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CAPES Global Network for Sustainable Development, Science and Health
CAPES-Global.Edu

Public Call No. 06/2026
Selection of Visiting Professor in Brazil

The CAPES Global Network for Sustainable Development, Science and Health hereby announce this Call for Applications for Visiting Professors in Brazil for short-term activities within Graduate Programs under the CAPES-Global.Edu Program, CAPES Notice No. 13/2025. The Management Committee will be responsible for coordinating the selection process and announcing the results, in accordance with the rules of the CAPES-Global.Edu Program.

1. PURPOSE AND TARGET AUDIENCE

- 1.1 Visiting Professor program in Brazil aims to select renowned professors, residing and affiliated with institutions abroad, with recognized academic experience, to participate in in-person courses, training sessions, lectures, and seminars. The goal is to foster the attraction of international leaders in the areas of global health and sustainable development, with proven scientific and technological output, thus contributing to strengthening the academic excellence of the Graduate Programs of the institutions that are part of the CAPES Global Network for Sustainable Development, Science and Health.
- 1.2 The call for proposals also aims to contribute to the internationalization process of stricto sensu postgraduate studies and science, technology, and innovation, in line with the Network's Strategic Themes, as per **Annex I**.
- 1.3 The following Higher Education and Research Institutions (HEIs) are part of the **CAPES Global Network for Sustainable Development, Science and Health**: Oswaldo Cruz Foundation (**Fiocruz**), Federal University of Mato Grosso do Sul (**UFMS**), Federal University of Western Pará (**UFOPA**), Federal University of Piauí (**UFPI**), Federal University for Latin American Integration (**UNILA**) and Federal University of Rondônia (**UNIR**).
- 1.4 Permanent faculty members accredited in Graduate Programs linked to the Strategic Themes of the CAPES Global Network for Sustainable Development, Science and Health, with a formal employment relationship with the participating HEI/IP, as listed in Annex I, may submit proposals for this call.
- 1.5 The proposing professor will be responsible for the application of the Visiting Professor/Researcher in Brazil (PVB), ensuring compliance with the requirements stipulated in the call for proposals.
- 1.6 Each **candidate/applicant**, affiliated with one of the six participating institutions of the CAPES



Global Network for Sustainable Development, Science and Health, **may register in only one (1) of the six available calls for proposals.** It is mandatory that the candidate/applicant **choose only one modality to compete in**, in order to guarantee the equitable distribution of opportunities.

Attention: If the candidate/applicant registers for more than one call for proposals, all of their registrations will be automatically canceled and considered null, without exception.

2. ABOUT SCHOLARSHIPS AND BENEFITS

- 2.1 Up to **25 (twenty-five)** Visiting Professor in Brazil grants will be offered. The grants may have a duration of **15 (fifteen) days, 1 (one) or 2 (two) months**, according to the option to be indicated at the time of registration, as per the table below. The scholarships are distributed among the five Strategic Themes (TE), as shown in the table below:

Visiting Researcher grants in Brazil - 2027					
Scholarship Duration	TE 1	TE 2	TE 3	TE 4	TE 5
15 days	3	-	3	4	5
1 month	3	-	3	-	1
2 months	-	3	-	-	-
Total	6	3	6	4	6

- 2.2 The 2-month scholarships available in the TE2 program may be divided into up to three periods of stay in the country over the course of a year. **If the stay is divided, the scholarship recipient will only be entitled to one travel and settling-in allowance.** Monthly stipends will only be maintained during the periods of actual stay in Brazil. These candidates may indicate up to 3 periods in their work plan and application.
- 2.3 The objectives of each Strategic Theme and the Postgraduate Programs linked to these Themes are presented in **Annex I** of this call for applications.
- 2.4 At the time of registration, the candidate must **choose one (01)** of the five Strategic Themes, considering the respective work plan, the objectives of the TE and the Postgraduate Programs (PPGs) linked to it, as set out in Annex I, as well as the duration of the scholarship.
- 2.5 The following items are eligible for funding under the **Visiting Professor selection process in Brazil**, according to the values stipulated in [CAPES Ordinance No. 1, of January 3, 2020](#):
- Monthly stipend**, intended to contribute to the living expenses of the scholarship recipient in the destination country, according to the values stipulated in the aforementioned Ordinance, Annex I, Table 2, proportional to the duration of the scholarship. **For scholarships of 15 days, the amount corresponding to half the monthly stipend will be paid.**
 - Health Insurance Assistance**, for contracting health insurance with coverage in the destination country, according to the values stipulated in the aforementioned Ordinance, Annex IV, Table 2. Receiving health insurance assistance by foreign scholarship recipients implies the mandatory contracting of health insurance valid for the entire period of stay in Brazil. Failure to



