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# **EURAXESS BRAZIL Funding opportunities**

EURAXESS Brazil Funding opportunities is a list of open calls to fund researchers' mobility, compiled monthly by the EURAXESS Brazil team.

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Editors: Charlotte GRAWITZ, EURAXESS Brazil, Country Representative, Ingrid Le Van, Programme Officer Dear Colleagues,

As you know, the new <u>EURAXESS Portal</u> is out and brings new functionalities to researchers, entrepreneurs, universities and businesses. Amongst them, you will find a brand new <u>Funding database</u> allowing you to search for the funding programme you need for your mobility or research cooperation project. Funding organisations can publish their funding opportunities and scholarships in it to increase their visibility and reach the best candidates worldwide.

Click  $\underline{\text{here}}$  to read about the novelties and improvements of the revamped portal.

We will continue publishing a compilation of open calls to fund researchers' mobility and cooperation with European teams in the coming months to help you identify these opportunities easily. Nevertheless, the frequency may be reduced. This edition is valid for January and February.

The **grants & fellowships** listed below are funded by the European Commission, EU Member States or Brazilian authorities.

We hope this list will help you turn your interest in research mobility into a reality.

Your EURAXESS Links Brazil Team

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#### Useful links:

H2020 Work Programme for 2016-2017 (budget of almost EUR 16 billion).

Horizon 2020 Participant Portal.

Calls focussed either on Brazil, or third countries, or where international cooperation is explicitly indicated as an added value.

#### International cooperation

ALL H2020 calls are open to international and more specifically Brazilian participation.

For more details on funding of applicants from non-EU countries, click here.

Check the calls targeting Brazil in the International cooperation opportunities in the H2020 work programme 2016-2017

# **Grants & Fellowships**1 European Union

#### 1.1 Horizon 2020

Horizon 2020 is the EU funding programme for research and innovation running from 2014 to 2020 with a €80 billion budget. H2020 supports <u>SMEs</u> with a new instrument that runs throughout various funded research and innovation fields, enhances EU <u>international research</u> and Third Country participation, attaches high importance to integrate <u>social sciences and humanities</u> encourages to develop a <u>gender dimension</u> in project.

**Horizon 2020** offers a large variety of funding opportunities for research and innovation activities through calls for proposals that are set out in the Horizon 2020 work programme. Access all open calls on the <a href="Horizon 2020 Participant Portal">Horizon 2020 Participant Portal</a>.

The European Commission published an overview of **international cooperation opportunities in the H2020 work programme 2016-2017**, including a list of calls targeting Brazil. The list can be found <a href="https://example.com/here.">here.</a>

The Brazilian National Council of State Funding Agencies (CONFAP) listed potential calls of interest for EU-Brazil cooperation in order to encourage the participation of Brazilian researchers under Horizon 2020 calls. Some of them are currently open in diverse areas.

Several FAPs (FAPESP, FAPESC, FAPEG, FAPEMIG, FAPDF, FAPES, Fundação Araucária, FUNDECT) expressed interest in funding researchers from their states to support their participation in H2020 calls and published guidelines with instructions to this end.

### 1.2 EU – Erasmus + <u>Jean Monnet Call for proposals</u> 2017

Jean Monnet Activities are designed to promote excellence in teaching and research in the field of European Union studies in various disciplines.

Jean Monnet Activities take place worldwide, including in Brazil. Brazilian students/researchers: Individuals cannot apply for a grant. Brazilian HEIs: Brazilian HEIs submit their proposal directly to EACEA. Under the Teaching and Research activity, 3 different modalities can be supported:

- Jean Monnet Module: Short teaching programme (or course of a minimum of 40 teaching hours per academic year) with a duration of three years.
- Jean Monnet Chair: A teaching post with a specialisation in European Union studies for university professors or senior lecturers.
- Centres of Excellence: A focal point of competence and knowledge on European Union subjects. Centres of Excellence have a project duration of three years.

Deadline: 23 February 2017

Find many other calls funded by the European Commission, Member states and associated countries and Brazil in the still open section below.





COST intergovernmental framework for European Cooperation in Science and Technology, supporting the coordination of nationally-funded research. It aims at reducing the fragmentation in European research investments and opening the European Research Area (ERA) to cooperation worldwide. anticipates and complements the activities of the EU Framework Programmes.



### 1.3 ERCIM - Alain Bensoussan Fellowships

ERCIM, the European Research Consortium for Informatics and Mathematics, offers fellowships for **PhD holders from all over the world**. Fellowships are of a 12 month duration, spent in <u>one of the leading European Research Institutes</u> which makes up part of the ERCIM network.

Topics cover most disciplines in **Computer Science, Information Technology,** and **Applied Mathematics.** (see list of topics covered <a href="here">here</a>)

Deadline: 30 April 2017

### 1.4 EU – EMBO Long-Term Fellowships

WHAT? The European Molecular Biology Organisation (EMBO) Long-Term Fellowships are awarded for a period of up to two years and support post-doctoral research visits to laboratories throughout Europe and the world. International exchange is a key feature in the application process.

All fellowships must involve movement between countries. The receiving institute or the applicant's nationality must be from one of the <a href="EMBO Member States.">EMBO Member States.</a>. The stipend is a subsistence allowance and is intended to cover the cost of living in the host country.

WHO? Applicants must hold a doctorate degree or equivalent at the start of the fellowship and have obtained it no more than two years before the application deadline.

Deadline: now accepted throughout the year.

### 1.5 European cooperation in Science and Technology (COST) <u>call for proposals</u>

Participants are invited to submit proposals for COST Actions contributing to the scientific, technological, economic, cultural or societal knowledge advancement and development of Europe. Multi- and interdisciplinary proposals are encouraged.

<u>COST Actions</u> are bottom-up science and technology networks, open to researchers and stakeholders with a duration of four years. They are active through a range of <u>networking tools</u>, such as workshops, conferences, training schools, short-term scientific missions (STSMs), and dissemination activities. **COST does not fund research itself.** 

COST Actions allow European researchers to jointly develop their own ideas in any science and technology field, including Humanities and Social Sciences. Participation in COST actions is open to International Partner Countries, among which is Brazil, on the basis of ascertained mutual benefit.

Deadline: 7 September 2017

### 1.6 European University institute (EUI) - <u>Fernand</u> <u>Braudel Incoming Senior Fellowships</u>

Fellowships last for **up to ten months** in one of the EUI's four Departments which in turn invite fellows to participate in departmental activities (seminars, workshops, colloquia, etc.).

