



ALMA MATER STUDIORUM  
UNIVERSITÀ DI BOLOGNA  
DIPARTIMENTO DI FILOSOFIA E COMUNICAZIONE

**Call for selection 2022 for a Visiting Researcher Fellowship for “scholar at risk” for (a period of) 6 months.**

**Art. 1**

The Alma Mater Studiorum – University of Bologna –**Department of Philosophy and Communication Studies** (hereinafter, “FILCOM” or “Department”), adopts the present call, concerning **n. 1 Visiting Researcher Fellowships for scholar at risk starting before September 1<sup>st</sup>** invited to carry out research activities within the AlchemEast project.

In particular, the Visiting Fellow shall allow a strong scientific interaction with Prof. Matteo Martelli in the framework of the ERC project “Alchemy in the Making: From ancient Babylonia via Graeco-Roman Egypt into the Byzantine, Syriac and Arabic traditions (1500 BCE – 1000 AD)”, acronym AlchemEast (for further information, please visit the website: <https://alchemeast.eu>). 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 AlchemEast 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 FILCOM and of the AlchemEast project;
4. giving seminars/lessons on their research activities which will be mainly addressed to graduate students, faculty members of FILCOM, and members of the AlchemEast project.

Applicants could either have citizenship/double citizenship of a country in conflict or living and working permanently in a conflict zone. Candidates, who in the year of arrival simultaneously hold a position of any kind in Universities or Research Centres throughout the Italian country, will be excluded. The Department reserves the right to check To verify that candidates have an actual contract with Universities or Research Centers within a conflict zone and, if discrepancies or incompatibilities with the criteria set out in this call are found, those candidates will be excluded from the selection.

**Art. 2**

The total amount for this call is € 18.000 (gross amount) to fill 6 months visiting position as Established Researcher (R3 = researchers who have developed a level of independence). The amount will be paid in deferred monthly payments with the declaration of regular execution certified by prof. Matteo Martelli.

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### Art. 3

The length of the stay shall be **of 6 months**. The period of stay shall be continuous so to achieve a fruitful interaction with Professor Matteo Martelli.

### Art. 4

Candidates for Visiting Researcher must complete the Application Form attached to the Call for Applications and send it by email to [filcom.visiting@unibo.it](mailto:filcom.visiting@unibo.it) by the given deadline.

The application shall include:

1. curriculum vitae;
2. scanned copy of identity card or passport;
3. description of the research activity to be developed;
4. signed declaration confirming that he or she belongs to one of the categories envisaged in the call as indicated in Art. 1;
5. the indication of the chosen period of stay.

The application shall be sent within **May 20, 2022 at 23:59 - Europe/Brussels**.

### Art. 5

Considering the current historical period, priority will be given to “scholars at risk” from Ukraine. Applications will be evaluated by a Commission appointed by any Collegiate Body of the Department.

The selection criteria are the following:

1. scientific qualification and research experience of the candidate
2. relevance of the research for the Department interest
3. exposure to risk of the scholar based on the declarations received. 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 Researcher will be invited through a deliberation adopted by any Collegiate Body of the Department and containing the scholar’s first and family names, contacts, dates of stay within FILCOM and description of the planned activities. The results will be published on the website [www.dfc.unibo.it](http://www.dfc.unibo.it).

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The invitation will be formalized with an email from the Department's Head. Within 10 days of receipt of the communication, the Visiting Researcher is required to communicate formal acceptance of the visiting position by sending a confirmation message to: [filcom.visiting@unibo.it](mailto:filcom.visiting@unibo.it). The start date of the Visiting Research will be agreed between the Visiting Researcher and prof. Matteo Martelli and cannot start later than September 1<sup>st</sup>, 2022.

#### **Art. 7**

##### Immigration rules and insurance

The visiting researcher's arrival and residence in Italy are regulated by Italian law. It is up to the visiting researcher to obtain the visa and all other authorisations, where necessary, to enter to Italy and carry out the activities as described in this call for applications.

The awarding of the visiting researcher position does not provide any right to benefit from the Italian National Health Service.

The Department will provide accident and third-party liability insurance cover (RCT) limited to the activities listed in the contract entered into force with the Visiting Researcher, which will be conducted in the structures of the University of Bologna.

Visiting researcher is required to arrange for their health coverage.

Information concerning healthcare is available at the following link:

<https://www.unibo.it/it/internazionale/staff-docenti-e-ricercatori-internazionali/informazioni-utili-prima-edopo-larrivo-in-italia/assistenza-sanitaria-per-ospiti-internazionali-visiting-professors-researchers-escholars>.

##### Safety and health at work

The visiting researcher undertakes to comply with the rules and instructions about accident prevention, safety and health protection in the workplace and to attend the appropriate compulsory training courses. Training courses are available online.

##### Ethical Code of Behavior

The visiting researcher undertakes to uphold and apply in full the rules of the University Ethical Code of Behavior available on: [www.unibo.it/codiceetico](http://www.unibo.it/codiceetico)

#### **Art. 8**

At the end of his/her stay, the visiting researcher shall provide a final detailed report of the activities carried out.

#### **Art. 9**

This call is published on the website [bandi.unibo.it](http://bandi.unibo.it).

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**Art. 10**

The University of Bologna Statute and Regulations and Italian law shall apply to all aspects not regulated by this call.

**Art. 11**

Personal data collected are processed as described in the “Privacy policy for participants in the University's competitive selection procedures” available at: [www.unibo.it/privacy](http://www.unibo.it/privacy).

The information is published in compliance with art. 13 and 14 of Regulation (EU) 2016/679 (GDPR).

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