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Institutional Project of Internationalization - CAPES-PRINT **Call 04/2019 –**
AMENDMENT 01
Scholarships for Young Talent with Experience Abroad and
Postdoctoral Researcher with Experience Abroad

Let it be known to whom it may concern that the Amendment 01 to the Call for Scholarships for Young Talent with Experience Abroad and Postdoctoral Researcher with Experience Abroad is now open, as follows.

Porto Alegre, Mar 29, 2019.



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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 (*PII*), under the Capes-PrInt Program, in the year 2019, is now open.
2. Purpose
 - 2.1 This Call, under 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.
 - 2.2 This call for proposals will award projects in 2 (two) financial aid categories: (1) Grants Associated with the Cooperation Project and (2) Grants 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.
 - 2.2.2 For grants to be awarded under the category 'Grants not Associated with Cooperation Projects - Office of the Vice President', preference will be given to the countries listed as priorities by CAPES, as per [Appendix 1 - of Call 41/2017 of the Institutional Program of Internationalization CAPES-PrInt](#).
 - 2.3 This call for proposals includes two 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 Postdoctoral 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 number of scholarships available, and duration of the award, are presented in the Appendix I – AMMENDMENT 01.

3.2 The duration of the scholarships ranges from 6 (six) months to 36 (thirty-six) 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 with Experience Abroad

4.1.1 The applicant must fulfill the following requirements at the time of registration:

- 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 PII;
- V. It is desirable that the application be submitted by a host researcher, affiliated to one of the Graduate Programs embraced by PUCRS' PII;

- VI. If the applicant does not have a host researcher, the PII 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 and which falls within the PII Project.
- VIII. Projects must be in line with the strategic planning of the University and the IIP.

4.2 Postdoctoral research applications:

4.2.1 The applicant must fulfill the following requirements at the time of registration:

- 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 PII;
- 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. Projects must be in an academic area that is relevant to the host researcher's academic interests and which falls within the PII Project;
- viii. 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 Duly signed and completed application form, as follows:

- i) For applicants applying for Young Talent with Experience Abroad:
Appendix II – Amendment 01 of this Call;

ii) For applicants applying for Postdoctoral Researchers with Experience Abroad: Appendix III.

5.1.2 Curriculum of the applicant: Lattes CV for Brazilian researchers; for foreign researchers;

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

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, under the PII;
- III. Potential for increasing the research and educational 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 5.4.1 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
August to December, 2019.	April 8 th to 28 th , 2019.	By May 15 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 Grants Associated with Cooperation Projects: The Office of Graduate Studies will look at the documentation submitted by the applicant, and will issue a decision regarding their application. 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. This decision must be agreed by at least 2 PII Manager Group members. The Selection Committee will be responsible for analyzing the relevance, qualification and classification of proposals.
- 7.1.2 Grants Not Associated with Cooperation Projects – 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 application. The Selection Committee will comprise of 3 (three) members nominated by the manager of the IIP Manager. This decision must be agreed by at least 2 PII Manager Group members. The team also includes 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 Cooperation Project: Results of the selection process will also be announced on <http://www.pucrs.br/print/calls-for-applications/>.
- 8.1.2 Scholarships not Associated with Cooperation projects – Office of the Vice President: Results 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 on <http://www.pucrs.br/print/calls-for-applications/>.

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

10. Benefits

10.1 Financial aid and corresponding benefits will be awarded according to Appendix I – Amendment 01 of this Call.

10.2 Benefits are not extended to dependents.

11. Final Considerations

11.1 Below are the and host professor's responsibilities:

11.1.1 Work closely with the scholar, make sure to comply 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/PROPESQ and the grantee.

11.1.2 In case the scholarship is interrupted, inform the Office of Graduate Studies/PROPESQ 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 means, in any publication of the results achieved under the 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 (no specific model).

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 - Institutional Program of 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.



