VISITING PROFESSOR/RESEARCHER announcement for the a.y. 2021/22

Key notes

Eligibility: the Visiting Professors/Researchers are eligible if, in the three years prior to the call deadline, they have not resided or carried out their principal activity in Italy for more than twelve months, even if not consecutive.

Procedure: the Visiting Professor/Researcher is invited by a colleague (Ud’A tenured professor), then the application is submitted to the Department board; if approved, it will be evaluated by a commission. Nominations will follow according to the resulting ranking.

Evaluation criteria: Applications will be assessed according to the following criteria:
- reputation of the invited teacher;
- reputation of the university/research centre of origin;
- relevance and impact of the proposed activities within the course of study

In case of equal merit, preference will be given to professors from universities in the Balkan Area, already identified as strategic for UdA international relations. The countries of the Balkan Area are the following: Croatia, Montenegro, Serbia, Republic of North Macedonia, Albania, Bosnia Herzegovina and Kosovo.

Obligations of the Visiting: minimum stay is one month, not including holiday; the visit is in presence for both Professors and Researchers, over a continuous period; Professors are required to guarantee minimum 12 teaching hours per month (the subject of the teaching/research activity is to be agreed with the hosting professor); at the end of the visit, the Professor/Researcher will produce a report of the activities.

Expenses: All expenses are covered by the monthly remuneration paid to the Visiting Professor/Researcher (flat-rate reimbursement).

The amounts, as defined by the University Regulations on Visiting Professor Mobility Programme (authorized by the Rector’s Decree no. 777 dated 21st March 2018) are as follows:
- € 5,000.00 if holding an equivalent position as full professor (Type A)
- € 4,000.00 if holding an equivalent position as associate professor (Type B)
- € 3,000.00 if holding an equivalent position as researcher (Type C)

(The contribution received may not be cumulated with other funding provided by UdA for the same period).

Taxes: Remuneration paid to the visiting is subject to taxation; the amount will be reduced by approx. 35% - 50% (the taxation rate increases if the gross salary exceeds € 5,000,00)

Payment: one lump sum, at the end of the visit.

Insurance and VISA: Visiting Professors/Researchers shall have own health, accident and liability insurance coverage. Work permit, visa and residency permit are required for Visiting Professors (not
Researchers) from outside the EU; the procedure takes approximately one month to complete. All Visiting Professors/Researchers will need an Italian fiscal code issued by the Italian Revenue Agency.