Fellows are encouraged to make contact with researchers sharing their academic interests, may be involved in the teaching and thesis supervision tasks of EUI professors, and associated with one of the research projects being carried out at the EUI.

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Deadline: There are two annual deadlines for applications - 30 March and/or 30 September. The Departments of law only accept applications in March, while the department of History and Civilization considers applications for the 30 September deadline.

## 2 EU Member States and Associated Countries

#### 2.1 National EURAXESS Portals

The latest information on open calls for national grants and fellowships in the 40 member countries of the EURAXESS network can be accessed on the respective **national EURAXESS portals**:

Austria, Belgium, Bosnia-Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Faroe Islands, Finland, France, Macedonia, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Moldova, Montenegro, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Turkey, UK.

2.2 BELGIUM (Flanders) – <u>FWO outgoing mobility</u> opportunities

Theses grants support researchers who will be staying abroad for varying time periods to perform advanced research or to specialise in specific research techniques. In this way, the FWO aims to encourage the mobility of researchers and the international contacts between research groups.

- Travel Grants for Short Stays Abroad

(Max. 1 month) for researchers affiliated with a university in the Flemish community (or to a university college of the corresponding association) or belong to the scientific staff (of the Dutch-speaking community) of a federal or Flemish scientific institute. Submission deadline: online in English no later than 3 months before departure.

- Grant for participation in a conference abroad

This grant supports researchers who wish to participate in an **international scientific conference abroad**. The grants are awarded only for participation in conferences of a purely scientific nature, featuring speeches and discussions of original contributions or reports. The grant covers the travel expenses Brussels – conference venue (return trip). Submission Deadline: online in English no later than 3 months prior to the departure date.

- Grant for participation in a workshop or course abroad

This grant supports researchers who wish to participate in a course or workshop abroad that gives them the opportunity to further specialise in their area of interest. The grant covers the travel expenses in order to encourage mobility and international contacts between research groups. Submission Deadline: online in English no later than 3 months prior to the departure date.

Find out about all the free services EURAXESS provides to researchers and employers.

You can save time and money by using more than 260 EURAXESS Centres around Europe to help you with a range of issues including visa requirements, work regulations, taxation and social security.

## 2.3 DENMARK - <u>Call for Development research</u> collaboration grants in growth and transition countries (Incoming).

Supports strategic research cooperation projects between a research institution or a university in Denmark and a partner country (**Brazil and Colombia included**), which will generate new knowledge relevant to the needs and strategies of the growth and transition countries and contribute to strengthening research capacity in developing countries.

Two calls are available to Brazilians and Colombians:

- Window 2 Call for research with partners in growth and transition countries

The applicants must fill in the electronic application form.

Deadline: 3 March 2017.

 Mobility Grants – Call for applications for individual mobility grants for researchers from growth and transition countries (involved in the programme "Partnering with Denmark"). The applicants (Danish host institutions) must fill in the electronic application form

Deadline: 17 March 2017.

### 2.4 FRANCE – Victor Hugo Scholarships (Incoming)

Pilot programme of the University of Franche-Comté, with the financial support of the City of Besançon and the Burgundy Franche-Comté Region, encouraging university exchanges with Latin America (Central and South America, the Caribbean, Spanish and Portuguese language countries) and Haiti.

The aim is offer scholarship to study for one year at the University of Franche-Comté as part of a **Master's or Doctoral programme**.

Funding includes university tuition fees, single room accommodation at the University campus for 12 months, two meals per day at the university restaurant, Internet subscription and intensive French language lessons for two months (July and August) at CLA - Center of Applied Linguistics of the University of Franche-Comté.

Deadline: 17 February 2017

### 2.5 FRANCE – <u>ENA Scholarships for short-term</u> courses (Incoming)

Each year, the National School of Administration (ENA) organises several International Specialised Cycles of Public Administration (CISAP). These training courses last 2 to 4 weeks and are aimed at senior government officials, public company executives or representatives of non-governmental organisations wishing to improve their skills in a specific field. The courses are taught in French and take place in Paris. Some sessions are offered in English. The Embassy of France in Brazil provides scholarships for the training of Brazilians under the CISAP. These scholarships cover the costs of training at the ENA as well as the subsistence costs. Travelling costs should be taken care of by the employer or trainee.

Participants need to register online <a href="here">here</a>, print the registration form and send it by email to the Service of Cooperation and Cultural Affairs of the French Embassy in Brazil to:<a href="mailto:carmen.balduino@diplomatie.gouv.fr">carmen.balduino@diplomatie.gouv.fr</a>

Deadline: two months before the start of each course

### 2.6 FRANCE - Post-doctoral research visits at Inria

All year long, the French Institute for Research in Computer Science and Automation (INRIA) organises post-doctoral research visits for individuals of all nationalities holding a PhD. Particular attention will be paid to French and international candidates who have studied their PhD abroad. Rolling basis: Currently 6 positions open with varying deadlines depending on the project: 1 February 2017 until 31 August 2017

### 2.7 FRANCE – <u>AgreenSkills+ incoming/outgoing</u> <u>postdoctoral fellowships</u>

AgreenSkills+ sets out to encourage the international mobility of young researchers, from 12 to 36 months for fellows coming to France and from 6 to 24 months for outgoing fellows, by supporting research projects in the fields of agriculture, food, nutrition, environment, animal health and veterinary public health. Agreenskills offers very attractive mobility allowances and personalized support for career development plans.

WHO? The programmes are aimed at talented researchers from all over the world holding a PhD with less than 10 years of postdoctoral research experience.

The programmes concern all the research laboratories of Agreenium members. They are implemented through a continuous call for submission with two selection rounds per year.

Deadlines: 28 April & 13 October 2017

### 2.8 FRANCE-GERMANY - <u>Doctoral Fellowship at the Max Planck-Sciences Po Center</u>

The Max Planck Sciences Po Center on Coping with Instability in Market Societies invites applications for a doctoral fellowship to be undertaken in Paris, France, under the supervision of Prof. Jenny Andersson or Prof. Olivier Godechot

WHO ? international students with a **Master's degree** (or equivalent) who have received training in the following disciplines: history, sociology, or political science, with additional training in related fields such as economics, management, philosophy, or antropology. **No nationality requirement**. A firm command of English and working knowledge of French or German are required. Deadline: **15 March 2017** 

AgreenSkills+ is an international mobility programme co-funded by the European Union's Seventh Framework Programme for research, technological development.