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Appendix I – Amendment 01

Young Talent with Experience Abroad

GRANTS ASSOCIATED WITH COOPERATION PROJECTS

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

GRANTS NOT ASSOCIATED WITH COOPERATION PROJECTS – 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

Postdoctoral Researcher with Experience Abroad

SCHOLARSHIPS ASSOCIATED WITH COOPERATION PROJECTS

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)	1
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: Development of technologies and innovative processes in health	
Coordinator: Maria Martha Campos	
Type	Award
Postdoctoral researcher with experience abroad (6 months)	1
Postdoctoral researcher with experience abroad (12 months)	1

THEME 2: 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 NOT ASSOCIATED WITH PROJECTS – 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 – AMENDMENT 01
INSTITUTIONAL PROJECT FOR INTERNATIONALIZATION – CAPES-PrInt
APPLICATION FORM FOR
YOUNG TALENT WITH EXPERIENCE ABROAD

Type of Funding

- Grant Associated with a Cooperation Project. Which one?
- Grant Not Associated with a Cooperation Project – Office of the Vice President

1. Applicant:

Name: _____

Year and Institution where they completed their PhD program: _____

Country of birth: _____ Country of citizenship: _____

ORCID No. : _____ CPF or Passport: _____

Resume or CV: _____

Email address: _____

Length of stay at PUCRS (month/year to month /year): _____

Name of Host Professor, if applicable: _____

Graduate Program the Host Professor is affiliated: _____

Unit/Laboratory: _____

Graduate Program the applicant will be affiliated: _____

Previous Experiences:

Experience 1:

Institution:

Reason (Doctoral Research Internship, full PhD or full Master's):

Length of stay abroad (month/year):

Experience 2:

Institution:

Reason (Doctoral Research Internship, full PhD or full Master's):

Length of stay abroad (month/year):

Experience 3:

Institution:

Reason (Doctoral Research Internship, full PhD or full Master's):

Length of stay abroad (month/year):

Important Information:

- If the applicant has more than three experiences abroad, these experiences should be mentioned in the Statement of Purpose;



- If the applicant has more than three experiences abroad, these experiences should be mentioned in the Statement of Purpose;
- The application form is available on the PUCRS Portal PrInt>Call;
- Applicants must have had certified experience abroad for at least 12 months in order to be eligible for the grant, as stated in item 2.3.1 of Call 04/2019.

I hereby agree to the terms and conditions of Call 04/2019 – AMENDMENT 01.

Signature of Applicant

Date: / /

I hereby agree to the abovementioned terms.

Signature of Host Professor

Date: / /

Signature of the Coordinator of the Graduate Program

Date: / /

Signature of the Coordinator of the Cooperation Project

Date: / /

2. Statement of Purpose (expectations and brief account of previous experiences):



APPENDIX III

**INSTITUTIONAL PROJECT FOR INTERNATIONALIZATION – CAPES-PrInt
APPLICATION FORM FOR
POSTDOCTORAL RESEARCHER WITH EXPERIENCE ABROAD**

Type of Funding

Grant Associated with a Cooperation Project. Which one?

Grant Not Associated with a Cooperation Project – Office of the Vice President

1. Applicant:

Name: _____

Year and Institution where they completed their PhD program: _____

Country of birth: _____ **Country of citizenship:** _____

ORCID No. : _____ **CPF or Passport:** _____

Resume or CV: _____

Email address: _____

Length of stay at PUCRS (month/year to month/year): _____

Name of Host Professor, if applicable: _____

Graduate Program the Host Professor is affiliated: _____

Unit/Laboratory: _____

Graduate Program the applicant will be affiliated: _____

Previous Experiences:

Experience 1:

Institution:

Reason (Full PhD or Postdoctoral research):

Length of stay abroad (month/year):

Experience 2:

Institution:

Reason (Full PhD or Postdoctoral research):

Length of stay abroad (month/year):

Experience 3:

Institution:

Reason (Full PhD or Postdoctoral research):

Length of stay abroad (month/year):

Important Information:

- If the applicant has more than three experiences abroad, these experiences should be mentioned in the Statement of Purpose;
- The application form is available on the PUCRS Portal PrInt>Call;



- Applicants must have had certified experience abroad for at least 12 months in order to be eligible for the grant, as stated in item 2.3.1 of Call 04/2019.

I hereby agree to the terms and conditions of Call 04/2019 – AMENDMENT 01.

Signature of Applicant

Date: / /

I hereby agree to the abovementioned terms.

Signature of Host Professor

Date: / /

Signature of the Coordinator of the Graduate Program

Date: / /

Signature of the Coordinator of the Cooperation Project

Date: / /

2. Statement of Purpose (expectations and brief account of previous experiences):