban Studies at the Politecnico di Milano is seeking to fill a tenured position, at Associate Professor level, beginning in September 2018.

We are interested in candidates whose research programs are focused on the core issues of contemporary urban planning and design, considering the major changes in the European and/or non-European urban realm and the consequent challenges in design, policies and plans.

Applicants should demonstrate outstanding achievement in the fields of urban planning, urban studies, urban design, urban policy, regional studies, social sciences focused on urban and regional development; publications in top international journals, and evidence of recognition in the international academic community. We are especially interested in candidates whose research record cuts across two or more of the above fields.

Eligible candidates will have worked as associate professors (or equivalent) at a university or research centre outside Italy for at least 3 years. Alternatively, they will be required to obtain the official Italian qualification (*abilitazione scientifica*) at Associate Professor level by June 2018.

The successful candidates are expected to pursue highest quality research, and will teach in graduate and undergraduate courses at the School of Architecture, Politecnico di Milano, in one of the fields above mentioned, for a total of 120 hours a year. Courses are taught in English.

We offer a competitive compensation package, including a gross salary of between €50,000 and €70,000 a year, personal income tax at 10% for the first 3 years, and a research allowance of €20,000 a year for the first 3 years.

Candidates should express their interest by sending a cover letter describing personal motivation and research and teaching experience, a CV with a full list of publications, and the names and contact details of three referees, to the Head of Department Prof. Gabriele Pasqui, <u>dastu@polimi.it</u>, by January 31st, 2018.

Politecnico di Milano is an equal opportunities employer.

Politecnico di Milano is one of the most outstanding Universities in Europe and ranked by the QS World University, Engineering and Technology 2011 among the leading universities in the world. Funded in 1863, it is the largest school of architecture, design and engineering in Italy (http://www.english.polimi.it).

The **Department of Architecture and Urban Studies** is a thematic and interdisciplinary research structure of the Politecnico di Milano, established in January 2013. The Department carries out research, design experimentation and training activities in the field of architectural and urban design, spatial planning and territorial governance, urban studies, preservation and intervention on the built and natural heritage, historical and critical interpretation of architecture and the city. It is one of the most important research structures in Italy in the field of the disciplines of the city and territory, integrated in a strong international network of centers of excellence and open to different forms of co-operation with institutional and social actors at the local, national and international levels.