comply with this requirement may result in the full return of the amount received for this purpose, according to current CAPES regulations.

- c) **Installation allowance**, to contribute to the initial accommodation expenses of the scholarship recipient in the destination country, paid in a single installment at the beginning of the grant, according to the amounts stipulated in Annex III of the aforementioned Ordinance;
- d) **Travel Assistance**, intended to contribute to the expenses of purchasing round-trip airline tickets in economy class and promotional fare, to be paid in the currency used in Brazil, according to the values stipulated in Annex II, Table 2, of the aforementioned Ordinance.

- 2.6 The amounts listed in subparagraphs "a" through "d" of item 2.5 will be deposited by CAPES directly into the Visiting Professor's bank account.
- 2.7 CAPES will not cover any costs other than those described in item 2.5.
- 2.8 The higher education institutions participating in the CAPES Global Network for Sustainable Development, Science and Health, and CAPES, are not responsible for expenses related to the payment of administrative and academic fees (tuition fees) and research (benchmark fees), as well as not granting assistance to companions or dependents in the CAPES-Global.Edu Program.
- 2.9 The benefits are granted exclusively to the scholarship recipient and are independent of their family and salary status. Accumulation of benefits for the same purpose and level is not permitted. The candidate must declare the receipt of other scholarships granted by bodies or entities of the Federal, State, or Municipal Public Administration and request their suspension or cancellation, so that there is no accumulation of scholarships during the period of activities in Brazil.

3. REQUIREMENTS FOR APPLICATION

- 3.1. The candidate for Visiting Professor in Brazil must meet the following requirements at the time of registration:
 - a) **Being a foreigner or a Brazilian citizen working and residing abroad.** Under no circumstances will applications be accepted from Brazilians or foreigners who are carrying out research or teaching activities in Brazil.
 - b) To have a **doctoral degree or equivalent**;
 - c) To have recognized competence as a **researcher** in their field of expertise;
 - d) Present **relevant academic production**, mainly from the last five years (2022-2026), in alignment with the Network's Strategic Themes, as per **Annex I**.
 - e) Do not combine the scholarship allocated in this Call with other scholarships in Brazil originating from CAPES resources or from other bodies or entities of the federal, state or municipal Public Administration;
 - f) Having an ORCID account, that provides a unique identifier for academics and research. Registration is free and can be done at <https://orcid.org/>.



- 3.2. The applicant for a Visiting Professor in Brazil position must be a faculty member with a formal employment relationship with the participating HEI/IP and working in one of the Graduate Programs that are part of the CAPES Global Network for Sustainable Development, Science and Health, with knowledge of the Graduate Program.
- 3.3. The applicant may submit a joint proposal with other graduate programs that are part of the CAPES Global Network for Sustainable Development, Science and Health, aiming to maximize efforts and make better use of resources. In this case, the proposal will have only one applicant program, but will explicitly state in the Work Plan the participating Graduate Programs with the respective approvals of their Coordinators, through a letter of acknowledgment.
- 3.4. In all cases, there must be a commitment that registration for in-person courses, training sessions, lectures, or seminars and activities be open to all students enrolled in the Network's Graduate Programs, respecting the academic prerequisites relevant to the course or activity in question.
- 3.5. The CAPES Global Network for Sustainable Development, Science and Health presents a list of partner institutions in different countries that will be considered when distributing scholarships and analyzing applications. Consult the updated list of partner institutions in **Annex I**.
- 3.6. Priority will be given to candidates from countries included in the geopolitical concept of **the Global South**, that is, countries in Latin America, Africa, the Middle East (except Israel), Asia (excluding Japan and South Korea), and Oceania (excluding Australia and New Zealand); and member countries of the **BRICS+ group** (Russia, India, China, South Africa, Saudi Arabia, Egypt, United Arab Emirates, Ethiopia, Indonesia, and Iran).