The Postdoctoral Researchers International Mobility Experience (P.R.I.M.E) programme has been funded by the German Federal Ministry of Education and Research (BMBF) and the European Union (EU/FP7/Marie Curie Actions/COFUND).

### 2.9 <u>GERMANY – Falling Walls Fellowships for Science</u> <u>Journalists</u>

The Falling Walls Fellowship for Journalists is aimed at journalists and bloggers with at least three years of experience, and who hope to advance their knowledge in the area of sciences.

The Fellows get the opportunity to attend the Falling Walls Lab, Falling Walls Venture, the Falling Walls Conference as well as an additional programme in Berlin around 8 and 9 November 2017.

The fellowship includes travel expenses (economy class), accomodation for 3 nights (organised by Falling Walls Foundation), conference fees and meals (breakfast at hotel, catering during the Falling Walls events).

#### **ELIGIBILITY**

Freelance and full-time journalists or bloggers can apply. Professionals in fields such as research, teaching, public relations and advertising are not eligible. The applicants must have a minimum of three years professional journalism/blogging experience in which they have written about the subject of sciences.

To apply click here.

Details on the Fellowship and FallingWalls.

Deadline: 25 June 2017

### 2.10GERMANY - <u>Postdoctoral Researchers International</u> Mobility Experience (P.R.I.M.E.)

Postdoctoral researchers of **all nationalities**, who see their long-term career perspectives in Germany, will be given the opportunity to combine employment at a German university with a research stay abroad.

Funding is provided through an 18-month temporary job position at the selected German University, in which 12 months have to be spent abroad and 6 months (re-integration phase) at a German university. The re-integration phase is mandatory. The German university administrates the salary during the whole funding period

Applications may be submitted before completion of the PhD. However, the PhD must be completed before the start of the funding period.

Deadline: 15 May 2017



The Viadrina Center for Graduate Studies (VCGS), in close cooperation with the Department of International Affairs, offers the Viadrina International Program – for Graduates (VIP), supported by the German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD) and funded by the Federal Ministry of Education and Research (BMBF).



DLR is Germany's national center for research aeronautics and space. Its extensive research and development work in Aeronautics, Space, Transportation and Energy is integrated into national and international cooperative ventures. As Germany's space agency, DLR has been given responsibility for the forward planning and the implementation of the German space program by German federal government as well as for the international representation of German interests.

### 2.11GERMANY - <u>Viadrina International Programme for Graduates (VIP)</u> (Incoming and outgoing)

The VIP offers PhD Students of the European University Viadrina and also **international PhD Students**, until October 2017, the opportunity of developing an international research and career profile.

PhD Students of the Viadrina are offered following funding lines:

- Research stays abroad (max. 3 months)
- Grants for editing and publishing foreign-language articles and monographs
- Grants for holding international conferences for early-stage researchers at the European University Viadrina

International PhD Students of foreign universities are offered following funding lines:

- Acquaintance stays at the Viadrina (1 month)
- Resarch stays at the Viadrina (max. 3 months)

Deadline for all calls: 15 March 2017

### 2.12GERMANY – <u>DLR-DAAD Research Fellowship</u> Programme

DLR-DAAD Research Fellowships' is a new programme implemented by the 'Deutsches Zentrum für Luft- und Raumfahrt' (DLR) and the 'German Academic Exchange Service' (DAAD).

#### Who can apply?

This special programme is intended for highly-qualified foreign doctoral and postdoctoral students as well as senior scientists. DLR-DAAD Fellowships are defined and awarded on an individual basis. Each fellowship announcement will indicate the specific qualification requirements and terms of visit.

The current offers are published under <u>DLR-DAAD Fellowships</u> - <u>Current offers</u> on the homepages of the DAAD and the DLR in the research fields:

- Aeronautics
- Space
- Transportation
- Energy

#### **Duration of the funding**

Type A - Doctoral Students: 36 months

Type B - Postdoctoral Students: 6 to 24 months

Type C - Senior Scientists: 1 to 3 months

#### Value

Doctoral Students (Doctorate in Germany): monthly instalment of 1 365 Euros (plus allowance for materials of 102 Euros); e.g. flat-rate travel allowance, health insurance, family allowances

Postdoctoral Students (Research in Germany): 2 000 Euros per month

Senior Scientists (Research in Germany): 2 300 Euros per month

 $\begin{tabular}{ll} \textbf{Deadline}: Usually once position filled or depending on current fellowships conditions, more details available $\frac{here}{c}$ \\ \end{tabular}$ 

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Leibniz-DAAD fellowships offer highly-qualified, international postdoctoral researchers, who have recently completed their doctoral studies, the opportunity to conduct research at the Leibniz institute of their choice in Germany. Leibniz-DAAD research fellows can undertake their research at the 91 Leibniz institutes listed in the following links:

Humanities and Educational Research

- Economics, Social Sciences and Spatial Research
- Life Sciences
- Mathematics, Natural Sciences and Engineering
- Environmental Sciences

#### **ELIGIBILITY:**

Recent international postdocs who have completed their studies with a PhD or equivalent qualification no more than two years ago. Applicants must neither hold German nationality nor have resided in Germany for the last 6 months before the application deadline.

Deadline: 9 March 2017

### 2.14GREECE - <u>Onassis Foundation Fellowships for incoming foreigners</u>

The Alexander S. Onassis Public Benefit Foundation announced the 22nd annual Programme of Research Grants and Educational Scholarships addressed to non-Greeks, university professors of all levels (PhD.holders), postdoctoral researchers (PhD holders), artists, post-graduate students and PhD candidates.

Deadline: 28 February 2017

## 2.15LUXEMBOURG – <u>INTER Mobility 2017 Programme</u> (<u>Incoming and outgoing</u>)

WHAT? The aim of the INTER Mobility Programme is to promote scientific exchange between research groups of Luxembourg public research institutions and research groups abroad in order to foster innovative, internationally competitive research and to support the exchange of key knowledge and technological know-how (incoming/outgoing).

WHO? The programme intends to support:

- Post-Docs and senior researchers working in Luxembourg to visit the leading research institutions in the field
- The visit of **established senior researchers** in Luxembourg public

The minimal duration of an FNR-funded research stay is 6 weeks and the total cumulated duration of a research stay is limited to 1 year.

