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Office of the Vice President for Research and Graduate Studies (PROPESQ)
Office of Graduate Studies
Program for Institutional Internationalization – CAPES-PRINT

Call 04/2019
Scholarships for Young Talent with Experience Abroad and
Postdoctoral Researcher with Experience Abroad

1. Let it be known, to whom it may concern, that the Call for Young Talent with Experience Abroad and Postdoctoral Researcher with Experience Abroad, within the scope of the Institutional Internationalization Project (IIP) under the Capes-PrInt Program, in the year 2019, is now open.

2. Purpose
 - 2.1 This call for proposals, within the Capes-PrInt Program, aims to increase the number of young researchers with relevant academic and scientific experience for research and / or teaching activities in the Graduate Programs associated with the applicant's field of study, who may ultimately be hired as a faculty member at PUCRS.

 - 2.2 This call for proposals will award projects in 2 (two) financial aid categories: (1) Scholarships associated with the cooperation project and (2) Scholarships associated with the Office of the Vice President.
 - 2.2.1 The source of financial aid must be indicated by the applicant in the application form.

 - 2.3 This call for proposals includes the following scholarship categories:
 - 2.3.1 Young talent with experience abroad: for young talent researchers, Brazilians or internationals, living outside of Brazil, with relevant international academic and scientific background to do research or teach (holding a Master's or PhD or as doctoral researchers for at least twelve months).

 - 2.3.2 Post doctoral researchers with experience abroad: for researchers or professors, Brazilian or internationals, living in Brazil or abroad who have relevant international academic-scientific experience to do research or teach (as a PhD or postdoctoral researcher for a minimum of 12 months).

2.4 This call for proposals aims to address the following's goals within the Capes-Print:

- 2.4.1 To increase the international collaboration network of PUCRS' Graduate Programs;
- 2.4.2 To consolidate Graduate Programs' international partnerships;
- 2.4.3 To encourage the development of international research networks improving the quality of Graduate academic production;
- 2.4.4 To promote the mobility of young researchers from abroad with international background to PUCRS' Graduate Programs.

3. Duration and Number of Scholarships

3.1 The total of scholarships available is presented in the Appendix I.

3.2 The duration of the scholarships ranges from 6 (six) months to 12 (twelve) months as provided for in Public Notice No. 41/2017 of the Program for Institutional Internationalization – CAPES-PrInt.

4. Eligibility Criteria:

4.1 Young Talent scholarship

4.1.1 Successful applicants must meet the following requirements:

- I. Be a resident of a country outside of Brazil;
- II. Have valid PhD degree, at the time of the implementation of the scholarship;
- III. Have relevant academic-scientific experience abroad: Complete Master's or PhD or Master's or PhD's internship abroad for at least 12 (twelve) months;
- IV. Have outstanding scientific and / or technological production in the academic areas of PUCRS' Graduate Program of interest, as stated in in the IIP;
- V. It is desirable that the application be submitted by a host researcher, affiliated to one of the Graduate Programs embraced by PUCRS' IIP;
- VI. If the applicant does not have a host researcher, the IIP Management Group will assign a researcher who will be responsible for the activities at PUCRS;
- VII. Applications must be in an academic area that is relevant to the host researcher's academic interests.

4.2 Postdoctoral research applications:

4.2.1 Successful applicants must meet the following requirements:

- i. Be a resident of Brazil or abroad;
- ii. Have a PhD degree;
- iii. Have relevant academic-scientific experience abroad: Completed a PhD or postdoctoral research over the last 12 (twelve) months;
- iv. Have outstanding scientific and / or technological production in the academic areas of PUCRS' Graduate Program of interest, as stated in the IIP;
- v. It is desirable that the application be submitted by a host researcher, affiliated to one of the Graduate Programs embraced by PUCRS' IIP;
- VIII. If the applicant does not have a host researcher, the IIP Management Group will assign a researcher who will be responsible for the activities at PUCRS;
- IX. Projects must be in an academic area that is relevant to the host researcher's academic interests;
- X. Projects must be in line with the strategic planning of the University and the IIP.

5. Documentation

5.1 The following documents must be submitted:

5.1.1 Curriculum of the applicant: Lattes CV for Brazilian researchers; for foreign researchers, the curriculum must be written in the style attached herein.

5.1.2 Copy IDs: RG and CPF for Brazilian applicants; copy of passport for international applicants;

5.1.3 Statement of consent of PUCRS host researcher;

5.1.4 A research project, designed jointly by the candidate and PUCRS host researchers, addressing the following criteria:

- I. Title;
- II. Introduction and justification, including the relevance of the theme and state-of-art;
- III. Potential for continuation of the research and expansion of the education network of the Graduate Program and PUCRS;
- IV. Relevance for the scientific and technological development in the area in PUCRS and in Brazil in the medium and long terms;
- V. Proposals for training activities: courses and / or seminars;
- VI. Activities plan.

