



**PRPGP – SAI CALL N. 01 OF MARCH 27, 2023
EMERGENCY GRADUATE DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM
ACADEMIC SOLIDARITY**

The UFSM Provost Office for Postgraduate Studies and Research (PRPGP) and the International Affairs Office (SAI) make public the present Call for Applications for the selection of refugee professors and researchers who are interested in working in the National Graduate System as Visiting Professors in Brazil, in accordance with the Emergency Graduate Development Program - Academic Solidarity, Call N° 30/2022 - CAPES.

1. PURPOSE

1.1. To fill positions for **Visiting Professor in Brazil**, according to the Emergency Graduate Development Program - Academic Solidarity, [Call N. 30/2022 – CAPES](#).

1.2. THEMATIC AREAS AND NUMBER OF AVAILABLE POSITIONS

1.2.1. Environmental Sciences

Positions available	Graduate Program	Field of knowledge	Project line of research
01	Graduate Program in Environmental Science and Technology	Environmental Sciences	Developing synergies for improving water resources in water catchment areas
Project summary: To understand the dynamics of water contamination in micro-watersheds through an interdisciplinary approach to water and soil quality and identify solutions to remedy or mitigate environmental problems and develop protocols for management bodies.			

1.2.2. Organic Chemistry

Positions available	Graduate Program	Field of knowledge	Project line of research
01	Graduate Program in Chemistry	Organic Chemistry	Sustainable multifunctional molecules
Project summary: Synthesize carbo- and heterocycles via cascade reactions and study the multifunctional potential of these structures with a focus on synthesis, pharmacological potential and photoactive properties; study the application of organic chalcogen compounds as substrates; synthesize, purify and identify new chalcogen-containing heterocyclic compounds; determine the biological activities (toxicological and pharmacological) of the prepared compounds; investigate the photoactive properties of the prepared compounds.			

1.3. The position has a maximum duration of 24 months.

1.4. The stipend (salary and allowances) is paid directly to the recipient's bank account by the funding agency, according to the amounts specified in Call N° 30/2022 - CAPES - Emergency Graduate Development Program - Academic Solidarity (Edital N. 30/2022 - CAPES).

2. **TIMELINE***

Phase	Date
Publishing of the Call for Application	March 27, 2023
Period of application	March 27 to May 18, 2023 (BRT)
Evaluation period	May 22 to June 02, 2023
Preliminary result	By June 05, 2023
Deadline to request reconsideration	By June 07, 2023
Final result	On or after June 13, 2023
Position Starting Date	By September 10, 2023

**Changes may occur depending on CAPES calendar and provisions.*

3. **REQUIREMENTS**

- 3.1. Be a foreign professor or researcher and a refugee; be or have been linked to a teaching or research institution abroad; present proven academic-scientific productivity;
- 3.2. Hold a doctoral degree;
- 3.3. Present documentation proving refugee status;
- 3.4. Act in the development of teaching or research activities at the HEI that is conducting the project;
- 3.5. Establish residence in Brazil during the period of receipt of the stipend;
- 3.6. Have or open a bank account in Brazil in order to receive the stipend;
- 3.7. Fulfill the provisions of the Commitment Agreement, Annex IV, of [Call No. 30/2022 – CAPES](#);
- 3.8. Prepare the “Fellowship Activity Report” (according to the model provided by CAPES), to be submitted within 30 days after termination of the fellowship to the Fellowship Control System (SCBA-*Sistema de Controle de Bolsas e Auxílios*).

4. **APPLICATION**

- 4.1. Candidates to the Visiting Professor fellowship in Brazil may apply by sending an e-mail to the address listed in item 4.2, **attaching the following mandatory documents (all in .pdf format)**:
 - a) Declaration of the candidate, duly dated and signed, expressing interest in participating in the project, informing his or her intended thematic area (Environmental Sciences or Organic Chemistry, according to item 1.2) and the intended beginning and end date (month) of the activities to be developed in Brazil (beginning in July, August or September, 2023);
 - b) documentation demonstrating refugee status (information in item 4.3);
 - c) Curriculum vitae;
 - d) Copy of Doctoral Diploma;
- 4.2. E-mail address for application:
Forward the application to the e-mail nint.prpgp@ufsm.br with the subject: ‘Application solidarity call’. In the body of the e-mail, explicitly inform the thematic area of interest, according to item 1.2 (Environmental Sciences or Organic Chemistry).
- 4.3. By applying, the applicant acknowledges and accepts the conditions of this Call for Applications and of Call N. 30/2022 - CAPES as well as the requirements of the modality and the requirements for exercising activities at UFSM according to UFSM Resolution 024 of 2008 (regulates participation of faculty members from other HEIs and newly-doctorated and newly-mastered fellowship recipients in teaching, research and extension activities at UFSM) and Resolution 028 of 2017 (Regulates special academic and administrative activities of students, teachers, researchers, managers and national technicians (AEN), and/or foreigners (AEE) linked to external institutions, within UFSM), of which they may not claim ignorance.
- 4.4. Which document will be accepted as proof of refugee status?

- A) Temporary visa for humanitarian reception (*Visto temporário para acolhida humanitária* - Brazilian Law No. 13.445/2017 and Decree No. 9,199/2017);
- b) Temporary visa or temporary residence permit in Brazil accompanied by Protocol of Refuge or Provisional National Migration Identification Card (*Protocolo de Refúgio* or *Documento Provisório de Registro Nacional Migratório*), according to Decree No. 9.199/2017 and Decree No. 9.277/2018;
- c) Certificate of Confirmation of Refugee Condition (*Certidão de Confirmação da Condição de Refugiado*) - <https://help.unhcr.org/brazil/asylum-claim/certidao-de-confirmacao-da-condicao-derefugiado/>.

5. Evaluation criteria

5.1. Phases of evaluation

Phase 1: Document analysis and classification - This stage, which is eliminatory, will examine the documentation sent by each candidate. Failure to present any of the documents listed in item 4 of this Call and/or to meet the requirements listed in item 3 of this Call and in Call No. 30/2022 - CAPES (Emergency Graduate Development Program - Academic Solidarity) will result in the candidate not being classified and, consequently, in his/her elimination from the selection process.

Phase 2: Analysis of merit - This stage, of a classifying nature, will examine the candidate's CV, with emphasis on his/her previous experience in the thematic areas of this Call, especially the relevance of his or her scientific and technological production and training of human resources. This will result in a list of pre-selected candidates, in order of classification.

5.2. The selection committee will be composed of three members from each subject area, to be appointed by the respective Graduate Programs.

6. GENERAL INFORMATION:

- a) the selected candidates must provide complementary documentation that will be requested by PRPGP and/or CAPES and sign the Commitment Agreement.
- b) in case of a tie, the candidate with the highest number of graduate student advisees will have preference. If the tie persists, preference will be given to the candidate who obtains the highest sum for the JCR impact factor of his or her articles.
- c) in case of non-implementation of the fellowship by the selected candidate, the substitute candidate will be summoned;
- d) the Visiting Professor should prepare the "Fellowship Activity Report" (according to the model provided by CAPES), to be submitted within 30 days after termination of the fellowship to the Fellowship Control System (SCBA- *Sistema de Controle de Bolsas e Auxílios*). Specific reports and documents may be requested directly to the Visiting Professor by CAPES and are his or her sole responsibility.
- e) any other case not mentioned here will be dealt with by the PRPGP Advisory Committee.

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