The second deadline for application this year is 30 June 2017.

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### 2.16ISRAEL - Dan David Prize and Scholarships

The Dan David Prize awards scholarships to **doctoral and postdoctoral researchers** doing research in selected fields. For the year 2017, the selected fields are: **archaeology and natural sciences**; **literature**; **astronomy**.

The Dan David Prize laureates annually donate twenty scholarships of USD 15,000 (EUR 12,000) each to outstanding doctoral and postdoctoral students (ten scholarships to students at universities throughout the world and ten scholarships at Tel Aviv University). The Dan David Prize and scholarships are granted solely according to merit.

Deadline: 10 March 2017



### 2.17POLAND – <u>HOMING incoming postdoctoral</u> fellowships for Young Researchers

OUTLINE: This fellowship targets young **post-docs from all over the world** (regardless of nationality), with a special focus on the return to Poland of outstanding scientists of Polish descent, at research units or companies in Poland

RESEARCH FIELDS: subject related to the most innovative areas or that show significant application potential or importance for solving a major socioeconomic problem.

FUNDING ORGANISATION: Foundation for Polish science. Co-financed by the European Union's Regional Development Fund (Smart Growth Operational Programme (PO IR).

WHAT IS FUNDED: The project budget is recommended not to exceed PLN 800 000 (aprox 185 000 euros).

DURATION: up to 24 months

ELIGIBILITY: young doctors (regardless of nationality) who have had a doctoral degree for not longer than 5 years, Participation of at least one scientific partner from Poland or another country is mandatory.

Deadline: 15 March 2017



### 2.18SPAIN – <u>Fundación Carolina incoming fellowships</u> for Ibero-American students

Various fellowships open to Ibero-American students to carry out part of their post-graduation, PhD and post-doc studies in Spain in various research areas. The programme also funds researchers and Brazilian lecturers' mobility (27 fellowships available) in partnership with the Junta de Andalucía, the Universidad de Cádiz, Universidad de Málaga, Universidad Politécnica de Madrid and Universidad de Sevilla.

- Postgraduate Studies Fellowships
- PHD and short term stays
- Mobility Brazil Spain for lecturers and researchers
- Entrepreneurship and videogames

Deadlines: 6 April 2017 for Brazilian lecturers and researchers, Postgraduate Studies, Empredimiento y videojuegos, PhD and short term stays.

### 2.19UK - <u>Newton Professional Development and Engagement Programme</u>

This call is open to Brazilian institutions.

Aim: Support the professional development and community engagement of Brazilian public and civil society institutions, science museums and botanic gardens, by supporting them to develop or improve specific skills relevant to the social and economic development of Brazil in the areas listed below:

- Urban Transformations (including human rights, tackling violence, housing, transportation, access to water, immigration, social inclusion and reducing inequalities)
- Biodiversity (including climate and environment, biodiversity and valorization of traditional knowledge)
- Agriculture and food security (focus on small-scale, sustainable production in rural or traditional areas)
- Inclusive economy (including women empowerment, forest economy, fairtrade, entrepreneurship and creative economy in vulnerable territories)
- Neglected and Infectious Diseases (Including Zika, Dengue and Chikungunya)
- Social Science for social and economic development
- STEM in Basic Education (including popularization of sciences, community engagement and non-formal teaching spaces and methodologies)

The programme should be delivered in partnership with an expert counterpart organisation (or individual specialist) in the UK (e.g. counterpart agencies in the same field, universities, non for-profit organisations, specialist research centres, individual researchers/experts). These UK partners should play a central role in the design and delivery of the training programme. A further criterion for the evaluation of the project will be the potential for the training programme to cement a longer-term collaboration relationship between the Brazilian and UK institutions involved.

The British Council, through the Professional Development and Engagement Programme, will co-finance a maximum of 50% of the value of the proposal.

#### Deadline: 19 February 2017

### 2.20UK - Newton International Fellowships (incoming)

The Newton International Fellowships are available through the Newton Fund which is part of the UK's official development assistance.

WHAT ? Incoming fellowships to work at UK research institutions for a period of two years.

The scheme covers a broad range of the **natural**, **physical**, **and social sciences**, **and the humanities**. The scheme also covers clinical and patient orientated research, for applicants from Brazil, among others.

WHO? Open to early career post-doctoral researchers from Brazil, among others (with a PhD and no more than seven years' active full time postdoctoral experience). Applicants need to have agreed a research project with their proposed UK host organisation before they apply.

Deadline: 22 March 2017



The expectation is that Leverhulme Trust Fellows should undertake a significant piece of publishable work during their tenure, and that the Fellowships should lead to a more permanent academic position.

WHRI-ACADEMY is both managed and coordinated by William Harvey Research Institute, Queen Mary's, University of London.

The programme is co-funded by the European Commission.



HUMAN FRONTIER SCIENCE PROGRAM FUNDING FRONTIER RESEARCH INTO COMPLEX BIOLOGICAL SY.

Guidelines for HPSP 2018
Program Grants and Young
Investigator Grants
applications are available
HERE.

### 2.21UK - Leverhulme Early Career Fellowships

WHAT ? the fellowshhip offers fifty per cent match-funding for the salary costs of three-year academic research position for a maximum of £24,000 per annum during three years, the remaining part being paid by the host institution. Given the prestige of the awards each Fellow may request annual research expenses of up to £6,000 to further his or her research activities.

WHO ? candidates with a **PhD** or equivalent research experience obtained no more than 5 years prior to the time they take up the Fellowship.

Applications will be considered in all subject areas with the following exceptions: Studies of disease, illness and disabilities in humans and animals, or research that is intended to inform clinical practice or the development of medical applications. Applicants must not yet have held a full-time permanent academic post in a UK university.

Deadline: 2 March 2017

### 2.22UK - WHRI-Academy <u>call for proposals</u> in Healthcare and Life Sciences

The EU-funded William Harvey International Translational Research Academy (WHRI-ACADEMY) is a mobility fellowship programme which aims to provide researchers with multidisciplinary projects help to maximize their career development opportunities in healthcare and life sciences.

The scheme offers three different mobility schemes (Incoming, Outgoing and Reintegration) for at least 12 months and a maximum of 15 months.

WHO? Applicants from all over the world must be in possession of a **PhD degree**, or have at least 4 years of full-time research experience. At the time of the deadline for submission of proposals, they must not have resided or carried out her/his main activity in the host country for more than 12 months in the last 3 years prior to the deadline for submission of proposals.

