

Call n. 43/2022 – PrInt USP/CAPES
Recruitment of Young Talents with International Experience (JTEE - 2022)

The Provost of Graduate Studies, in the exercise of the competences provided for the Call Capes-PrInt 41/2017, makes public the Call for selection of candidates for the Recruitment of Young Talents with International Experience.

1. PURPOSE AND OBJECTIVES

The program's objective is to enlist young researchers, Brazilian or foreign, with relevant academic and scientific experience abroad, to develop research and teaching activities in graduate programs at USP in accordance with PrInt USP/CAPES Program.

In this call, in order to welcome researchers exposed to risks and who have lost their working conditions, we offer 19 exclusive opportunities for young researchers (less than 40 years old) - hereinafter referred to as Young Talent - who work and reside in (or are refugees/exiles of) countries affected by armed conflict in 2022. For the purposes of this Notice, will be adopted the definition of armed conflicts admitted in the Geneva Conventions and their Protocols, internalized in Brazil by Federal Decrees 41.141/1957 e 849/1993.

2. GENERAL CONDITIONS

2.1. The selection will be governed by this call and carried out by the PrInt USP Management Committee.

2.2. Applications must be submitted according to the schedule of this notice.

2.3. Applications will be presented by the Graduate Program Coordination proponent participating in the PrInt USP/Capes Program.

2.4. Each proposal must contain a plan of activities to be developed by the Young Talent, considering the expected duration of the visit of 12 months.

3. REQUIREMENTS FOR THE APPLICATION

3.1. The proposing Graduate Program must be a participant in the PrInt USP/CAPES Program with evaluations 5, 6, or 7 in the last four-year CAPES evaluation.

3.2. The proposing Graduate Program must provide a guarantee of working conditions and appropriate compliance and execution infrastructure for carrying out the planned activities.

3.3. The Graduate Programs may submit a joint proposal with other ones that are part of the same Thematic area of the PrInt USP/Capes Program, aiming at maximizing efforts and making better use of their resources. In this case, the proposal will have only one project coordinator explaining the participating Graduate Programs with the respective consents.

3.4. The Young Talent must have the following requirements:

a) Age under 40 on the Call publication date.

b) Hold a doctoral degree. Reside and work in research or teaching activities outside Brazil for the least 6 months, in a country that has been affected by or participated in an armed conflict in 2022, or be an exile/refugee, from a country that has been affected by or participated in armed conflict in 2022.

c) demonstrate experience as a researcher, after the doctorate, in a research group outside Brazil and have relevant academic production, mainly in the last 5 (five) years, in areas related to the themes and research projects of the Institutional Internationalization Project CAPES-PrInt USP Program (<https://sites.usp.br/print/thematic-areas/>).

4. BENEFITS AND ADVANTAGES

4.1. Items eligible for funding under the Young Talent with Experience Abroad Program ([Annex XI of Call 41/2017](#)):

- a)** JTEE Scholarship in the amount of **R\$ 8,000.00/month**, to cover expenses related to activities in Brazil, for 12 months;
- b)** Installation allowance in the amount of **R\$ 2,200.00**, paid in a single installment at the beginning of the concession;
- c)** Health insurance allowance in the amount of **R\$ 400.00/month**, for contracting a health insurance country with coverage in the destination country;
- d)** Displacement Allowance, according to the table in [Annex XI](#).

4.2. The amounts listed in items “a” to “d” of the previous item will be deposited by CAPES directly into the scholarship holder's bank account.

4.3. The accumulation of scholarships with other benefits granted by CAPES or by any Brazilian national agencies is not allowed, unless the supervening rule provides otherwise.

4.4. CAPES will not grant tickets to companions or dependents.

4.5. CAPES will not cover any costs other than those described in sub-item 4.1, such as: life insurance, accident insurance, or others.

5. OBLIGATIONS

5.1. It will be up to the Young Talent to:

- a)** Take the necessary measures, when applicable, to obtain an entry visa to Brazil;
- b)** Ensuring and monitoring the planning, organization, and execution of the activities provided for in the Work Plan;
- c)** Compulsorily work in activities related to graduate studies, such as: developing a research project, delivering courses, training, interacting with the faculty and students of the graduate program, lectures, and on-site seminars at USP;
- d)** Not accumulating the receipt of a scholarship or financial benefit from other Brazilian agencies;
- e)** Follow all CAPES legislation, including obligations to receive aid and accountability.

5.2. The applicant's Graduate Program Coordinator will be responsible for:

- a)** Guiding and advising the Young Talent in whatever is necessary for their travel to Brazil, including visa application, arrangements related to housing and available health services;
- b)** Ensuring and monitoring the planning, organization, and execution of the activities provided for in the Work Plan, acting as an interlocutor between USP, CAPES and the Young Talent;

6. APPLICATIONS

6.1. Applications will be made using the digital form and must contain, in PDF format:

- a.** Curriculum vitae of the Young Talent proposer (summarized) with Orcid identifier (registration is free and can be done on the website: <https://orcid.org/>), containing the 5 (five) most important publications (or other type of production) and a link to the Google Scholar profile (for candidates of the Humanities area) or Scopus profile (for candidates of the other area).