4. FROM THE REGISTRATION

- 4.1 Submitting the proposal implies knowledge and acceptance, by the proposing professor and the PVB candidate, of the conditions of this call for proposals, of which they cannot claim ignorance.
- 4.2 The proposals submitted to compete for the scholarship must be properly aligned with the CAPES Global Network for Sustainable Development, Science and Health, as per Annex I.
- 4.3 **Only proposals submitted via the [electronic registration form will be accepted](#), with all information completed and the required documents in PDF format (without password), legible and in good viewing condition, submitted within the deadline of July 10th, 2026, until 4 PM (Brasilia time) on August 21th, 2026. Each candidate/proponent must submit only one registration, observing item 1.6, and gathering all the required documentation listed below:**
 - a) International scientific partnership qualification form (**Annex III**);
 - b) **Identification document** of the foreign candidate with photo, which may be a copy of the CPF (if applicable) or passport (if foreign);
 - c) **Proof of residence abroad**, such as water or electricity bills, among other documents that



- prove the candidate's place of residence;
- d) Copy, front and back, of the **doctoral diploma of the Visiting Professor/Researcher** in Brazil (PVB);
 - e) **ORCID identifier** (Open Researcher and A valid taxpayer ID (Contributor ID) at the time of registration, to be entered directly on the registration form;
 - f) **Curriculum Vitae** of the **visiting professor/researcher** in Brazil, in Portuguese, English, French or Spanish, including the most outstanding publications in the last 5 (five) years (2022-2026), with a **maximum of 5 (five) pages**;
 - g) **Curriculum Lattes of the proposing professor and/or researcher**, link to be provided directly in the registration form;
 - h) **Letter of acceptance from the PPG Coordination of the proposing professor**, expressing acceptance of the candidacy and interest in receiving the Visiting Professor, as per **Annex IV**. The same template may be used by other PPGs participating in the proposal, if any;
 - i) A document detailing **the scientific contributions of the proposing professor** over the last 5 years (2022-2026), containing, in addition to the link to their Lattes/CNPq Curriculum, information on human resource development and the 5 most relevant products of their production during this period (scientific articles, patents, books, book chapters, etc.), with a maximum of 2 pages;
 - j) **Letter of acceptance/agreement, signed by the visiting professor**, regarding the proposed activities, as per **Annex V**;
 - k) **Activity Plan PVB (Annex II)**, with a maximum of 5 (five) pages, in Portuguese, prepared by mutual agreement between the candidate and the proposer, in Times New Roman font, size 12, in PDF format, including, mandatorily, the following items:
 - I. **Proposal identification** – Project title; Graduate program of the proposing professor; Strategic theme associated with the network to which the graduate program is linked; Higher education institution of the proposing professor; Graduate programs associated with the proposal, if any; International institution of the visiting professor/researcher in Brazil; number of days/months of the scholarship.
 - II. **Summary of the Work Plan** highlighting the objectives and activities to be achieved during the visit and alignment with the TE(s);
 - III. **Objectives and activities** to be carried out during the period, aligned with the objectives of the TE;
 - IV. **Methodological approach** for the development of activities;
 - V. **Justification of the activities**, presenting the merit, originality, timeliness, and relevance of the proposed activities in relation to the objectives of the SIGLA Network;
 - VI. **impacts** of bringing in a PhD with international experience to strengthen the internationalization of the Network's Postgraduate Programs and to increase strategic international partnerships.
 - VII. Description of the **availability of infrastructure** for the execution of the plan, when applicable;



