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**CALL FOR APPLICATION  
FOR VISITING PROFESSOR/INVITED LECTURER FROM UKRAINE  
THE DIRECTOR**

**CONSIDERED** that the University of Florence aims to consolidate its dimension of University of excellence with a high ranking at national and international level in missions and areas of intervention, as well as to strengthen its inclusion policies;

**TAKING INTO ACCOUNT** the University's vocation for international cooperation and inclusiveness;

**CONSIDERING** the serious humanitarian crisis that has arisen as a result of the conflict in Ukraine;

**ACKNOWLEDGING** the invitation of the Ministry of University and Research to promote concrete actions leading to the reception of Ukrainian guests in Italian Universities;

**ACKNOWLEDGING** the Rector's appeal to the academic community to express willingness to receive and host Ukrainian students, researchers and professors;

**TAKING INTO ACCOUNT** the Department's willingness to host Ukrainian professors/researchers;

**HAVING REGARD** to the resolutions of the Academic Senate of March 23, 2022 and the Board of Directors of March 29, 2022;

**HAVING REGARD** to Ministerial Decree no. 752 of June 30, 2021, "Extraordinary funding to Universities and AFAM Institutions for tutoring orientation actions, as well as remedial and inclusion actions, also with reference to students with disabilities and specific learning disorders";

**ACKNOWLEDGING** that the resources allocated to the hospitality of the Visiting Professors/Invited Lectures will come from the Department/Central Administration funds (M.D. 752/2021);

**HAVING REGARD** to the Regulations regarding Visiting Professors issued by Rectoral Decree No. 1586 (Prot. No. 232574) of 10/12/2019;

**HAVING REGARD** to the resolutions of the Academic Senate of December 22, 2021, and of the Board of Directors of December 23, 2021 concerning "Guidelines on resources provided by Departments to *Visiting Professors*";

**CONSIDERED** that the amount to be allocated to the Visiting Professor/Invited Lecturer may be an amount between 1.500,00 and 6.000,00 euros;

**VERIFIED** by the Director of the Department the availability of sufficient funds, equal to € 20.000,00, in its budget to cover the amount granted by this Call for Applications (COAN no. 60354/2022 prog. U-GOV: RIPDPC2019\_2021\_W P4DST);

**HAVING REGARD** to the current University Educational Regulations;

**HAVING REGARD** to the current Statute of the University,

**DECREES**

the issuance of a call to host a **professor or researcher from Ukraine, refugee in Ukraine or holders of a permanent residence permit in Ukraine** (Visiting Professor/Invited Lecturer), invited to carry out training activities in the Department as part of a study program and/or research activities **for a period of 6 (six) months**.



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## CALL FOR VISITING PROFESSOR/INVITED LECTURER FROM UKRAINE

### Art. 1 - Object of the Call

A call for applications to host at the Department n. 1 **(one) refugee professor or researcher who is from or in Ukraine or who has permanent residency permit in Ukraine** to carry out joint research is thereby issued in the Area of **“Seismology, vulcanology, seismic risk, tsunامي, computer science, data processing”** having as Scientific Supervisor Dr Maurizio Ripepe, for a duration of 6 (six) months.

### Art. 2 - Status of Visiting Scholars

To the above professor/researcher is granted for the entire duration of his/her stay, the status of Visiting Professor/Invited Lecturer according to the requirements of the law and regulations in force.

### Art. 3 - Contributions for Visiting Professor/Invited Lecturer

The Department allocates funds to host scholar from Ukraine, having regard to the resolutions of the Academic Senate of December 22, 2021 and of the Board of Directors of December 23, 2021 concerning "Guidelines on resources provided by Departments to *Visiting Professors*". In particular, the Department allocates a monthly amount of 3.072,00 € (gross percipient) in accordance with the provisions in force on the subject, with particular reference to the nature of the funds, for a total amount to the structure of € 20.000,00.

### Art. 4 - Procedures and deadlines for submitting applications

Candidates must complete the Application Form attached to the Call for Applications (ANNEX 1) and send it **by email** to [segreteria@dst.unifi.it](mailto:segreteria@dst.unifi.it) by the indicated deadline.

