



**CALL FOR THE FINANCING OF JOINT AND INDIVIDUAL RESEARCH
PROJECTS FOR THE MOBILITY ABROAD OF PHD STUDENTS OF THE
XXXV AND XXXVI CYCLE**

Art. 1 - Subject of the call for proposals

Sapienza issues a selective procedure aimed at financing:

- joint research projects for the mobility abroad of PhD students of the XXXV and XXXVI cycle, regularly enrolled at Sapienza;
- individual research projects for the mobility abroad of a student and doctorate of the XXXV and xxxvi cycle, regularly enrolled at Sapienza;

Art. 2 – Research projects

"Research projects" means:

- joint research projects involving mobility of at least 2 (two) - maximum 5 (five) doctoral students at hosting institutions located in one or more foreign countries;
- individual research projects involving the mobility of a student and doctorate at a Hosting Institution located in a foreign country.

The stays referred to in this call will be financed for periods not less than 3 months and not more than 6 months for each doctoral student, to be carried out continuously from 1 March 2022.

The period of stay abroad must be concluded by the date of discussion of the final doctoral examination and in any case no later than December 31, 2022.



Art. 3 – Hosting Institution

The Hosting Institution is a public or private institution, academic or non-academic, located in a foreign country.

Art. 4 – Proposer

"Proposer" means a Sapienza professor who presents the joint or individual research project as scientific manager of the same.

Art. 5 - How to participate

Applications for admission to the call must be submitted by 12.00 p.m. on 10 September 2021 by filling in a special form to the following addresses:

1. for joint mobility:
 - <https://phd.uniroma1.it/mobilita/application/login.aspx>
1. for individual mobility:
<https://forms.gle/6L5i661XVYJ5Dhdi9>

The following documents in pdf format must be attached to the application in electronic format:

1. Curriculum vitae of PhD students duly signed by their PhD students;
2. Letters of acceptance of the Hosting Institutions, duly signed, with an indication of the mobility periods and the activities that will be carried out. The acceptance letters must also be countersigned by the Coordinators of the doctoral courses of the respective PhD students in accordance with the "Rules on PhDs";



3. Joint or individual research project drawn up in Arial 10 for a maximum of 6 (six) pages.

Art. 6 – Reasons for exclusion

The application for funding will not be considered admissible if:

- a) has been transmitted through different methods and channels than those provided for by the online procedure provided for in Article 5 of this notice;
- b) was submitted after the deadline referred to in Article 5;
- c) lacks the attachments referred to in Article 5 of this announcement;
- d) is accompanied by a research project not signed by the proposer;
- e) is accompanied by an acceptance letter not countersigned by the coordinator of the PhD program;
- f) is accompanied by a curriculum vitae not signed by the student;
- g) provides for the mobility of doctoral students enrolled in cycles other than XXXV and XXXVI.

Art. 7 - Selection Commission

Applications will be evaluated by a Commission appointed by the Magnificent Rector and made up of 5 (five) members.

The total amount available will be divided between the two types of mobility in proportion to the number of eligible applications received for each of them.

The Commission will then formulate a ranking of the research projects worthy of funding divided by type (joint and individual mobility) until the funds available in the budget are exhausted.

The Commission may also decide, based on the number of applications received, to divide them into homogeneous macro areas for scientific activities



and to proceed with the preparation of different rankings, allocating for each of them a portion of the total budget available in proportion to the number of applications received for that specific macro area.

Art. 8 - Evaluation criteria

Applications will be evaluated considering:

- curriculum vitae of PhD students (from 0 to 40 points);
- scientific quality of the research project with particular regard to the innovative nature of the same (from 0 to 40 points), pages exceeding the maximum number allowed as per Article 5 of this call will not be evaluated;
- prestige of hosting institutions based on the main international rankings (from 0 to 10 points);
- presence, in the same joint project, of at least one PhD student on the move at one of the universities of the CIVS Alliance (from 0 to 10 points).

Art. 9 – Financial contribution

The monthly amount paid to each PhD student will be:

1. € 700.00 for doctoral scholarship holders
2. € 1,800.00 for non-doctoral scholarship holders

The amounts are to be understood before any charges provided for by current legislation.



Art. 10 – Incompatibility

The contribution referred to in the previous art. 9 cannot be combined with other mobility grants provided, even by different subjects, for the same period.

Art. 11 – Insurance coverage

Each fellow will be covered by an accident and civil liability insurance policy borne by Sapienza. Insurance coverage for accidents and third-party liability will only cover claims occurring during the research activities. For health coverage, each fellow will need to have a European health insurance card or other insurance models valid in the country of destination.

Art. 12 - Advertising of the selective procedure

The call and the results, relating to the selective procedure, will be published on the University website at the following address:

www.uniroma1.it/internazionale/internazionalizzazione-ricerca/giovani-ricercatori

Art. 13 – Person responsible for the proceedings

In accordance with the provisions of Art. 5 of Law No 241 of 7 August 1990, the person responsible for the proceedings referred to in this notice is Mrs Giuditta Carabella (giuditta.carabella@uniroma1.it).

Art. 14 - Processing of personal data

The processing of personal data will be carried out on paper and / or computerized exclusively by personnel authorized to process the data in



relation to the tasks and duties assigned and in compliance with the principles of lawfulness, correctness, transparency, adequacy, relevance and necessity. The data will be kept for the period necessary to carry out the procedure and to fulfill all legal obligations. At any time, they may exercise against the owner's rights under Articles. 15 et seq. of the GDPR and, in particular, access to their personal data, rectification, integration, cancellation, limitation as well as the right to oppose the processing. Without prejudice to the right to lodge a complaint with the Guarantor for the protection of personal data pursuant to art. 77 of the GDPR.