5.1.5 Statement from the Graduate Program coordination indicating the department where applicant will be placed;

5.2 The documentation must be submitted in PDF format as stated in Section 7 to diretoriapg.print@pucrs.br.

- 5.2.1 The type of scholarship, the funding category, and the linked project, if applicable, must be included in the subject of the email.
- 5.2.2 Applications submitted after the deadline stated in Section 6 will not be accepted.

6. Schedule

6.1 This Call for Proposals will follow the schedules below:

Beginning of Activities	Registration	Results
April to July, 2019.	January 9 th to 20 th 2019.	By January 29 th , 2019.
August to December, 2019.	April 8 th to 18 th , 2019.	By April 17 th , 2019.

7. Selection

7.1 The type of funding to be awarded will be taken into consideration for the selection of proposals:

7.1.1 Scholarships associated with the cooperation project: The Office of Graduate Studies will look at the documentation submitted by the applicant, and will issue a decision regarding the applicant's candidacy. The Selection Committee will comprise 3 (three) members: The Coordinator of the Cooperation Project and 2 (two) other persons - one (1) member assigned by the Coordinator of the Cooperation Project and another assigned by the Manager, as per the 2 IIP Manager Group members. The Selection Committee will be responsible for analyzing the relevance, qualification and classification of proposals.

7.1.2 Scholarships associated with the Office of the Vice President: The Office of Graduate Studies will look at the documentation submitted by the applicant, and will issue a decision regarding the applicant's candidacy. The Selection Committee will comprise of 3 (three) members nominated by the manager of the IIP Manager as per the 2 IIP Manager Group members, including one PROPESQ member. The Selection Committee will be responsible for analyzing the relevance, qualification and classification of proposals.

7.2 Selection will take into consideration the documents submitted and the merit of the research project. Because the academic areas that are embraced are different, the weight of the grades to be assigned to the documents and merit analysis of the research project should be equal.

7.3 The following aspects will be taken into consideration in the evaluation of relevance, quality and classification of proposals,:

7.3.1 Applicant's previous experience: quality and regularity of the scientific production of the researcher in the area of the research project;

- 7.3.2 Relevance of the project: Relevance of the proposed research project considering its impact for the area of knowledge;
- 7.3.3 Involvement between applicant and host researcher: academic qualifications of the host researcher and the applicant must be compatible;
- 7.3.4 Cooperative actions: university / industry cooperation and insertion in local innovation systems;

8. Results

8.1 Results will be disclosed as follows:

8.1.1 Scholarships associated with the cooperation project: The applicant will be notified of the results with an email sent by Coordinator of the Cooperation Project to which the application has been submitted, along with a copy to the Office of Graduate Studies. Additionally, the result of the selection process will also be announced on <http://www.pucrs.br/print/calls-for-applications/>.

8.1.2 Scholarships associated with the Office of the Vice President: The applicant will be notified of the results with an email sent by the Office of Graduate Studies. Additionally, the result of the selection process will also be announced on <http://www.pucrs.br/print/calls-for-applications/>.

9. Appeals

9.1 Applicants may appeal the final decision, by sending an email to diretoriapg.print@pucrs.br within 7 days, after the date the results were published.

9.2 Appeals will be analyzed by 3 (three) members of the IIP Manager Group.

10. Benefits

10.1 Financial aid and corresponding benefits will be awarded according to Appendix I of this Call.

10.2 Benefits are not extended to dependents.

11. Final Considerations

11.1 Below are the project coordinator's and host researcher's responsibilities, under the Project Capes-Print:

- 11.1.1 Work closely with the scholar, be in compliance with program's guidelines and standards, and report on any problems or irregularities, as they will act as an interlocutor between the Office of Graduate Studies and the grantee.
- 11.1.2 In case the scholarship is interrupted, inform the Office of Graduate Studies as soon as possible and send a justification for the cancellation;

- 11.1.3 To assist the international scholar in obtaining the CPF number, opening of a bank account, finding housing and available health services.
- 11.2 The visiting scholar will be responsible for obtaining the appropriate visa to come to Brazil. The type of visa will depend on the activities to be developed. The visa must be valid for the period of the applicant's stay in Brazil.
- 11.3 The beneficiaries of this scholarship shall mention the support provided by Capes in any publications, under the Capes-PrInt Program, as described in its respective agreement.
- 11.4 Scholarship recipients may be required to hold seminars, write papers and join events of exchange of experience, if requested.
- 11.5 Recipients of the award must send an end-of-activity report.
- 11.6 As stated in the IIP, at least 70% (seventy percent) of the resources will be allocated to partnerships with universities from countries with which Capes cooperates effectively.
- 11.7 The application must take into consideration the countries that are listed in the project topic for the application.
- 11.8 This Call for Proposals has been designed in accordance with Article 3, Clause 3.4, item 3.4.1.9 of the CAPES Notice 041/2017 - Program for Institutional Internationalization (CAPES-PrInt).
- 11.9 No awards will be granted to relatives or spouses up to third degree, according to Decree 7203 of June 4, 2010 in Binding Summary No. 13 / STF (Federal Supreme Court).
- 11.10 If you have any questions or concerns, please send an email to diretoriapg.print@pucrs.br.
- 11.11 Any issues arising from this Call will be solved by the Capes-Print Project Manager Group at PUCRS Group.
- 11.12 According to the CAPES-Print Project, at least 70% of the resources will be allocated to partnerships with institutions in countries that Capes cooperated effectively.
- 11.13 The application must take into consideration the countries that are listed in the project for the application.
- 11.14 If you have any questions or concerns, please send an email to diretoriapg.print@pucrs.br.
- 11.15 Any issues arising from this Call will be solved by the Capes-Print Project Manager Group at PUCRS Group.



