

Call for selection 2022 for a one year visiting position for scholar at risk

Art. 1

The Alma Mater Studiorum – University of Bologna – Department of Economics (hereinafter, "DSE" or "Department") adopted the present call, concerning a one year visiting position for international Fellows, Researchers, and PhD students in possession of the status of scholar at risk invited to carry out activities of dissemination of their knowledge, research methodology, and results.

They will perform their activities within the Department facilities.

In particular, the *Visiting Fellows* shall allow a strong scientific interaction with Professors of the DSE. This interaction shall be developed especially by means of the following activities:

- 1. joint organization of workshops or other events of scientific nature within the DSE research activities
- 2. drafting joint scientific manuscripts to be published in international academic journals or in monographs, and collections targeted at an international academic audience
- 3. participating in national and international competitive calls for funding together with other faculty members of the DSE
- 4. giving seminars/lessons on their research activities which will be mainly addressed to graduate students and faculty members of the DSE

If the Visitor only carries out activities 1, 2, and 3, the position held goes under the name of *Visiting Researcher*, otherwise it is defined as *Visiting Fellow*.

Visiting PhD Students are foreign or Italian PhD students enrolled in foreign universities who are invited to the Department facilities to carry out a mobility period for research purposes.

Applicants must be citizens or have dual citizenship or be Italians living and working permanently in conflict zones. Candidates, who in the year of arrival simultaneously hold a position of any kind in an University or in a Research Centre throughout the Italian country, will be excluded. The Department reserves the right to check the actual candidates belonging to a conflict zone Universities/Research Centres and, if discrepancies or incompatibilities with the criteria set out in this call are found, it will exclude the candidates from selection.

Art. 2

The total amount for this call is € 26.500 (gross amount per annum) to fill a one year visiting position as a First Stage Researcher (R1 - according to the European Framework for Research Career).

Art. 3

The length of the stay shall be of one year. The period of stay shall be continuous so to achieve a fruitful interaction with the Professors and Researchers of the Department.

Visiting Fellow, Visiting Researchers, and Visiting PhD students will be entitled to:

1. ask for the reimbursement of travel, transfer, and accommodation expense



2. receive a compensation and ask for a reimbursement of expenses.

Art. 4

The application shall be sent via email to <u>dse.segreteria@unibo.it</u> and it will include the following documents:

- 1. curriculum vitae
- 2. description of the research activity to be developed
- 3. documentation suitable to demonstrate the risk condition, also with respect to the positions taken by the Institution of origin
- 4. the indication of the chosen period of stay

The application shall be sent within April 13th at 10 a.m. (local time):

Art. 5

Considering the current historical period, priority will be given to at-risk scholars from Ukraine. The applications will be evaluated by a Commission appointed by the Department Council. The Commission will be tasked with the selection of the best applications and the definition of the final visiting list. The selection criteria are the following:

- 1. scientific qualification and research experience of the candidate
- 2. relevance of the research interests for the Department
- 3. exposure to risk of the scholar based on the declarations received, also with respect to the positions taken by the Institution of origin.

The Department reserves the right to select a lower number of candidates if the applications submitted do not satisfy the demanded excellence requirements.

Art. 6

Visiting Fellow, Visiting Researcher, and Visiting PhD Student will be invited through a deliberation adopted by the Department Council. The deliberation will be published on the website https://bandi.unibo.it/docenti/visitingfellows?str=dse and the invitation will be formalized with a letter from the Head of the Department.

Art. 7

The Visiting Fellow/Researcher/PhD student entry and residence in Italy are regulated by the Italian laws and the local authorities' regulations. It is up to the Visiting Fellow/Researcher/PhD student to obtain the visa and any other necessary authorization to enter Italy.

Art. 8

The winning candidates to the present call, will activate an accident and third-party liability insurance coverage (RCT). The RCT will be limited to the activities listed in the agreement concluded



with the Department and taking place within its facilities. Extra UE Visiting are required to arrange for their health and social security coverage.

Art. 9

All aspects not regulated by the present call are subject to applicable legal, statutory and regulatory provisions.

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