Deadline for submission: 3 April 2017.

### 2.23 HFSP Frontier Research Grants

The Human Frontier Science Program (HFSP) supports novel, innovative and interdisciplinary basic research focused on the complex mechanisms of living organisms.

Research Grants are awarded for novel, ground-breaking collaborations involving extensive collaboration among teams of scientists working in different countries and in different disciplines. Two types of grants are available: Young Investigators Grants and Program Grants.

WHO? The Principal Applicant representing the international team must be located in one of the <a href="member countries">member countries</a> (neither Brazil nor Colombia are), but participants can be located in any country. Young scientists from anywhere in the world may apply for a fellowship to work in a laboratory in one of the supporting countries. A scientist from one of the member countries can apply to work anywhere in the world.

Application deadline: 20 March 2017



Sustainability call is supported by São Paulo Research Foundation (FAPESP) and the Belmont Forum selected funding agencies from several countries and by agencies related to the New Opportunities for Research Funding Agency Co-operation Europe (NORFACE).





### 3 Brazil

### 3.1 BRAZIL (<u>FAPESP</u>) and <u>Belmont Forum New</u> Transformations to Sustainability call

The "Transformations to Sustainability" call for proposals aims to fund basic and applied research by scientists in the State of São Paulo, that will provide scientific basis for actions and policies to be undertaken by governments, private sector and the society at large.

The three main topics that characterise this call are "Governance and institutional dimensions of transformations to sustainability", "Economy and finance of transformations to sustainability", and "Well-being, quality of life, identity, and social and cultural values in relation to transformations to sustainability".

Proponents from the State of São Paulo must be established researchers with Social Sciences or Humanities background and have a proven track record of working in interdisciplinary projects such as the Thematic Projects grants at FAPESP in the topic areas of the proposal.

The call will support collaborative research projects of multinational teams for 36 months, beginning in mid-2018.

Deadline: 5 April 2017

### 3.2 BRAZIL (CAPES) – UK (University of Cambridge) Celso Furtado Chair in Brazilian History and Humanities

OBJECTIVE:To deepen academic cooperation between Brazilian higher education institutions and St John's College, University of Cambridge, in order to promote the debate on Brazilian History and Humanities in the host institution and in Brazil; to develop cooperation between researchers and educators, increasing awareness of the contributions of outstanding Brazilian researchers.

Applicants must have completed a doctoral degree before 31 December 2001

#### **FUNDING AND BENEFITS**

### From CAPES

- Monthly stipend;
- Travel allowance;
- Settling-in allowance;
- Health insurance allowance.

### From St John's College, Cambridge

- The cost of affiliation to the College;
- Access to University facilities and services such as office space and internet connection, appropriate laboratories and equipment, libraries, and any other benefits provided to academic visitors.

Single residential accommodation. If the Visiting Scholar is accompanied by family member, St John's College will contribute with £590 (five hundred and ninety pounds) per month for accommodation expenses in CambridgeDURATION:

Up to 12 months.

Deadline: 22 February 2017

Did you know that **Brazil is**the fourth country
worldwide with the highest
number of staff exchanges
under Marie Sklodowska
Curie actions?



Read our guide on how Brazilian researchers, organisations and staffs can benefit from MSCA here



European Research Council

Each year, around 15 scholarship holders are selected to take part per Erasmus+ JMD and a minimum of 75% of the scholarships are awarded to candidates from Partner countries, including Brazil.

### 4 Calls still open

(Click on the blue links or see previous newsletters for more details)

### 4.1 European Union

EU-Brazil Joint Call - Cloud Computing (EUB-01-2017); IoT Pilots (EUB-02-2017); 5G Networks (EUB-03-2017). Deadline for all 3 calls: 14 March 2017

Marie Sklodowska Curie Actions Research and Innovation Staff Exchange Programme (RISE) that enables international and intersectoral collaboration, based on short-term staff exchanges between organisations worldwide. Proposals in any research field should include at least three partners, which can be universities, research institutions, or non-academic organisations. Small and medium-sized enterprises (SMEs) are encouraged to participate. Partner organisations should be from three different countries. At least two of these should be from the EU or Associated Countries.

Participation of Brazilian Institutions is open, but co-financing from the Brazilian side - through the Brazilian States Funding Agencies (FAPs), for example - is needed; Please see special conditions for Brazil <a href="https://pers.upen.org/here/">here</a>. Deadline: 5 April 2017

<u>ERC Consolidator Grant</u> to support researchers of any nationality with 7-12 years of experience since completion of PhD at the stage at which they are consolidating their own independent research team or programme. All areas. Deadline: 9 February 2017.

Erasmus Mundus - <u>EULALinks incoming grants and EULALinks Sense incoming and outgoing mobilities</u>. Mobility schemes for undergraduates, doctorates, post-docs in <u>various fields</u> from Europe who want to carry out an academic stay in one of the Latin American partner universities belonging to the consortium. Deadline for both incoming/outgoing calls: <u>30 January 2017</u>.

<u>Erasmus+ Joint Master Degrees</u> (JMD) are offered by an **international consortium of higher education institutions**. Students from anywhere in the world at **master's level can apply for these degrees** and one of the approx. **15 student and 4 guest lecturers scholarships. Deadlines: various** (depending on each consortium's rules for application. Most consortia will require applications to be submitted between October and January, for courses starting the following academic year.)

**EMBO** funding to organise <u>Courses and Workshops</u>. <u>Travel grants</u> support the attendance of participants from countries with less-developed scientific infrastructures. Next deadline: **1 March 2017** 

### European Respiratory Society (ERS):

- Short-Term Research Training Fellowships for young scientists and clinicians to visit a host institution in Europe. Short term stays of 1-3 months are supported. Next deadlines: 1 April 2017.
- Long-Term Research Fellowships (6-24 months) open to enable investigators and clinicians of any nationality in the early stages of their career to carry out basic, translational or clinical research projects. Deadline: 31 January 2017.
- Deadline: 31 January 2017.

  Post-doctoral Research fellowships RESPIRE 3 open to candidates from any discipline (e.g. life sciences, medicine, engineering, mathematics, information technology, etc) to fund incoming / outgoing research stays. Host centres from all over the world can also get involved and apply to be pre-registered on the RESPIRE3 Web Host Registry. Deadline: 1 March 2017

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The IST Scholar programme is partially funded by the European Commission.