VIII. **Schedule** of activities, compatible with the duration of the scholarship;

IX. References.

- 4.4 The information provided is the sole responsibility of the proposer and the candidate.
- 4.5 **The start and end dates of activities** indicated in the application documents must correspond to the same period, **in the format day/month/year**, consistent with the duration of the scholarship. If there are discrepancies, the Network or CAPES may request document correction .
- 4.6 The Network will not be held responsible for registrations not received within the deadline due to any technical problems, congestion of communication lines, or other factors that prevent data transfer.
- 4.7 Proposals that are not finalized by the registration deadline will be excluded from the selection process.
- 4.8 **Candidates/applicants who have registered for more than one call for proposals will have all their registrations automatically canceled and considered null, without exceptions.**
- 4.9 Conditional, late, or postal, fax, or email applications will not be accepted.
- 4.10 Additional documents and information may be requested by the Network or CAPES at any time to better guide the process and implement the scholarship.
- 4.11 All communications related to this Call for Applications will be conducted via the email address provided by the applicant during registration, in Portuguese or English.

5. FROM THE SELECTION

- 5.1 The selection process will be governed by this Call for Proposals and executed by the Committees of each Strategic Theme, with the support of the Administrative Committee of the CAPES Global Network for Sustainable Development, Science and Health.
- 5.2 The evaluation committee will be composed of the coordinators and representatives of the HEIs that are part of the Program's thematic committee, in each Strategic Theme, with the support of the Administrative Committee of the CAPES Global Network for Sustainable Development, Science and Health.
- 5.3 **Analysis and judgment :**
- 5.3.1 **Technical Analysis / Approval of Applications:**
- a) Meeting the registration requirements by the scheduled selection date;
 - b) The suitability of the documentation submitted by the candidate to the requirements of this Call for Applications;
- 5.3.2 **Merit analysis:** The analysis of applications will be carried out considering merit criteria, **with a maximum score of up to 100 (one hundred) points** , distributed as follows:



Block 1 – Quality, Relevance, and Impact of the Proposal	Up to 50 points
Excellence and relevance of the work plan; Institutional impact and strengthening of the Network/Graduate Program; Adherence to the Strategic Theme and goals of the Network; Activity plan and feasibility of execution.	
Block 2 – Academic Merit and Relevance of the International Partnership	Up to 35 points
Academic and scientific merit of the candidate; Relevance of the candidate's institution of origin; Partner institution (as per item 3.5).	
Block 3 – Internationalization and Reduction of Asymmetries	Up to 15 points
Reducing regional asymmetries (Affiliation with graduate programs located in the North, Northeast, or Midwest regions); Strengthening emerging graduate programs (Linking to graduate programs with a grade of 3 or 4 in the CAPES evaluation); Proposals linked to countries in the Global South and BRICS (as per item 3.6)	
TOTAL POINTS IN MERIT ANALYSIS	Up to 100 points

- 5.4 In case of a tie, the following will be considered successively:
- highest score in Block 3;
 - highest score in Block 1;
 - highest score in Block 2;
 - Candidate age, with preference given to older candidates.
- 5.5 The results of each stage of the selection process will be published in a list, organized by Strategic Theme and in descending order of scores, on the [Fiocruz Virtual Campus](#), and each institution linked to the CAPES Global Network for Sustainable Development, Science and Health will share these results.
- 5.6 Appeals and/or requests for reconsideration of the result must be submitted by sending **Annex VI**, duly completed and signed by the candidate via gov.br, to the email address [rede.capesglobal@fiocruz.br](mailto:redede.capesglobal@fiocruz.br), within the deadline established in the schedule of this call for applications. The wording of the appeal request must be clear, concise, specific, and objective.
- 5.7 Upon completion of all stages of the selection process and the review of appeals, according to the schedule, the selected candidates will be notified via the email address provided in the electronic form, receiving instructions for the implementation of the scholarship.



