



CALL FOR PROPOSALS TO APPLY FOR SCHOLARSHIPS FROM PR2-UFRJ

PRINT/CAPES 2020-2021

The Coordinator of the Graduate Program in Ecology at Universidade Federal do Rio de Janeiro (PPGE/UFRJ) and the Coordinator of the Project for International Cooperation CAPES-PrInt at PPGE publicly announce this call for proposals for the last remaining scholarships in this scholar year in the scope of the Institutional Program for Internationalisation CAPES/PrInt/UFRJ, managed by PR2.

1. Goal

1.1 To select potential candidates interested in a visiting scholarship for residence at PPGE/UFRJ, interested in receiving one of the following categories of scholarships available from the Project for International Cooperation CAPES-PrInt/UFRJ, managed by PR2: **Bolsa Pós-doutorado com Experiência no Brasil (Postdoctoral grant with experience abroad) and Visiting Professor in Brasil.**

2. General Terms

2.1. The type, quantity and duration of each type of scholarship available in this call, to address the theme **“Sustainability and Protection of Life”**, at PPGE, are listed below.

Location	Type of scholarship	Months	Quantity
No Brasil	Postdoctoral grant with experience abroad	12	1
No Brasil	Visiting Professor	0.5	14
No Brasil	Visiting Professor	1	4
No Brasil	Visiting Professor	4	1

2.2. The application for these scholarships must follow the schedule of this call and the activities should begin between **January and March 2021. Warning: all documents must state that the scholarship starts always in the first day of the first month and ends at the last day of the final month of duration.**

2.3. Each application must contain the **plan of activities** to be undertaken by the selected professional, considering the duration of the scholarship.

2.4. According to **DIRETRIZES PARA SOLICITAÇÃO DE MISSÕES E BOLSAS** document (please see

http://app.pr2.ufrj.br/public/uploads/repositories/DiretrizesMissoesEBolsas12Fev19__atualizada25Jun20.pdf), which follow Edital 41/2017 CAPES/PrInt, at least 70% of the funds directed to the Projects of International Cooperation CAPES/PrInt should be invested in partnerships with priority countries and, at most, 30% of the funds can be allocated to partnerships with remaining countries listed under the theme SUSTAINABILITY AND PROTECTION OF LIFE.



3. Available Scholarships

3.1. Type, number and duration of scholarships follow item 2.1.

3.2. The total amount of Brazilian Reais for each type is available at CAPES webpage.

3.2.1 Funds received in the scope of this call shall be fully returned in case activities are not undertaken, including airfares to Brazil.

3.2.2. In case of forfeit prior to funds disbursement, the next one on the list of priority projects selected will be invited.

3.3. CAPES-PrInt will not cover costs related to air ticket rebooking or baggage overweight.

3.4. CAPES-PrInt will not buy air tickets for accompanying travellers.

4. Conditions for Application

4.1. Individual applications for each type of scholarship will consist of a letter to PPGE, explaining goals and objectives, and attaching all documents listed at **DIRETRIZES PARA SOLICITAÇÃO DE MISSÕES E BOLSAS** (see http://app.pr2.ufrj.br/public/uploads/repositories/DiretrizesMissoesEBolsas12Fev19_atualizada25Jun20.pdf) for each case. Documents should be sent in PDF format to the e-mail ppgeecologiaufrj@gmail.com

4.2. The application letter must be clear about which the type of grant the candidate is applying to and its duration, following the options displayed in item 2.1.

5. Selection

5.1. Proposals' evaluation and classification will be done based on the documents sent to PPGE (item 4.2). PPGE will put together a committee to analyse merit and academic relevance, considering the following aspects:

- a) Quality, regularity and adequacy of academic and scientific production of the candidates;
- b) Adherence of the proposal to the theme of the Project of International Cooperation CAPES/PrInt of PPGE;
- c) Relevance of the proposal and potential impact for PPGE;
- d) Compatibility of the proposed activities with the scholarship duration;
- e) Qualification of the institution of origin of the candidate.

5.2. The Selection Committee will be composed by the Coordinator of PPGE, the Coordinator of the Project of International Cooperation, one Professor indicated by the Graduate Committee of PPGE and one analyst external to PPGE, who must have a doctorate at least.

5.3. Incomplete, out of scope, sent beyond the deadline, or in any other way not in harmony with this Call for Proposals will be automatically cancelled.



5.4. Final classification will be displayed in a sequence of highest to lowest grades. In case of a candidature withdraw, the Selection Committee will use items c, b, a – in this order – to decide on who to select.

5.5. The Coordination of PPGE will send to PR2 the final classification of candidates in each of the types of scholarships. PR2 will undertake an additional selection, according to the criteria displayed at **DIRETRIZES PARA SOLICITAÇÃO DE MISSÕES E BOLSAS** (see http://app.pr2.ufrj.br/public/uploads/repositories/DiretrizesMissoesEBolsas12Fev19__atualiza da25Jun20.pdf).

6. Accountability

6.1. The beneficiary of the scholarship must hand out the following original documents, 30 (thirty) days after the end of the scholarship duration:

- a) Report on the activities undertaken during the scholarship period;
- b) Boarding passes (inflight and return).

7. Schedule

Deadlines	Activities
30/9/2020	Publication of the call for proposals at PPGE's website and submission for publication at PR 2's website.
08/10/2020	Deadline for applications
09/10/2020	Preliminary results of proposal evaluation and classification
13/10/2020	Deadline for eventual contestations (up until 12:00)
14/10/2020	Final Results (up until 18:00)

8. The Theme of Print

The project approved at CAPES for PRINT UFRJ is entitled "**Sustainability**". PPGE is under the sub-project "**Sustainability and Protection of Life**". The specific project approved for PPGE is "**Synergies and trade-offs between Sustainable Development Goals with an environmental background and those with a socioeconomic background**".

9. Omitted Cases

Omitted cases in this regulation will be decided by the Selection Committee and / or by the Graduate Committee at PPGE.

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