Top-ranked students who fulfil the mobility criteria will also be Marie Skłodowska-Curie Fellows.

The Erwin Schrödinger programme is co-funded by the European Union.



Wallonie - Bruxelles International.be International Institute for Applied Systems Analysis <u>IIASA Postdoctoral</u>
<u>Research programme</u> offers up to 2 years positions. Applications are accepted continually, Upcoming review dates: 1 April, 1 October 2017.

European Southern Observatory (ESO) <u>Studentship Programme</u>: open to Ph.D. students in astronomy or related fields to spend one to two years at ESO's Headquarters in Garching (Germany) or at ESO's offices in Santiago (Chile). Deadline: **15 May 2017** 

#### 4.2EU Member States and Associated Countries

AUSTRIA - <u>Institute of Science and Technology call for professors</u> for internationally accomplished scientists in all areas. Deadlines: **On-going for Professor applications.** 

AUSTRIA – <u>Marietta Blau outgoing PhD Grant\*</u> 6-12 months doctoral programme at Austrian universities in Natural Sciences, Technical Sciences, Human Medicine, Health Sciences, Agricultural Sciences, Social Sciences, Humanities. Deadline: 1 February 2017.

AUSTRIA – <u>Ernst Mach Incoming Grant\* for postgraduates</u>, PhDs, postdocs and lecturers from all over the world to conduct studies in Austria for one to 9 months in Natural Sciences; Technical Sciences; Medicine; Agriculture; Social Sciences; Humanities; Arts. Deadline: **1 March 2017**.

AUSTRIA – <u>Richard Plaschka Incoming Fellowship\*</u> for visiting **university lecturers** (Postgraduates, PhD holders, researchers) in humanities (History, Archaeology, Linguistics and Literature, Arts) who are primarily occupied with Austria-related topics.4-18 months. Deadline: 1 March 2017

AUSTRIA - Lise Meitner Programme for Scientists from Abroad. WHO: Highly qualified scientists of any discipline with an invitation from an Austrian research institution. No deadline.

AUSTRIA – <u>Erwin Schrödinger Outgoing Fellowship\*</u> (Outgoing) including a return phase. Post-doctoral fellowships at **leading foreign research institutions** for young and especially highly qualified post-doc scientists of any discipline. Applications accepted continuously, **no application deadlines.** 

BELGIUM (Wallonie-Bruxelles) - <u>Ulysse incoming Mobility (Incoming)</u> For a highly qualified researcher to lead a research team at Wallonie-Bruxelles Federation (WBF) university. Employment contract for 3 years. Deadline: rolling basis.

BELGIUM (Wallonie-Bruxelles) – Incoming and outgoing doctoral and postdoctoral scholarship for Excellence IN.WBI & WBI.World\*.Open to foreigners from any nationality, including Brazilians; Fields: Transport and logistics;Mechanical engineering; Life sciences; Agro-industry; Aviation-space; Environmental technologies. 1 to 3 months to 1 year. Deadline: 1 March 2017 (for long term stays). Three cut-off dates for short-term stays: 1 February 2017; 1 May 2017; 1 October 2017



Technical University of Denmark

The H.C. Ørsted Postdoc programme is, co-funded by Marie Skłodowska-Curie Actions DENMARK -

\* All opportunities marked with a \* are available on the EURAXESS funding database.



The PRESTIGE programme is co-financed under the Marie Curie Actions-COFUND of the FP7.

BELGIUM - PROF Award for innovative projects in healthcare applications - Call for candidates 2017\*The University of Ghent is looking for innovative projects in healthcare applications. Winner will receive the PRoF award (with a value of 10.000 €). Deadline: 1 March 2017

BELGIUM (Wallonie-Bruxelles) - F.R.S.-FNRS Post-doctoral temporary incoming fellowship\* (up to 3 years) for a non-Belgian PhD holder (with maximum 6 years of experience). Deadline: rolling basis

BELGIUM – FWO <u>Travel Grants for Long Stays Abroad (5</u> weeks to 12 months) for researchers affiliated with a university in the Flemish community or belong to the scientific staff (of the Dutch-speaking community) of a federal or Flemish scientific institute. Submission deadline: no later than 3 months before departure.

BELGIUM (Flanders) – <u>Scholarships for incoming Master</u>. Full scholarships funded by VLIR-UOS to follow a training or Master programme at a Flemish university or university college. Applicants must apply to the <u>master programme of their choice</u>, mentioning they also apply for a scholarship. Open to **national and resident of one of the** 54 <u>eligible countries</u> in Africa, Asia and Latin America, including Brazil. Deadline: depends on the Master programme.

DENMARK - <u>H.C. Ørsted incoming fellowship programme</u>. Technical University of Denmark (DTU): Fellowships for applicants holding a PHD in Mathematics, Physics, Space research and informatics; Chemistry, biotechnology and chemical engineering; Electronics and communication; Construction, production, buildings and transportation; Life science. Deadline: 23 February 2017

ESTONIA - Mobilitas Pluss Support for study visits and training abroad for 100 researchers to attend international training events of both ETAg and its partners abroad. Deadline: Continuous

ESTONIA – <u>Dora Plus programme (incoming / outgoing)</u>. **Outgoing**: Support to short-term study mobility for Master's students and doctoral students from higher education institutions in Estonia. **Incoming**: Foreign Master's students and doctoral students for short-term teaching and research work in Estonia (1-10 months). Applications: **Ongoing** 

FINLAND - <u>CIMO Fellowships</u>. WHO? Young doctoral level students and researchers from all countries and from all academic fields. No application deadline.

FRANCE- Le Studium - Smart Loire Valley Programme. European Union Marie Skłodowska-Curie Actions (MSCA) - COFUND SMART LOIRE VALLEY fellowship programme, is designed to create synergies between academic disciplines and links with the industrial world. For senior international researchers with a doctoral degree Deadline 9 February 2017.

FRANCE - Institut Curie International PhD fellowships IC-3i (Incoming) 14 PhD projects in Paris (France) and its surroundings in Biology & Chemistry of Radiations, Cell Signaling & Cancer, Biology, Cancer, Genetics & Epigenetics, Integrative Tumour Biology, Immunology & Environment, Multiscale Physics-Biology-Chemistry. Deadline: 5 February 2017

FRANCE - <u>PRESTIGE Postdoc programme\*</u>. Three mobility schemes aimed at fostering the international mobility of post-doc researchers complying with the Marie Curie Actions mobility rules. Call open all year long with four cut-off dates. The next ones are: 31 March 2017, 30 June 2017



The IC-3i international PhD Program is co-funded by the European Union's Horizon 2020 research and innovation programme under the Marie Skłodowska-Curie grant agreement No 666003.