6. FROM THE SCHEDULE

Planned Activity	Period/Date
Publication of the Notice	July 6th, 2026
Registration period	From July 10th until 4 PM (Brasilia time) on August 21st, 2026
Announcement of approved candidates	Until September 3rd, 2026
Appeals/reconsiderations of approval	September 4th, 2026
Publication of registrations after appeal/reconsideration	September 8th, 2026
Candidate selection/Merit analysis	From September 8th to 30th, 2026
Disclosure of the Merit Analysis Results	Until October 6th, 2026
Appeals/Reconsideration Requests for Merit Analysis	October 7th, 2026
Announcement of the Final Result	Until October 14th, 2026
Implementation of scholarships	October 30th, 2026
Start of operations in Brazil	March to June 2027

Sole paragraph: This Call for Proposals has been adapted to the CAPES calendar, as published in **Circular Letter No. 5/2026-DRI/CAPES, dated May 6, 2026**. Please note that this calendar may be subject to change in order to adapt to any subsequent changes that CAPES may make.

7. DATA PROTECTION

- 7.1 The procedures for processing personal data requested during this selection process will be carried out in accordance with current and applicable Brazilian legislation on the protection of personal data, in this case, Law No. 13.709 of August 14, 2018 (LGPD), as well as in accordance with other related legislation and the provisions of this call for applications.
- 7.2 For the purposes of this selection process, all documents submitted/shared will be considered documents that may reveal information about the students, and will always be treated as if they contained personal data.
- 7.3 For all intents and purposes, all personal data published on platforms where academic profiles are created (e.g., Lattes Platform, ORCID, etc.) will be considered as made public by the data subject and may be consulted during the selection process, when applicable.
- 7.4 The Network will take reasonable systemic and administrative measures, commensurate with the risks, to ensure the security of personal information against interference, misuse, loss, unauthorized access, destruction, or disclosure.
- 7.5 The candidate's personal data will be deleted from the HEI's systems upon request from the candidate, or when it is no longer necessary for the purposes of this call for applications, unless there is any legal basis for its retention, as stipulated by the LGPD in Section IV of Chapter II.
- 7.6 By registering, the candidate declares to be aware of and in agreement with the processing of their personal data, which will be used exclusively for the execution and management of this



selection process, and may also be shared, when necessary, with funding agencies and other HEIs of the Network directly involved in the selection and operationalization of the funded items, in accordance with the legislation applicable to the protection of personal data.

8. REGARDING THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM WITH CAPES

- 8.1 It is the scholarship recipient's responsibility to request registration in the Individual Taxpayer Registry (CPF) so that they can access the CAPES Scholarship and Aid Control System (SCBA).
- 8.2 Once the candidate has their CPF (Brazilian taxpayer ID), they must register in the SCBA/CAPES system (<http://scba.capes.gov.br/scba>). The Brazilian faculty member proposing the project must monitor the process and inform, via email to [rede.capesglobal@fiocruz.br](mailto:redc.capesglobal@fiocruz.br), when the registration is complete, or if the foreign candidate is already registered in the SCBA.
- 8.3 Only after receiving the completed registration in the CAPES system will the Management Committee/Administrative Committee implement the selected and approved candidates in the CAPES Scholarship and Grant Control System (SCBA), according to the scholarship implementation schedule established by CAPES.
- 8.4 The applicant is responsible for correctly providing their email address at the time of registration, as well as for regularly checking their inbox, including the spam or junk mail folder. CAPES will send official communications, including information regarding the approval or rejection of the application, to the email address provided, using the sender: sistema.comunicador@capex.gov.br.
- 8.5 After registration and implementation of the scholarship at CAPES, the candidate's process becomes their responsibility, and the Management Committee/Administrative Committee cannot send messages or documents to resolve problems or questions.
- 8.6 All communication after registration with CAPES will be carried out by the candidate with CAPES through the Direct Line system (<http://linhadireta.capes.gov.br>).
- 8.7 In the absence of acceptance or rejection of the scholarship, the approved candidate will be considered to have withdrawn and the scholarship will be cancelled after the deadline set by CAPES.
- 8.8 **The grant letter and the Scholarship Award and Acceptance Agreement will be issued by CAPES after receiving acceptance of the scholarship.** The scholarship will only be considered implemented after the signed documents have been sent to CAPES.
- 8.9 During the scholarship period, any changes related to the execution of activities must be requested by the scholarship recipient to CAPES, via the Direct Line system, with due justification. These requests must have the approval of the Graduate Program, the Management Committee/Administrative Committee, and the Strategic Theme Coordinator, and will be analyzed by CAPES to verify the feasibility of the change.
- 8.10 If inconsistencies or irregularities are found in the documents and information submitted, CAPES may cancel the grant, based on the documentary inconsistency.



