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GENERAL INFORMATION AND GUIDELINES
FOR THE UPCOMING CALL FOR APPLICATIONS 30/2022 - CAPES
“EMERGENCY GRADUATE DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM - ACADEMIC SOLIDARITY”

1. GENERAL OBJECTIVE OF THIS PROGRAM

To support projects that aim to host refugee professors and researchers as Visiting Professors in the National Graduate Studies System in Brazil, with a focus on training high-level human resources and on academic-scientific research in various areas of knowledge.

2. TARGET AUDIENCE / WHO CAN APPLY

Foreign faculty or researchers who are refugees and who are or have been linked to a teaching or research institution abroad and present proven academic-scientific productivity.

2.1 Which document will be accepted as proof of refugee status?

- Temporary visa for humanitarian reception (*Visto temporário para acolhida humanitária* - Brazilian Law No. 13.445/2017 and Decree No. 9,199/2017);
- 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;
- 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/>.

2.2 Does the refugee's doctoral degree need to be recognized in Brazil, with a translation and apostille?

There is no such requirement for the present opportunity at UFSM.

3. THE FELLOWSHIP

- The fellowships will be paid directly to the beneficiary by CAPES.
- Each Visiting Professor fellowship in Brazil will last a **maximum** of 24 months.
- The monthly stipend for the Visiting Professor fellowship in Brazil is R\$ 14,000.00, as established in [Call for Applications n. 30/2022 - CAPES](#).

3.1 The candidate must:

- I – be a foreign professor or researcher and a refugee who is or has been linked to an institution of teaching or research abroad and present proven academic-scientific productivity;
- II – hold a doctoral degree;
- III – Present documentation cited in item 2.1.
- IV – Have a bank account in Brazil to receive the fellowship;

- V – Act in the development of teaching or research activities at the HEI that is conducting the project;
- VI – Establish residence in Brazil during the period of the fellowship;
- VII – Comply with the provisions of the Commitment Agreement, Annex IV, of this call;
- VIII – 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*).

3.2 Will air tickets be provided if the refugee is not in Brazil?

Yes, a one-way or round-trip ticket will be issued from the country of origin to Brazil (and back), depending on the case.

4. What are the applicable areas knowledge at UFSM?

	Graduate Program	Field of knowledge	Project line of research
1 position	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 position	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.			

5. SELECTION PROCESS

The selection process will be carried out via public call for applications, to be published soon on this communication channel.

4.1 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 May 26, 2023
Preliminary result	By May 30, 2023
Deadline to request reconsideration	By June 02, 2023
Final result	On or after June 05, 2023
Position Starting Date	By September 10, 2023

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