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FRANCE – CEA incoming <u>Enhanced Eurotalents Programme</u>: 12 to 36 months post-doctoral fellowships in a French Atomic Energy and Alternative Energies Commission. Any nationality. Next deadlines: 31 January 2017; 31 May 2017.

FRANCE – <u>15 Postdoctoral Fellowships on Biology and Information Technologies</u> open to all nationalities at the French Atomic and Alternative Energies Commission (CEA). **No specific application deadline**: The positions are open until they are filled by appropriate candidates.

FRANCE – <u>Pasteur incoming study grants</u> scientific staff from RIIP. **No** application deadline.

GERMANY - <u>PhD at Berlin Mathematical School:</u> Doctoral programme in mathematical research and graduate education. Deadlines: **1 December 2016** (for applications with scholarship request); Late application deadline (limited number of scholarships available): **1 April 2017**.

GERMANY - <u>Friedrich Wilhelm Bessel Research Awards</u> of EUR 45,000 and up to one year cooperating on a long-term research project with specialist colleagues at a research institution in Germany by the Humboldt Foundation. Rolling call for applications with two reviews panels per year. In spring and autumn.

GERMANY – Incoming <u>Emmy Noether Programme\*</u>. WHO? **Outstanding postdocs/junior researchers** with 2 to 4 years postdoctoral experience. **No application deadlines**.

GERMANY – <u>Gerda Henkel Foundation</u> post-doctoral 1 to 24 months Research Scholarships in **humanities** to carry out an independent research project alone. Applications are welcome at **any time**.

GERMANY- <u>DAAD Reintegration of German scientists\*</u> with the goal of reintegrating into the German scientific community after having spent at least 1 year abroad. Deadline depends on <u>current offers</u>

GERMANY - <u>DLR-DAAD Research Incoming Fellowships\*</u> in the fields of Space, Aeronautics, Energy and Transportation Research open to **foreign doctoral and postdoctoral students** as well as **senior scientists**. **Deadlines depend** on the current offers.

GERMANY – <u>Humboldt Foundation International Climate Protection Fellowship for young climate experts from developing countries (Incoming)</u> 20 fellowships open o Brazilians to spend a year working with a host of their choice in Germany in the field of climate protection and climate-related resource conservation. Deadline: **1 March 2017** 

GERMANY - Humboldt INCOMING Fellowships\* for researchers at different stages in their careers: - <a href="Humboldt Incoming Research Fellowship">Humboldt Incoming Research Fellowship</a> for Postdoctoral Researchers (6-24 months) for researchers from abroad who have completed their doctorate in the last four years; - <a href="Humboldt INCOMING Research Fellowship">Humboldt INCOMING Research Fellowship</a> for Experienced Researchers (6-18 months research projects) for Assistant Professors or Junior Research Group Leaders from abroad who completed their doctorate less than twelve years ago; <a href="George Forster Research Fellowship">George Forster Research Fellowship</a> (HERMES) for Postdoctoral Researchers (6-24 months research project) for postdoctoral or experienced researchers from developing or transition countries who have completed their doctorate in the last 4 (post-doc)/12 years (experienced researchers). Deadline: <a href="any time during the year">any time during the year</a>.

 $\label{eq:research_professorship*} IRELAND - \underline{SFI\ incoming\ Research\ Professorship*} open\ to\ researchers\ \textbf{in}$   $\textbf{academia\ or\ industry.}\ Applications\ on\ a\ \textbf{rolling\ basis}.$ 



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NETHERLANDS - Holland Scholarships for bachelor's and master's candidates For international students from outside the European Economic Area (EEA) who want to do their bachelor's or Masters in the Netherlands.Deadlines: either 1 February 2017 or 1 May 2017, depending on the institution.

 $\label{eq:network} \begin{tabular}{lll} NETHERLANDS - $\underline{NWO\ visitor's\ travel\ grant^*$} for\ foreign\ senior\ researchers to stay in the Netherlands for a maximum of 4 months. Continuous application. \\ \end{tabular}$ 

NORWAY – <u>The Research Council of Norway: Personal Visiting Researcher Grant</u> for international researchers with qualifications at the professor level. Deadline: **ongoing.** 

POLAND (Foundation for Polish Science) - <u>IDEAS FOR POLAND</u> for Winners of the "*ERC Starting Grants*" competition who intend to pursue scientific research in Poland. **Rolling basis**.

PORTUGAL - <u>Grants for Sabbatical Leave</u> (outgoing) for PhD holders to carrying out research at foreign universities. All research fields and nationalities are eligible. The call is permanently open.

SPAIN - Extensive <u>list of national, regional and private sector recruitment and funding opportunities</u> Looking for a research job or funding to carry out research in Spain? Check the list of opportunities compiled by FECYT <u>here</u>.

SWEEDEN - <u>CISB SAAB call</u> in aeronautics: Sandwich doctorate scholarship abroad (SWE) and post-doctorate abroad (PDE) in the aeronautic sector in research institutes in Sweden or in the R&D Centres of Saab AB; 6 months. Deadline: **24 February 2017** 

SWITZERLAND (Swiss National Science Foundation - SNSF) – outgoing fellowships for Swiss nationals or permanent residents:

- Doc.mobility, for doctoral students. Deadlines: 1 March & 1 September
- Advanced Postdoc.Mobility for advanced postdocs. Deadline: 1
   February & 1 August
- International Short Visits, fund incoming / outgoing short term mobility and small joint research project. Continuous application

SWITZERLAND – <u>ETH Zurich Postdoctoral Fellowships</u> (incoming, 2 years). Applications have to be made jointly by the candidate and their host who must be an ETH Zurich Professor and who will act as a mentor of the fellow. Deadlines: **1 March 2017** 

TURKEY - TÜBİTAK "2221" Fellowships for Visiting Scientists and Scientists on Sabbatical Leave who would like to give workshops/conferences/lectures, or conduct R&D activities in Turkey. Three types of visits are granted within this programme: Short-term (up to 1 month), Long-term (up to 12 months) and Sabbatical Leave (from 3 months to 12 months). All types of grants cover monthly stipend and travel costs. Deadline: rolling basis.

