Information on the processing of personal data in the framework of the online voting system for the election of the new Rector for the 2021-2017 term

Regulation EU 2016/679, the “General Data Protection Regulation” (GDPR), provides that everyone has the right to the protection of personal data concerning him or her.

With the adoption of urgent measures in response to the covid-19 health emergency, and given that the election could not take place as normal, the University of Trento opted for an online voting system, provided by Helios voting, for the election of the Rector who will serve in the 2021-2027 term.

In compliance with article 13 of the GDPR, the University of Trento provides voters (hereafter, "data subjects") with the information below.

1. Data controller
The data controller is the University of Trento, via Calepina 14, 38122 Trento (TN); email ateneo@unitn.it; pec: ateneo@pec.unitn.it.

2. Contact details of the data protection officer
The data protection officer (RPD) can be contacted by email to rpd@unitn.it

3. Purpose of the processing and legal basis
The personal data of data subjects are processed by the University of Trento in the framework of the online voting for the election of the new Rector for the 2021-2017 term, that is, for the performance of a task carried out in the public interest and for compliance with a legal obligation, including the provisions to contain Covid-19 infections (article 6 (1), points (c) and (e), of the GDPR).

4. Categories of processed data
Personal data: name, surname, username, source ip address, encryption of the vote.

5. Acquisition of data
The provision of personal data is required to participate in the online voting; if you do not provide your personal data you will not have access to the voting platform.

6. **Methods of the processing**

The processing of personal data shall be carried out by automated means by authorised staff through the Helios voting system. Personal data shall be processed lawfully, fairly and transparently, in a manner that is adequate, relevant, and that ensures confidentiality of the personal data, and is limited to what is necessary in relation to the purposes for which they are processed (GDPR, article 5 (1)).

7. **Categories of recipients of the personal data**

Your personal data will be disclosed to University staff involved in the voting and to the service provider, Helios voting (Università Ca’ Foscari), which to this end has also been designated data processor under article 28 of the GDPR. Your personal data may be disclosed to third parties to comply with legal requirements and/or a court decision.

The data will not be disclosed and will not be transferred to non-EU countries.

8. **Data storage period**

The data will be stored as long as necessary to fulfil the purposes for which they were collected, and in any case as long as it is required by law. In any case, the data will be stored as long as required by the regulations in force and/or by University regulations on the storage of administrative documents relevant to the performance of its services.

9. **Rights of the data subjects**

The data subject shall exercise the rights referred to in article 15 et seq. of the GDPR at any time. In particular, data subjects have the right to obtain from the controller:

- **access to personal data** and other information (GDPR, article 15);
- **the rectification or completion of personal data**;
the erasure of personal data (right to be forgotten), except where the University is required to store the data for compliance with article 17 (3) of the GDPR;

• the restriction of processing of personal data (article 18 of the GDPR);

• the right to object to processing of personal data concerning them, where possible.

Data subjects can exercise their rights through the form available at the "Privacy and data protection" page on the University's website. The form must be filled in and emailed to the Data protection officer (see contact information above).

In case there is an infringement of the GDPR on the processing of personal data, data subjects have the right to lodge a complaint with the Italian data protection authority or to engage in legal proceedings by virtue of article 77 of the GDPR.

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