- b.** Proof of research activities abroad;
- c.** Proof of residence in the country of origin or proof of exile/refugee status;
- d.** Work plan in English (maximum 15 pages), prepared by mutual agreement between the Young Talent candidate and the Graduate Program Coordination, containing:
 - Title, name of the proponent and area of knowledge;
 - Teaching, research and extension activities program, containing objectives and goals, compatible with the duration of the visit and Graduate Program orientation;
 - Research Project to be developed for the duration of the scholarship (maximum 5 pages);
 - Schedule of execution of activities to be developed by the Young Talent;
 - Relevance of the topic;
- e.** Copy of document proving the title of doctor or statement from your institution attesting to the condition of doctor.
- f.** Declaration by the coordination of the graduate program, taking responsibility for complying with the rules from the Call;
- g.** Declaration in English from the candidate for Young Talent demonstrating agreement with their participation in the exchange period, which must have a single and uninterrupted period of stay of 12 (twelve) months.
- h.** Declaration in English by the Young Talent candidate attesting that he/she is in a country currently in an armed conflict scenario, or that he/she is a refugee/exiled in another country.

6.2. USP will not be responsible for proposals not received as a result of any technical problems, communication failures, congestion of communication lines, as well as other factors that make data transfer impossible.

6.3. USP reserves the right to exclude applications that are not confirmed by the deadline for applications, according to the schedule.

6.4. One (1) proposal per Graduate Program will be accepted. In the case of joint proposals, the proposal must be submitted by one of the participating programs, which will be considered as the main author of the proposal, for registration purposes.

6.5. The information provided in the application form will be the sole responsibility of the proponent, USP and Capes reserving the right to cancel the application that is not filled out completely and correctly.

6.6. Replacement of the scholarship beneficiary is not allowed, that is, the transfer of the scholarship granted to another Young Talent is not allowed.

7. SELECTION

7.1. The documents in item 6 (registrations) will be used in the evaluation of candidates, considering the academic excellence of the candidate and the proposal. The selection will be carried out by the Management Committee of the PrInt-USP Program and ad hoc advisors appointed by it. The classification will be defined in descending order of the approved candidates' grade. The result will be the awarding of scholarships to successful candidates in the order presented in the classification. If there are more candidates than scholarships, those approved who have not been contemplated at first will be part of a waiting list, provided they are qualified/classified. In cases of withdrawal, new candidates will be nominated according to the ranking order.

8. REGISTRATION IN CAPES

8.1. After the internal selection of the proposal at USP, the Dean of Graduate Studies will register the information in the CAPES Systems.

8.2. The information provided is the sole responsibility of the candidate, and USP and CAPES may exclude him/her from the selection if the required documentation is presented with partial, incorrect or inconsistent data at any stage of the selection process, or outside the specified deadlines, as well as if that information is later found to be untrue.

8.3. Additional documents and information may be requested by USP or CAPES at any time for better instruction of the process.

8.4. The candidate's proposal must indicate as the starting month of the scholarship necessarily the months of **January to March 2023**.

9. Document Analysis at CAPES

9.1. The verification of documents consists of the examination, by the CAPES technical team, of the documentation presented for the application, the full and correct completion of the available electronic forms, as well as the fulfillment of the requirements contained in this Call and in CAPES Call 41/2017.

10. REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

10.1. The Graduate Program that has its application rejected may request reconsideration according to the schedule.

10.2. The request for reconsideration must strictly set out the reason for the rejection, not including new facts that have not been the subject of a previous merit analysis and taking into account the documents that already exist in the process.

10.3. The outcome of the reconsideration will be final, with no further appeal.

11. ACCOUNTABILITY

11.1. Accountability is performed by the visitor contemplated in the CAPES SCBA system, according to instructions received by email.

11.2. The Young Talent will have up to 30 working days after the end of the internship period in Brazil to answer the questionnaire in digital media available on the Print website: <https://sites.usp.br/print/calls/calls-2022/> to render accounts of the activities developed.

12. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

12.1. Clarifications and additional information may be obtained through the electronic address (print@usp.br);

12.2. Omissions or exceptional cases will be analyzed by USP and Capes. For USP, the collegiate for this purpose is the Management Committee of the PrInt USP/Capes Program.

13. SCHEDULE

Until August 19, 2022 - Submission by the Graduate Programs of the institutional proposal chosen according to the requirements set out in this call. Forwarding of documents in digital version until 5:00 pm.

From August 22th to 29th – Evaluation of proposals by the PrInt/USP Management Committee

August 30 – Initial disclosure of the result of the technical analysis and merit of the submitted proposals.

From August 31th to September 2st – Deadline for submitting resources regarding the result, to be sent via the form available on the PrInt website.

September 5nd - Analysis of the appeal by the Management Committee.

September 6rd – Final result.

From September 19th to 30th – Registration of data in the SCBA/CAPES system.

January to March 2023 – Start of activities.