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In memory of his fervour and wealth of critical studies, the Region of Emilia-Romagna and the Fondazione per le scienze religiose Giovanni XXIII, to which Alberigo dedicated 54 years of his life, announce the second edition of the GIUSEPPE ALBERIGO AWARD.

1. PRESENTATION OF CANDIDACY

**CATEGORY A:** early career scholar under the age of 40 (Junior)

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Voices must be sent by June 30, 2019 to:

- Fondazione per le scienze religiose Giovanni XXIII, via San Vitale, 114 – 40125 Bologna
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2. SELECTION PROCESS

- The list of all the works presented will be drawn up by July 20, 2019.
- The EuARe Executive Committee will express a first opinion on the works by September 30, 2019.
- The award selection committee will thereafter identify the three works that have achieved most votes in each category.
- By October 31, 2019, the members of the Fondazione will carry out one or more secret ballots until the absolute majority is reached in order to select three finalists and the winner in each category.
- The results of the votes will be conveyed in a sealed envelope to the President of the Region of Emilia-Romagna. The Secretary of the Fondazione will immediately communicate the winners to the authors.

3. AWARD CONFERMENT

**CATEGORY A:**

- € 20,000

**CATEGORY B:**

- € 10,000

- The money must be spent on research activity and a report of the expenses, or a programme for the research activity that will use the money, must be sent to the Fondazione within six months after receiving the award.

- The three finalists in each category will be invited to present a lecture at the annual convention of the European Academy of Religion in 2020, when the President of the Region of Emilia-Romagna or his delegate will confer the awards in a special ceremony.

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2019 – Second edition

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1. PRESENTATION OF CANDIDACY

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The award foresees two categories: one is for an established scholar (Senior), the other for an early career scholar under the age of 40 (Junior) who has written a monograph (whether published or not).

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The envelope/e-mail must indicate “Alberigo Award 2019”. The postmark or the date of collection by courier will serve as proof of the date of submission of the proposal.

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3. AWARD CONFERMENT

CATEGORY A: Senior
€ 20,000

CATEGORY B: Junior
€ 10,000

The money must be spent on research activity and a report of the expenses, or a programme for the research activity that will use the money, must be sent to the Fondazione per le scienze religiose within six months after receiving the award.

The other two finalists in each category will receive a plaque of appreciation.

The three finalists in each category will be invited to present a lecture at the annual convention of the European Academy of Religion in 2020, when the President of the Region of Emilia-Romagna or his delegate will confer the awards in a special ceremony.

The winners of the Alberigo Award 2018:

SENIOR: Heiner Bielefeldt, Nasila Ghanea, Michael Wiener
Freedom of Religion or Belief: An International Law Commentary
(Oxford University Press, 2016)

JUNIOR: Daniele Scialabba
Creation and Salvation (Mohr Siebeck, 2019)

The award selection committee:

The President of the Region of Emilia-Romagna or his delegate, the Secretary of the Fondazione per le scienze religiose Giovanni XXIII, the editor of the journal «Cristianesimo nella storia», the director of the Giuseppe Alberigo European School and the director of the Dossetti Library.

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