CALL FOR APPLICATIONS
FOR VISITING PROFESSORS FROM UKRAINE

THE DIRECTOR

CONSIDERED that the University of Florence aims to consolidate its dimension of University of excellence with a high ranking at national and international level in missions and areas of intervention, as well as to strengthen its inclusion policies;

TAKING INTO ACCOUNT the University's vocation for international cooperation and inclusiveness;

CONSIDERING the serious humanitarian crisis that has arisen as a result of the conflict in Ukraine;

ACKNOWLEDGING the invitation of the Ministry of University and Research to promote concrete actions leading to the reception of Ukrainian guests in Italian Universities;

ACKNOWLEDGING the Rector's appeal to the academic community to express willingness to receive and host Ukrainian students, researchers and professors;

TAKING INTO ACCOUNT the Department's willingness to host Ukrainian professors/researchers;

HAVING REGARD to the resolutions of the Academic Senate of March 23 and May 18, 2022 and the Board of Directors of March 29 and May 27, 2022;

HAVING REGARD to Decree-Law No. 14 of 25 February 2022, laying down urgent provisions on the crisis in Ukraine, converted by amendments to Law No 28 of 5 April 2022;

ACKNOWLEDGING that the resources allocated to the hospitality of the Visiting Professor will come from the Central Administration funds (Didactics Services - Project Piattaforma_DreamApply and Piattaforma_UNIBuddy)

HAVING REGARD to the Regulations regarding Visiting Professors issued by Rectoral Decree No. 1586 of 10/12/2019;

HAVING REGARD to the resolutions of the Academic Senate of December 22, 2021, and of the Board of Directors of December 23, 2021 concerning "Guidelines on resources provided by Departments to Visiting Professors";
CONSIDERED that the amount to be allocated to the Visiting Professor may be a reimbursement of expenses incurred for travel, board and lodging in accordance with the Regulations for missions and reimbursement of expenses up to a maximum of € 6,000;
HAVING REGARD to the current University Educational Regulations;
HAVING REGARD to the current Statute of the University,

DECREES

the issuance of a call to host researchers and professors from Ukraine or refugees in Ukraine or holders of a permanent residence permit in Ukraine (Visiting Professor), invited to carry out training activities in the Department as part of a study program and/or research activities.

THE DIRECTOR
Prof. Duccio Fanelli
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PREFACE
Following the conflict in Ukraine and the situation of serious humanitarian crisis that has arisen, the University has taken steps to strengthen its inclusion policies. In particular, through its structures, the University promotes inclusiveness through specific measures, including the reception of Ukrainian Visiting Professors.

Art. 1 - Object of the Call
A call for applications to host at the Department of n.1 researcher and/or professor from Ukraine or refugee in Ukraine or holder of permanent residence permits in Ukraine, to carry out joint research and/or teaching activities is thereby issued.

Art. 2 - Status of Visiting Scholars
To the above professor/researcher is granted for the entire duration of their stay, the status of Visiting Professor according to the requirements of the law and regulations in force.

Art. 3 - Contributions for Visiting Professor
The Department may allocate funds to host scholars from Ukraine, having regard to the resolutions of the Academic Senate of December 22, 2021 and of the Board of Directors of December 23, 2021 concerning "Guidelines on resources provided by Departments to Visiting Professors". In particular, the Department may reimburse expenses incurred for travel, board and lodging in accordance with the regulations in force missions and reimbursement of expenses of the University, up to a maximum of € 6,000, in accordance with the provisions in force on the subject, with particular reference to the nature of the funds.

Art. 4 - Procedures and deadlines for submitting applications
1 - Applications should be proposed by professors/researchers in the Department, stating the following:
   - the name of the scholar to be hosted;
   - home institution;
- length of stay;

Proposers will be responsible for inviting, welcoming the visiting scholar, and fulfilling the obligations following the visit.

2 - Application to participate in the selection, drawn up according to the facsimile in Annex 1, must be addressed to the Director of the Department of Physics and Astronomy at the email address segr-dip@fisica.unifi.it and must be received no later than 1.00 p.m. of 04/08/2022, under penalty of exclusion from the selection.

They must be accompanied by:

i. personal and professional details of the candidate;
ii. scanned copy of passport and, for non-Ukrainian citizens only, their residence permit in Ukraine;
iii. signed declaration certifying membership of one of the categories provided for in the call as indicated in art. 1 of this Call;
iv. brief scientific profile of the Visiting Scholar with Curriculum Vitae et studiorum;
v. description of the research project that the Visiting Scholar intends to implement during the stay at Unifi;
vi. description of any proposed educational activity

Art. 5 - Selection of applications

Applications will be reviewed by a selection Commission appointed by the Department Director.

The Commission will formulate a ranking of applications worthy of funding.

The Evaluation Committee will rank each candidate with a maximum score attributable of 100 points, divided as follows:

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<td>Evaluation of the CV</td>
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Art. 6 - Fulfilments after the visit has taken place
The faculty member responsible for the invitation must, within 60 days of the end of the visit, send the Department a report of the activities carried out by the visiting scholar.

Art. 7 - Person in charge of the procedure
Pursuant to the provisions of art. 5 of Law no. 241 of August 7, 1990, the person in charge of the procedure referred to in this call is Dott.ssa Pasquini Emanuela, emanuela.pasquini@unifi.it, Via Sansone n. 1, 50019-Sesto Fiorentino, Italia.

Art. 8 - Treatment of personal data
Personal data will be processed in compliance with the provisions of the General Regulation on the Protection of Personal Data (EU Regulation 2016/679 of the European Parliament and of the Council of April 27, 2016 (GDPR), on the protection of individuals with regard to the processing of Personal Data and on the free movement of such data, published in the OJEU of May 04, 2016 and the Legislative Decree of June 30, 2003, No. 196 Code on the Protection of Personal Data, as amended.
More information on the data processing carried out by the University of Florence is available at the address https://www.unifi.it/vp-11360-protezione-dati.html

Art. 9 - Publicity
This announcement will be published in the Official Register of the University and on the Department's website https://www.fisica.unifi.it/ and on the University web page Unifi per la Pace https://www.unifi.it/p12165

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Annex 1
To Director of the Department of Physics and Astronomy  
Via Sansone n. 1, 50019-Sesto Fiorentino, Italia  
e-mail segr-dip@fisica.unifi.it

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Date _______________ Signature _______________