



ENI AWARD 2026

Application form
Young Researcher of the Year

CHAPTER 1 – CANDIDATE PERSONAL DATA

SURNAME	...
FORENAME	...
PLACE OF BIRTH	...
DATE OF BIRTH (dd/mm/yyyy)	...
GENDER	<input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F <input type="checkbox"/> other <input type="checkbox"/> preferred not to disclose
NATIONALITY	...
PRESENT AFFILIATION (if any)	...
PRESENT POSITION	...
ADDRESS OF AFFILIATION	...
TELEPHONE	...
E-MAIL	...

CHAPTER 2 – THESIS

Please indicate if the thesis has been placed on restricted access:

- ☐ Yes
☐ No

A copy of the Thesis in electronic form shall be compulsorily uploaded on the Eni Award Candidates private area or sent to the contact person separately in .pdf format, as per the regulations of the Prize.

Please note that Eni Award Scientific Secretariat and the Eni Award Scientific Commission are subject to a duty of Confidentiality with regards to any documents and data submitted by the Candidate.

*It is also compulsory to accompany this application form with a short presentation of maximum 2 slides summarizing the main aspects and application of your Research, **mandatorily in English.***

1. TITLE OF THE THESIS:

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2. UNIVERSITY AND DISCUSSION DATE:

The Thesis must have been defended at an Italian University either during the same year of the annual Official Announcement (i.e. 2025) or in the precedent year (i.e. 2024), as per the Official Announcement of the Prize

UNIVERSITY	...
DATE OF DISCUSSION (dd/mm/yyyy)	...

3. YOUNG RESEARCHER OF THE YEAR PRIZE SECTION:

Please select **one topic only** (by crossing one box in the left column) and **one sub-topic only** describing your research (in the right column)

<input type="checkbox"/> Energy	<input type="checkbox"/> Technologies in GHGs management and reduction <input type="checkbox"/> CO ₂ Management (carbon capture, utilization, storage) <input type="checkbox"/> Carbon Dioxide Removal (CDR) solutions <input type="checkbox"/> Technologies to reduce the carbon footprint and improve energy efficiency of processes <input type="checkbox"/> Sustainable H ₂ production technologies <input type="checkbox"/> H ₂ transportation, utilization and storage (e.g. LOHC, fuel cells, etc.) <input type="checkbox"/> Other energy vectors <input type="checkbox"/> Fuel cells <input type="checkbox"/> Technologies for non-fossil fuels (biofuels, solar fuels, e-fuels, etc.) <input type="checkbox"/> Green chemistry approaches for improvement in energy efficiency <input type="checkbox"/> Renewable energies <input type="checkbox"/> Energy management <input type="checkbox"/> Energy storage <input type="checkbox"/> Nuclear energy (including fusion) <input type="checkbox"/> Energy transportation/transmission <input type="checkbox"/> Other energy related topic (please specify: _____)
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<input type="checkbox"/> Environment	<input type="checkbox"/> Biodiversity and natural habitat protection <input type="checkbox"/> Innovative nature-based solutions <input type="checkbox"/> Ecosystem restoration <input type="checkbox"/> Environmental remediation <input type="checkbox"/> Water stewardship <input type="checkbox"/> Solutions to reduce soil consumption <input type="checkbox"/> Solutions to improve air quality <input type="checkbox"/> Sustainable use of natural resources (land, oceans, freshwater, etc.) <input type="checkbox"/> Other environment related topic (please specify: _____)
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4. SUMMARY OF THE THESIS:

SHALL BE COMPILED BY THE AUTHOR OF THE THESIS. *Please do not exceed 5000 characters, spaces included, mandatorily in English*

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5. NOVELTY AND IMPACT OF THE PHD THESIS RESULTS

SHALL BE COMPILED BY THE AUTHOR OF THE THESIS. *Please highlight the novelty of the research results respect to the state of the art and the impact on SDGs. Please do not exceed 1500 characters, spaces included, mandatorily in English*

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CHAPTER 3 – GUARANTOR

1. GUARANTOR PERSONAL DATA

As per the regulations of the Prize, applications shall be guaranteed by Professors, Directors of Department or Institute, Faculty Deans and Chancellors of Universities and Polytechnic Universities or research centers, operating in Italy in the specific – or similar – fields for which the Prize is awarded.

Please note that the Guarantor can be a person different than the Thesis Tutor.

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2. SHORT MOTIVATION OF THE CANDIDATURE:

SHALL BE COMPILED BY THE GUARANTOR

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3. SHORT EXPLANATION OF THE PERSONAL CONTRIBUTION OF THE CANDIDATE TO THE RESEARCH – 600 characters maximum, spaces included.

SHALL BE COMPILED BY THE GUARANTOR

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N.B.:

- a.** Candidatures must be compulsorily presented in English.
- b.** All documents must be sent to the Scientific Secretariat **before 14 NOVEMBER 2025**, no later than **midnight (12 am) CET (Central European Time)** as requested in the Official Announcement.

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