They must be accompanied by:

- 1) personal and professional data and details of the applicant;
- 2) scanned copy of passport and, for non-Ukrainian citizens only, their residence permit in Ukraine;
- 3) signed declaration certifying membership of one of the categories provided for in the call as indicated in art. 1 of this Call;
- 4) brief scientific profile of the Visiting Scholar with *Curriculum Vitae et studiorum*;
- 5) description of the research project that the Visiting Scholar intends to implement during the stay at Unifi;

The application must be signed by the candidate and sent in a scanned PDF format. Any attachment sent must be in PDF format together with a PDF scan of a valid photo ID.

The subject line of the email must contain the following: *“Application for Visiting professor/Invited lecturer D.D. n. \_\_\_\_\_ of 29/06/2022”*



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The deadline for submitting the selection application is August 28, 2022 at 23:59 under penalty of exclusion for late submissions.

#### **Art. 5 - Selection of applications**

Applications will be reviewed by a selection Commission appointed by the Department Director.

The Commission will formulate a ranking of applications worthy of funding.

#### **Art. 6 - Fulfilments after the visit has taken place**

The faculty member responsible for the invitation, Dr Maurizio Ripepe, must, within 60 days of the end of the visit, send the Department a report of the activities carried out by the visiting scholar.

#### **Art. 7 - Person in charge of the procedure**

Pursuant to the provisions of art. 5 of Law no. 241 of August 7, 1990, the person in charge of the procedure referred to in this call is Dr Ilaria Gallotta, Department of Earth Science, Via G. La Pira, 4 - 50121 - Florence, tel. 055 2757591, e-mail [ilaria.gallotta@unifi.it](mailto:ilaria.gallotta@unifi.it)

#### **Art. 8 - Treatment of personal data**

Personal data will be processed in compliance with the provisions of the General Regulation on the Protection of Personal Data (EU Regulation 2016/679 of the European Parliament and of the Council of April 27, 2016 (GDPR), on the protection of individuals with regard to the processing of Personal Data and on the free movement of such data, published in the OJEU of May 04, 2016 and the Legislative Decree of June 30, 2003, No. 196 Code on the Protection of Personal Data, as amended.

More information on the data processing carried out by the University of Florence is available at the address <https://www.unifi.it/vp-11360-protezione-dati.html>

#### **Art. 9 - Publicity**

This announcement will be published in the Official Register of the University, on the Department's website <https://www.dst.unifi.it> and on the University web page Unifi per la Pace <https://www.unifi.it/p12165>

THE DIRECTOR

Prof. Luca Bindi



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ANNEX 1

## APPLICATION FORM

**Call for the selection of a researcher or professor from Ukraine, refugee in Ukraine or holder of a permanent residence permit in Ukraine**

To the Director of the Department

THE UNDERSIGNED

SURNAME \_\_\_\_\_ NAME \_\_\_\_\_

BORN IN \_\_\_\_\_ (PROVINCE/COUNTRY \_\_\_\_\_)

ON \_\_\_\_\_

(fill in the same personal details as shown in the enclosed copy identity document)

E-MAIL (compulsory) \_\_\_\_\_

HEREBY APPLIES

**for the call for application concerning 1 (one) Visiting Professor/Invited Lecturer for 6 (six) months, Area of "Seismology, vulcanology, seismic risk, tsunami, computer science, data processing"**

AND DECLARES:

to be displaced from Ukraine due to the invasion of the Russian armed forces on 24 February 2022

- to be a Ukrainian citizen;
- to hold a permanent residence permit or international protection in Ukraine.

AND ENCLOSES THE FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS:

- 1) personal and professional data and details of the applicant;
- 2) scanned copy of passport and, for non-Ukrainian citizens only, their residence permit in Ukraine;
- 3) signed declaration certifying membership of one of the categories provided for in the call as indicated in art. 1 of this Call;
- 4) brief scientific profile of the Visiting Scholar with *Curriculum Vitae et studiorum*;
- 5) description of the research project that the Visiting Scholar intends to implement during the stay at Unifi;

The undersigned also declares that all notifications relative to this call for applications should be sent to the above-mentioned e-mail address and undertakes to promptly notify of any variations.

Date,

Signature \_\_\_\_\_