UK (University of Nottingham) - Vice-Chancellor's Scholarship for Research Excellence 38 full tuition fees scholarships for 3 years in Arts, Medicine and Health Sciences, Science and Social Sciences for overseas students/researchers holding an offer to start a full-time research degree programme, PhD or MPhil, at Nottingham campus. Deadline: 10 March 2017



UK - <u>Funding competition Innovate UK: Urban innovation in Brazil</u>Innovate UK and the Brazilian government are funding this competition, administered by the <u>Newton Fund</u>. Innovate UK is investing up to £2.4 million for projects that use cutting-edge solutions to improve cities in Brazil and to encourage innovative partnerships between the UK and Brazil in the areas of: governance of urban systems;urban infrastructure;sustainable urban environments. Deadline: **3 May 2017** 

UK - Wellcome Trust

- Doctoral studentships\*This scheme enables researchers to undertake humanities or social science doctoral degrees in any area of health.Open to Brazilians.Deadline: 22 March 2017
- Outgoing Sir Henry Wellcome Postdoctoral Fellowships\*For recently
  qualified postdoctoral researchers to start independent research
  careers. Applicants should have a relevant connection to the EEA and
  be in the final year of doctoral studies or have no more than 2 years'
  postdoctoral experience. Deadline: 4 May 2017.
- Investigator Award\*Funding for world-class researchers and clinicians.
   Flexible package of funding driven by the requirements of the proposed research. Awards may be small or large, typically up to £3 million, and lasting up to seven years. Deadline: 7 March 2017
- Seed Awards in Humanities and Social Science\*Small, one-time grants

   of up to £100,000 for up to two years to help researchers develop
   original and innovative ideas on the theme of sexuality and health.

   Deadline: 13 March 2017

\*All these Wellcome trust opportunities and many others are available on EURAXESS funding database

### 4.3Brazil

 $\ensuremath{\mathsf{BRAZIL}}$  (CAPES) –  $\ensuremath{\mathsf{BRAFITEC}}$  /  $\ensuremath{\mathsf{BRAFAGRI}}$  calls for projects for cooperation with France in:

- Engineering BRAFITEC Exchange of students at undergraduate level, to foster exchanges between Brazil and France and to stimulate the approximation of curricular structures. Deadline: 30 January 2017
- <u>Agriculture BRAFAGRI</u> promoting undergraduate student mobility. Deadline: 30 January 2017

BRAZIL (USP - CAPES) — call for foreign researchers at USP (Incoming) International Programme seeking to fill 15 Postdoctoral Fellows coupled to Tenure-Track positions at the Assistant Professor level for Young Talent international researchers in all areas of knowledge. Deadline: 31 January 2017. Read the call here

BRAZIL (FAPESP) – UK (University of Birmingham and the University of Nottingham) Collaborative research Call 2016 New programme to fund joint collaborative proposals involving Research and the Exchange of Researchers under the Scientific Cooperation Agreement between the institutions. Up to £40,000 for a two years grant: 50% from FAPESP and 50% from The University of Birmingham. Deadline: 20 March 2017





FAPESP funds collaborative research under the Horizon 2020 (H2020) programme. Researchers eligible for funding by the São Paulo Research Foundation (FAPESP) can use the normal modes of funding offered by the foundation to support their participation in H2020 proposals under Thematic Project, Regular Project, Young and Investigator Award, to be chosen by the proposer. Deadline: any time by FAPESP, but following the deadlines for H2020 calls

FAPESP visiting researchers In 2014, 199 proposals received funding out of a total 243 submissions evaluated.

If you would like FAPESP to assist you in finding a potential host in the State of São Paulo feel free to ask for information to Oliveira, Science Manager, at roliveira@fapesp.br.

### **EURAXESS** Centres

To better plan and organise their stay in a foreign European country. researchers and their families can also benefit from the free and personalised assistance offered by the EURAXESS Centres, a network of more than 250 centres located in 40 different European countries

BRAZIL (CAPES) - GERMANY (Humboldt) Researcher Fellowships. For postdoctoral researchers and experienced researchers from Brazil who have completed their doctorate in the last four years to carry out a long-term research project with Germany and for researchers from Brazil who completed their doctorate less than twelve years ago and work at least at the level of Assistant Professor or Junior Research Group Leader, or have a record of several years of independent academic work. Next deadline: 28 July 2017.

BRAZIL (FAPESP) - fourth SPRINT call for proposals: seed funding to support the exchange of researchers. Proposals in partnership with researchers whose institution has a current Agreement with FAPES or not. The maximum duration of each project is 24 months. Deadline: 30 January 2017

BRAZIL (FAPESP) - Research Internships Abroad (BEPE) to support short and medium term research internships abroad for recipients of FAPESP fellowships in the State of São Paulo. Deadline: on-going

BRAZIL (FAPESP) - GERMANY (DFG) Joint Research Grant Proposals The joint proposal must have two Principal Investigators, one in São Paulo and one in Germany. No submission deadlines. A call for proposals for joint workshops is currently open in all scientific fields. Deadline: 25 February 2017

BRAZIL (FAPESP) - UK (BBSRC) -pump-priming awards for new collaborations between research groups in the State of São Paulo, Brazil and BBSRC funded research groups in the UK. Priority will be given to applications in the area of food security and/or Bioenergy and Industrial Biotechnology. Applications must be made by a Principle Investigator (PI) currently in receipt of BBSRC research funding. Deadline: anytime.

BRAZIL (FAPESP) - Visiting Researcher Programme offers full or partial support for the hosting of experienced investigators, associated with foreign research institutions for a period from 2 weeks to a maximum period of 12 months. The visiting and host researchers must hold a PhD degree and have an outstanding record of scientific accomplishments. Proposals can be submitted at any time by investigators associated with higher education and research institutions in the State of São Paulo.

BRAZIL - Visiting professor programme at the Institute of Advanced Studies of the University of São Paulo (IEA/USP).

#### **FORTHCOMING:**

- ESTONIA Archimedes Foundation supports short-term study and research activities of PhD students visiting Estonian universities. Deadlines vary for each host institution (Estonian universities and Higher Educations institutions). Next application opens in April 2017
- AUSTRIA Etta-Becker-Donner Scholarship Programme. The fifth call of the Etta-Becker-Donner Scholarship Programme - financed by the

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