



## UNIVERSITA' DEGLI STUDI DI PAVIA

### CALL FOR APPLICATION: VISITING PROFESSORS

#### YEAR 2015

The University of Pavia launches its first call for short-term visiting scholarships within the framework of our strategy of internationalization and with the aim of broadening the exposure of our students to knowledge imparted by distinguished foreign scholars. The main purpose of this program is supporting incoming mobility from foreign Universities and/or research centres. With this initiative the University aims at enriching its teaching options and offering new expertise and skills to our students.

#### ART.1 - ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

The call for application is open to foreign and/or resident abroad faculty members<sup>1</sup>, permanently affiliated at foreign public or private Higher Education Institution and Research Centre in the Year 2015.

#### ART.2 - ELIGIBLE PERIOD

Minimum stay for visiting scholars under this program is 1 day and maximum is 5 days (travel excluded). Visits will have to take place in the period before 29 February 2016.

#### ART.3 - FINANCIAL TERMS

The total budget allocated by the University of Pavia is 50.000 euros.

#### ART.4 - GRANTS

Selected visiting professors receive a fixed grant calculated on the basis of number of teaching days and of the country origin where the home University is located, as following:

EU country of origin (University)	N. of days	Unit costs/gross
	1	€ 928,57
	2	€ 1.285,71
	3	€ 1.642,86
	4	€ 2.000,00
	5	€ 2.357,14
Non-EU country of origin (University)	N. of days	Unit costs
	1	€ 1.785,71
	2	€ 2.142,86
	3	€ 2.500,00
	4	€ 2.857,14
	5	€ 3.214,29

<sup>1</sup>Professors and researchers who hold positions equivalent to Full Professor, Associate Professor, or Assistant Professor, researcher

The calculation is based on unit costs which includes deductions and contributions payable by the recipient, as well as accommodation, travel and food expenses, and any costs relating to entry visas and, eventually, residence permit for non-EU citizens, health insurance, and the premium for compulsory insurance coverage for civil liability towards third parties and employers. It is the recipient's responsibility to check whether International Tax Treaty terms are applicable and to provide proof of tax payment in her/his country of residence, in order to benefit from the terms of the Treaty. Tax payment statements are generally issued by Internal Revenue or equivalent bodies.

Payment will be made at the end of the mobility period.

#### **ART.5 - HOW TO APPLY**

Interested applicants must to send the signed application form and the Professional and Scientific curriculum vitae addressed to the Rector of Pavia the University of Pavia to [organizzazione.innovazione@unipv.it](mailto:organizzazione.innovazione@unipv.it) until 15 March 2015.

In the request, candidates must to details:

- the own academic discipline (Humanities, Sciences, Medicine and Pharmacology, Economics and Social Sciences, Engineering)
- the proposed period of stay at University of Pavia (duration and dates of mobility)
- the proposed lecturing project during the mobility period

#### **ART.6 - SELECTION PROCEDURE**

For each academic discipline a special Commission will be appointed by the Rector of the University of Pavia. Each Commission is composed by 3 members including at least two UNIPV professors.

##### **Academic disciplines**

##### **1. HUMANITIES**

- Department of Law
- Department of humanities
- Department of Musicology and Cultural Heritage
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##### **2. SCIENCES**

- Department of Biology and Biotechnology "Lazzaro Spallanzani"
- Department of Chemistry
- Department of Physics
- Department of Mathematics
- Department of Earth and Environmental Sciences

##### **3. MEDICINE and Pharmacology**

- Department of Internal Medicine and Therapeutics
- Department of Molecular Medicine
- Department of Public Health, Neuroscience, Experimental and Forensic Medicine
- Department of Clinical-Surgical, Diagnostic and Paediatric Sciences
- Department of Drugs Sciences
- Department of Brain and Behavioural Sciences

##### **4. ECONOMICS AND SOCIAL SCIENCE**

- Department of Economics and Management
- Department of Political and Social Sciences

##### **5. ENGINEERING**

- Department of Electrical, Computer and Biomedical Engineering
- Department of Civil Engineering and Architecture

Applicants will be selected on the basis of:

- their curriculum
- their lecturing project

Each Selecting Committee may appoint specific selection criteria.

Each academic area will be allocated a total budget of € 10.000 to be awarded by its committee to selected visiting professors according to the grant tables indicated above. The number of selected grantees and their mobility periods may differ and it will be decided by each Committee, taking into account the allocated budget.

Committees cannot reduce or increase the amount allotted to grants as indicated in the above table.

Selected candidates will receive a formal notification via e-mail.

#### **ART.7 - ACTIVITIES**

The University offers guest scholars free access to its facilities, for the entire duration of their stay.

Upon conclusion of their visiting period, scholars are requested to send a detailed report of their activities to the International Relations Office by e-mail ([relint@unipv.it](mailto:relint@unipv.it)). This is mandatory to get the grant payment.

#### **ART.8 - OBLIGATIONS**

During their stay at the University of Pavia academic visitors are required to purchase an insurance policy covering third party liability and accidents incurred while undertaking their tasks during research/teaching activity. To obtain more information and subscribe to the insurance policy offered by the University of Pavia, please visit:

<http://www.unipv.eu/site/home/ateneo/amministrazione/direzione-generale/servizio-legale/articolo12221.html>

Academic visitors at the University of Pavia must download information regarding [General Measures of Prevention and Protection](#), read them carefully, sign and submit all forms to the hosting Department.

#### **ART.9 - Data Protection**

In accordance with Legislative Decree 196/03, all data acquired during the application process will be exclusively used for the purposes of the selection procedure in question. The information may be communicated to other offices of the University of Pavia and to other parties exclusively within the limits and to the extent necessary to achieve authorization.

Pavia,

THE RECTOR  
Prof. Fabio Rugge

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