Fulbright Lectureship at the University of Bologna

Award Autogenerated Code
10756-IT

Region
Europe and Eurasia

Country
Italy

Award Type
Fulbright Scholar Award

Number of Recipients
1

Stipend
Monthly stipend of €4,500 for a total of €18,000 for four months or €13,500 for three months (approximately $5,940 and $21,985 or $16,490; the amounts may change depending on exchange rate fluctuations). The award, which is a maintenance allowance for the entire period, is disbursed in Euro currency.

Estimated Travel and Relocation Allowance
International Travel allowance of €1,100 (approximately $1,350; the amount may change depending on exchange rate fluctuations). The allowance is disbursed in Euro currency.

Candidate Profile
Academics, all levels including early career

Activity Type
Teaching/Research

Application Deadline
Wednesday, September 15, 2021

Award Activity
The Fulbright scholar is expected to teach 2 courses in one or more of the following areas: Health and Biotechnology; Sustainability & Circular Economy; Big Data; Climate Change. The scholar will also be able to conduct his/her own research and engage in collaborative research as well.

Courses are:

1. A 30-40 hour course at graduate level proposed by the scholar, to be offered to students enrolled in a master's program at the host department.
2. A 10-hour seminar for the PhD programs. Seminars can be organized weekly. Seminar attendance will be open to all interested PhD students and graduate students enrolled in programs delivered by the hosting department and by other associated departments.

Total teaching load is 40-50 hours and constitutes approximately 60% of the grant activity.

Average class size: Master's level course: approx 25 students; PhD seminar: approx 15 students

Course and syllabus requirements: The scholar will propose the subjects of both courses within the selected topic. The courses’ syllabi will be agreed with the faculty of the hosting department after selection. These syllabi will be consistent with, and complementary to, the departmental teaching offering. The scholar will be asked to design his/her syllabi with an interdisciplinary approach.

Other Grant Activity:
Student advising and tutorials: the scholar is expected to advise PhD students who are carrying out research projects on subjects related to the scholar’s research specialization/interest.
Award Length
Three or four months

Award Dates
Fall or Spring Term, dates to be defined.

Locations
University of Bologna, https://www.unibo.it/en/homepage

Flex Option
No

Areas of Interest
The University of Bologna will welcome applications of scholars from all fields of study whose teaching and research interests will be focused on one of the following topics: Health and Biotechnology; Sustainability & Circular Economy; Big Data; Climate Change.

Special Features
The Fulbright Scholar will also have access to:

University Library Organization - The University of Bologna has a wide network of facilities, library and documentary services providing support for studies, teaching, research, professional and cultural activities. The Bologna University Library, with important collections of antique and modern books, is the University’s central library, offering general library services, conservation and historical and scientific research facilities.

The University Library Organization is the coordinated network of libraries and other facilities offering bibliographical and documentary services. The Organization meets the information needs of research, teaching and other institutional university activities. It includes 27 libraries with 73 service points. The Organization provides more than 5,000 locations for study and research. In addition to conventional library services, it also provides access to over 579 databases, 46,151 online journals, and 161,000 ebooks.

University Museum Network - A coordinated network of 13 museums (including the Palazzo Poggi Museum) that protects and promotes the University’s historical and artistic assets.

ISTITUTO DI STUDI SUPERIORI (INSTITUTE OF SUPERIOR STUDIES - ISS) - ISS is an interdisciplinary and international center of excellence where academics of all levels of study and research meet: professors, assistant professors and students. It is involved in European activities and projects aimed at fostering student and researcher mobility, the transfer of knowledge, and research activities; it promotes and supports invitations to adjunct lecturers, selects intersecting research themes, and attends to qualifying aspects in the education of excellent students, who are selected through public exams and constantly monitored on the basis of academic results. It is also a member of International Higher Education Institution networks, and...
participates in international initiatives in cooperation with partners throughout the world. It consists of two sections: the Collegio Superiore and the Institute of Advanced Studies.