Porto Alegre, January 9th, 2019.

Appendix I

Scholarships for Young Talent with Experience Abroad

SCHOLARSHIPS ASSOCIATED WITH THE COOPERATION PROJECT

THEME 1: HEALTH IN HUMAN DEVELOPMENT

Project: Advances in drug development, diagnosis and epidemiology of neglected diseases	
Coordinator: Cristiano Valim Bizarro	
Type	Award
Young talent with experience abroad (12 months)	2

SCHOLARSHIPS ASSOCIATED WITH THE OFFICE OF THE VICE PRESIDENT

Theme 1: Health in Human Development	
Type	Award
Young talent with experience abroad (6 months)	1
Theme 2: The World in Motion: Individuals and Society	
Type	Award
Young talent with experience abroad (6 months)	1

Total Amount	
Young talent with experience abroad (6 months)	R\$ 59.155,29
Young talent with experience abroad (12 months)	R\$ 116.110,58

Scholarships for Postdoctoral Researcher with Experience Abroad

SCHOLARSHIPS ASSOCIATED WITH THE COOPERATION PROJECT

THEME 1: HEALTH IN HUMAN DEVELOPMENT

Project: Biopsychosocial aspects related to the individual's health in adult life	
Coordinator: Tatiana Quarti Irigaray	
Type	Award
Postdoctoral researcher with experience abroad (6 months)	1
Postdoctoral researcher with experience abroad (12 months)	2
Project: Advances in drug development, diagnosis and epidemiology of neglected diseases	
Coordinator: Cristiano Valim Bizarro	
Type	Award
Postdoctoral researcher with experience abroad (12 months)	1
Project: Biopsychosocial aspects related to the individual's health in adult life	
Coordinator: Maria Martha Campos	
Type	Award
Postdoctoral researcher with experience abroad (6 months)	1

Postdoctoral researcher with experience abroad (12 months)	1
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THEME 2: The World in Motion: Individuals and Society

Project: Human Development: knowledges and practices for a world in motion	
Coordinator: Alexandre Anselmo Guilherme	
Type	Award
Postdoctoral researcher with experience abroad (6 months)	1

THEME 3: Technology and Biodiversity: Sustainability, Energy and the Environment

Project: Genomic advances and their impacts to the study of biodiversity	
Coordinator: Sandro Bonatto	
Type	Award
Postdoctoral researcher with experience abroad (7 months)	1
Postdoctoral researcher with experience abroad (12 months)	1
Project: Technology, energy and natural resources: new paths to sustainability	
Coordinator: Eduardo Cassel	
Type	Award
Postdoctoral researcher with experience abroad (6 months)	1

SCHOLARSHIPS ASSOCIATED WITH THE OFFICE OF THE VICE PRESIDENT

Theme 1: Health in Human Development	
Type	Award
Postdoctoral researcher with experience abroad (6 months)	1
Theme 2: The World in Motion: Individuals and Society	
Type	Award
Postdoctoral researcher with experience abroad (6 months)	1
Theme 3: Technology and Biodiversity: Sustainability, Energy and the Environment	
Type	Award
Postdoctoral researcher with experience abroad (6 months)	1

Scholarships	
Postdoctoral researcher with experience abroad (6 months)	BRL 35,755.29
Postdoctoral researcher with experience abroad (7 months)	BRL 46,810.58
Postdoctoral researcher with experience abroad (12 months)	BRL 69,310.58

Appendix II

INSTITUTIONAL PROJECT FOR INTERNATIONALIZATION – CAPES-PrInt APPLICATION FORM FOR YOUNG TALENT OR POSTDOCTORAL RESEARCHER

Scholarship Category

Young Talent

Postdoctoral Researcher

Funding Category

Scholarships associated with the cooperation project

Scholarships associated with the Office of the Vice President

1. Personal Information

Full Name: ORCID Number:

Completion Date of Doctoral Degree:

Project Title, if applicable:

CV Link:

Period of stay at PUCRS:

Name of Host Professor, if applicable:

Graduate Program associated with Host Professor:

School/Laboratory:

Graduate Program associated:

I hereby certify that, I am not the beneficiary of a scholarship and I am not applying for any other scholarships from the Brazilian government.

Signature of Applicant

Date: / /

By signing my name below, I hereby certify that I have read the above information

Signature of Host Professor

Date: / /

Signature of Graduate Program Coordinator

Date: / /



2. Statement of Purpose (motivation, expectations and a brief report of previous experiences):