



ALMA MATER STUDIORUM
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DIPARTIMENTO DI SCIENZE POLITICHE E SOCIALI

Call for selection

UNA EUROPA CHAIRS IN EUROPEAN STUDIES

European Studies

Art. 1

The **Alma Mater Studiorum – University of Bologna – Department of Political and Social Sciences**, in the framework of the **UNA Europa alliance**, and with a view to fostering the internationalization of teaching & research activities in the field of European Studies, adopted the present call, concerning **n. 2 Chairholders in European Studies** for well-established scholars invited to carry out teaching and research activities within the framework of UNA Europa Alliance in the framework of **European Studies**.

The Una Europa Chairs initiative is one of our key initiatives to attract talent from around the world to collaborate with UNA Europa Universities. By attracting outstanding academics from the Una Europa partners and beyond for visiting professorships, the Una Europa Chairs will further raise our profile on a global scale, deepen our activities and cement different kinds of mobility, within our network and beyond. With the Una Europa Chairs, we would like to advance research, training and programme development in higher education by acting as bridge-builder between academia, civil society, local communities, researchers and enterprises

Art. 2

The applicants are asked to propose a project focused on stimulation of research and didactics, related to European Studies engaging other Una Europa researchers.

In particular, the Chairholder will reside at the Alma Mater Studiorum – University of Bologna (IT), but the project must include virtual or physical mobility involving at least two other UNA Europa universities.

Each Chairholder will be entitled to:

- receive a lump sum compensation covering travel and transfer expenses, room and board, plus any possible cost for the visa, for a total amount of 10.000 EUR gross amount, minus the insurance coverage for accident and third party liability.
- accede the items and IT resources of the Department of Political and Social Sciences.

Art. 3

The position will be offered to one person presenting a detailed plan in European Studies, for a stay up to three months 2022 from May to August 2022.

The application shall include all required documents and shall be uploaded by the candidates by 11 April **on the online platform** <https://personale.unibo.it/pol/welcome.htm?siteLanguage=en>.

The application shall be submitted exclusively on-line; any document submitted through other means will not be accepted. The application shall include:

1. personal and professional data of the Chairholder;



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2. a project proposal taking the form of a detailed research and teaching plan of up to 5 pages;
3. a scanned copy of the Chairholder's passport (or other identity document) in course of validity;
4. Chairholder's list of publications (last 5 years) and *curriculum vitae et studiorum*, including knowledge of the Italian language if present.

Art. 4

The applications will be evaluated by a Commission appointed by the **Department of Political and Social Sciences**. The Commission will be tasked with the selection of the best applications in the field of European Studies and the definition of the final ranking list.

The selection criteria are the following:

1. scientific qualification and research experience of the candidate;
2. originality of the project;
3. methodology of the project;
4. contribution to the UNA Europa activities in the European Studies;

For each criterion, up to 25 points can be assigned. Only applications scoring at least 70/100 are eligible to be selected.

In case of knowledge of the Italian language, 5 additional points may be awarded.

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

Art. 5

Chairholders will be invited through a deliberation adopted by Department of Political and Social Sciences. The deliberation will be published on the website <https://bandi.unibo.it/docenti/visiting-fellows>.

The invitation will be formalized with a letter from the Department's Head no later than 29 April.

Within one week of receipt of the invitation letter, the Chairholder is required to formally accept the position by sending a confirmation message to: sps.direttore.mbx@unibo.it.

Art. 6

The Chairholder's entry and residence in Italy are regulated by the Italian laws and the local authorities' regulations.

It is up to the Chairholder to obtain the visa and any other necessary authorization to enter Italy.

Art. 7

The Department of Political and Social Sciences 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 Visiting Researcher and taking place within the Department's facilities.

The insurance coverage will be withheld from the fee.

The Fellowship does not provide for any right to benefit from the National Health Service coverage. Chairholders are required to arrange for their health and social security coverage.



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Art. 8

At the end of the research stay, the Chairholder shall provide a final detailed report explaining the activities carried out and those to be completed.

Flat-rate reimbursement will be authorized by the Head of the Department of Political and Social Sciences upon verification of the proper fulfilment of the required activities.

Art. 9

As long as the present call remains open, it will be available in the section "Calls" of the website <https://bandi.unibo.it/docenti/visiting-fellows>

Art. 10

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

Art. 11

In accordance with art. 13 of the EU Regulation 2016/679, the processing of the personal data provided by the applicants, participating to the selection procedure, or acquired for this purpose by the Department is solely aimed to carry out the activities related to selection procedure. Data will be managed by the people in charge of the selection procedure, including the Examination Board, in the manner and within the limits necessary to achieve the above-mentioned purposes, which may also be communicated to third parties. The Department will keep and use the personal data and contacts provided by the candidates taking part in the selection procedure also after its completion, for operational, administrative, accounting and/or other purposes related to the management of institutional activities and legal obligations.

Applicants have the right to access their personal data, to request amendments, elimination, limitation of treatment, as well as to object to the processing of the above-mentioned data by addressing their requests to privacy@unibo.it.

The data holder is Alma Mater Studiorum - University of Bologna (registered office: via Zamboni n. 33, 40126 - Bologna, Italy; e-mail: privacy@unibo.it; PEC: scriviunibo@pec.unibo.it).

The contact details of the Personal Data Protection Officer are: registered office, via Zamboni n. 33, 40126 - Bologna, Italy; e-mail: dpo@unibo.it; PEC: scriviunibo@pec.unibo.it.

For further information, please consult the information available on the University website. The participation in the competition involves the expression of tacit consent so that:

1. - the names of the candidates and the results of the selection examinations could be published on the Department's website;
2. - the documentation presented can be available to other candidates undertaking "access to documents" procedure, who may use it only to protect their personal interests.

As provided for by Article 5 of Law n. 241/1990, the person in charge for this selection procedure is Prof. Filippo Andreatta, Head of Department (sps.direttore.mbx@unibo.it).

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