



# UNIVERSITY OF TURIN

Department of Psychology  
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## **CALL FOR VISITING SCIENTISTS 2020 – DEPARTMENT OF PSYCHOLOGY**

The Department of Psychology of University of Turin, within its internationalization policy aimed at enhancing training opportunities, provides funding for scholarships to Visiting Scientists with a proven record of high scientific qualification. Visiting Scientists may come from Foreign Universities, Research Centers and other Institutions. Visiting Scientists carry out their activities at the Department of Psychology in collaboration with one or more sponsors at the Department.

### *Activities of the Visiting Scientists for the entire duration of the stay*

Visiting Scientists carry out activities of individual study, research, collaboration and scientific exchange in compliance with proposed research specified in their application. Further, Visiting Scientists may carry out sporadic supplementary teaching activities. At the end of their visit, the Visiting Scientists present their activities in a conference or in a workshop at the Department of Psychology. The Visiting Scientists indicate explicitly their temporary affiliation to the Department of Psychology in the scientific publications concerning the investigations carried on during their time at the Department.

### *Sponsors*

Full Professors, Associate Professors and Researchers of the Department of Psychology can serve as **sponsors** of the Visiting Scientists. Temporary Researchers (RTD) can act as sponsors only if appointed at the Department of Psychology of Torino for the full period of permanence of the Visiting Scientist. Sponsors will act as a “point of reference” for Visiting Scientists. Each sponsor may support only one (1) Visiting Scientist at a time.

### *Length of stay*

The period of stay of a Visiting Scientist is **at least 30 days**. The period may begin after the selection of this application call and **must end by July 31, 2021**.



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## *Financial support*

The gross amount of the scholarship for each Visiting Scientist **cannot exceed €3,333**. From this amount, the Visiting Scientist will draw to secure their own insurance and workplace safety programs.

## *Application procedures and deadlines*

**Sponsors** must submit the application **by July, 13, 2020 at 1.00 pm**.

A Committee consisting of the area representatives of the Department of Psychology will evaluate the applications for the scientific adequacy of the candidates and the feasibility of their projects. The Committee will publish the final ranking from **July, 27, 2020**. The Committee reserves the right to decrease the number of scholarships granted relative to the total funding available (€10.000) if the applications do not meet excellence requirements. The Committee will draw up a ranking of the candidates to the position of Visiting Scientist. The Department's Council will approve the ranking, the candidates' projects and the finance granted in the first possible session. The Head of the Department of Psychology will notify selected Visiting Scientists with an official letter of appointment.

## *How to apply*

Sponsors will apply through [the online application form](#). The fields to be filled in concern (a) the candidate Visiting Scientist's foreign organization (a signed letter from his/her institute to confirm that s/he is affiliated to extra-Italian Research Institutions should be included), (b) the candidate's position, (c) the amount of funding requested, (d) the proposed duration of the Visiting Scientist's stay at the Department. The candidate Visiting Scientist must supply the following documents to his/her Sponsor:

- (a) a current curriculum vitae,
- (b) a list of publications of the last 5 years, comprehensive of their evaluations according to the criteria adopted by the Department of Psychology for the evaluation of scientific publications,
- (c) a description of research activities that the candidate plans to realize in collaboration with their Sponsor and possibly other members of the Department of Psychology.

The Sponsor must attach these documents to the application form.



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## *Rights and obligations*

Within 30 days after the end of the Visiting Scientist's mobility, the sponsor must submit a final report on the activities carried out by the Visiting Scientist. Failing to submit the final report will result in the repayment of the entire amount of the funding provided by the Department. This call for applications, the online application form, and the results of the selection will be available on the Department of Psychology web page.

## *Security procedure*

In the case of proven emergency, the mobility project will be postponed, interrupted and/or cancelled. In case of interruption the funding will be partially provided, as a function of the actual days of mobility. In case of cancellation no funding will be provided.

Turin, 11/06/2020

The Head of Department of Psychology  
Professor Alessandro Zennaro