- 8.11 The granting of a scholarship will be prohibited to any approved candidate who is in default with CAPES or the Public Administration.
- 8.12 Accepting the scholarship through the Capes system implies knowledge and acceptance of the rules and conditions established in this Call for Proposals and applicable legislation, which the candidate cannot claim to be unaware of or disagree with.
- 8.13 Acceptance of the scholarship by the candidate must be completed within the deadlines and in accordance with the rules established by CAPES.
- 8.14 The start of the scholarship recipient's activities should coincide with the period of academic activity at the Brazilian institution.
- 8.15 The scholarship recipient must maintain regular immigration status in Brazil throughout the course.
- 8.16 The student visa must be valid for entry and stay in the country for the duration of the activities related to the Sandwich Doctorate Scholarship in Brazil.
- 8.17 The use of a tourist visa is not permitted for the purpose of receiving a scholarship.
- 8.18 It is the responsibility of the Visiting Foreign Professor to take the necessary steps to obtain an entry visa to Brazil, in the category corresponding to the activities they will be carrying out, with a validity compatible with the period of stay in Brazil, including the possibility of extending the contract, in accordance with current legislation. In this sense, all those coming to Brazil to carry out academic activities, courses, give lectures or conduct research activities must contact the Brazilian Consulate in their country of origin before traveling and, above all, comply with Brazilian legislation for remaining in the national territory. This term is a fundamental requirement for CAPES accountability.
- 8.19 The scholarship must be implemented within the deadlines and standards established by CAPES.
- 8.20 During their stay in Brazil, the Visiting Professor must be involved in academic activities with the host Graduate Program, such as: teaching courses, conducting training sessions, interacting with faculty and students, and participating in in-person lectures and seminars.
- 8.21 Any extension of the stay in Brazil that exceeds the scholarship period must be requested from CAPES and, when authorized, will occur without cost to CAPES.
- 8.22 If the Visiting Professor postpones their arrival date in Brazil, they must notify CAPES immediately.

9. REGARDING THE RETURN OF THE SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENT, DISSEMINATION, AND VISIBILITY

- 9.1 Upon returning, the former scholarship recipient must submit all necessary accountability documents to CAPES through the SCBA system, such as proof of boarding for airline tickets, health insurance policy, and activity report, in order to avoid default with CAPES.
- 9.2 The process will be concluded in the Monitoring Sector and forwarded to the Alumni Sector (CAEE) of CAPES, at which point the scholarship recipient must submit the documentation



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10. GENERAL PROVISIONS

- 10.1 The replacement of the beneficiary or the transfer of the scholarship to another Visiting Professor in Brazil is prohibited.
- 10.2 Submitting the proposal implies knowledge and acceptance by the candidate of the Regulations for scholarships abroad or subsequent normative acts governing the matter and conditions of this Call for Proposals, of which they cannot claim ignorance.
- 10.3 Unforeseen or exceptional cases will be reviewed by the Management Committee or the Strategic Theme Coordinators.
- 10.4 Questions and requests for information should be sent to the email address redcapesglobal@fiocruz.br. The **subject line** should be: Call for Proposals No. 06/2026 - **Visiting Professor in Brazil**.
- 10.5 The CAPES Global Network for Sustainable Development, Science and Health and CAPES reserve the right to request any additional information or documents they deem necessary at any time.
- 10.6 **The CAPES Global Network for Sustainable Development, Science and Health is not responsible for any suspension or budget cuts made by CAPES that impact the CAPES-Global.Edu Program.**
- 10.7 If irregularities are found after the grant has been awarded, CAPES will cancel the scholarship and request reimbursement of the amounts paid, plus interest and inflation adjustments as required by applicable law.
- 10.8 This Call for Proposals will follow the scholarship allocation schedule provided by CAPES and is therefore subject to changes resulting from changes in the opening dates of the CAPES system.

Brazil, July 6th, 2026.

Management Committee

CAPES Global Network for Sustainable Development, Science and Health