**COLLEGIO SUPERIORE** - The Collegio Superiore provides supplementary, highly qualifying training courses with a strong interdisciplinary focus for students admitted on a merit basis. This excellent training is enriched by meetings and seminars held by Italian and international academics, as well as by exchanges with other European schools of excellence. Currently it hosts 105 students who in the academic year 2015/16 shall experience 216 hours of curricular lessons, 152 hours of seminars and 44 hours of international conferences.

The Fulbright Lecturer will be invited to attend Collegio Superiore initiative, as well as to give a seminar in this center of excellence.

**INSTITUTE OF ADVANCED STUDIES** - The Institute selects PhD students, PhD graduates, and high-profile academics from all over the world who are invited to Bologna by the University professors. It promotes the exchange of ideas and knowledge at an international level, constitutes a meeting point for Italian and international academics.

The Fulbright Lecturer will benefit from this high-profile international environment and related cross-fertilization initiatives with the possibility to cooperate with international academics coming from all over the world.

**Degree Requirements**
Ph.D. (or other terminal degree) required

**Additional Qualification Information**
The Department welcomes scholars at any academic rank with teaching experience.

Research record should include articles in peer-reviewed academic journals. Preference will be given to candidates who are currently engaging in collaborative research across different disciplinary sub-fields.

**Additional Language Requirement**
English, no other language requirements requested. Conversational Italian is helpful to better integrate in the local community, but it is not mandatory.

**Invitation Requirement**
A letter of invitation should not be sought.

**Additional Comments**

**Academic calendar**: the academic year starts in September and ends in July. Teaching activities are organized in two terms: September to December (1st term) and February to May (2nd term).

**Helpful Links**

Campuses, Schools, Departments and Institutes: [https://www.unibo.it/en/university/campuses-and-structures](https://www.unibo.it/en/university/campuses-and-structures)

Teaching offering: [https://www.unibo.it/en/teaching/degree-programmes](https://www.unibo.it/en/teaching/degree-programmes)


PHD programs: [https://www.unibo.it/en/teaching/phd/2020-2021](https://www.unibo.it/en/teaching/phd/2020-2021)

Contact person at the U.S.-Italy Fulbright Commission: Barbara Pizzella, Senior Program Officer, bpizzella@fulbright.it

**Multi-Country/Area Award**
No

**Award Length Filter**
Three to five months

**Award Code**
12234-IT

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**Award Year**
2022-2023 Awards

**Special Award Benefits**
The Fulbright Scholar will have access to:

- office space with a personal computer, campus network and IT assistance; E-mail service with local account;
- library facilities and online library services;
opportunities for UNIBO and affiliated personnel to participate to cultural and social events organized in connection with the University of Bologna.

The University of Bologna cannot provide free housing but will provide assistance in finding accommodation on the private market through its housing service SAIS, https://www.saisaccommodation.it/en-us/finding-accommodation-in-bologna.... [8]

In addition to that:

The Fulbright Scholar can benefit from special discounts to cinemas, museums and theaters reserved for UNIBO staff and students.

Access to: University Sports Centre - CUSB; University Museum Network - SMA; Collegium Musicum University of Bologna Choir and Orchestra; Wi-Fi wireless connection; UniboCultura - UniboCultural initiatives

Tax Code desk for students and international teaching staff: A help desk from which University students and international teaching staff may obtain an Italian Tax code.

Transport and mobility: Mi Muovo - single train-bus travel pass valid throughout Emilia Romagna

The Fulbright Scholar will be eligible for the Fulbright Inter-country Travel Grant Program, http://www.fulbright.it/fulbright-intercountry/ [9], and to receive a travel grant to lecture, hold workshops and conduct other relevant outreach activity at other Italian and European academic institutions.

Language Proficiency Requirements
None, English is sufficient.

Career Profile
Early Career Academics
Mid-Career Academics
Senior Academics

Scholars selected for this award will be required to:

- Advise and/or mentor students
- Conduct a research project of the applicant’s choosing
- Teach graduate and/or undergraduate courses of the applicant’s choosing

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