

2018-19 CEU/HESP Faculty Development Fellowship

Deadline for applications: 10 May 2018

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

Central European University invites applications its Faculty Development Fellowship program for the Winter and Spring terms of the academic year 2018-19.

The Visiting Fellowship Program supports collaborations and linkages between CEU departments and research centers and individual scholars and academic centers at partner universities that stimulate research and curriculum innovation across a wide range of disciplines in the social sciences and humanities focusing on the following [subjects and themes](#):

1. Inequalities and social justice,
2. Democratic governance,
3. Inclusive and evidence-based policy-making,
4. Migration and refugees,
5. Climate change mitigation and adaptation,
6. Higher education in open society (with emphasis on innovative projects that address the following sub-themes: higher education policy and governance, academic freedom, teaching and learning, student engagement, and educational technologies).

The Fellowship is offered to academics employed in full-time teaching positions in one of the eligible institutions who wish to spend one term (3 months) at CEU conducting research and undertaking training that will help them enhance their teaching or otherwise contribute to the home departments' curricula and/or advance towards a doctoral degree. Eligible institutions are: American University of Central Asia (AUCA, Kyrgyzstan); Al-Quds Bard College for Arts and Sciences (Palestine); American University in Bulgaria (AUBG); Asian University for Women (AUW, Bangladesh), and University of Yangon and University of Mandalay (Myanmar). Depending on their academic needs and interests, applicants can choose between two Fellowship tracks: *course development* or *research development*. Fellows can be hosted by any CEU department, school or research center, provided their subject interest is represented by one of the six priority thematic areas above. Fellowship award covers travel costs to/from Budapest, accommodations at the CEU residence center and a living stipend of 3,500 USD for the entire duration of the Fellowship.

ELIGIBILITY

- Eligible institutions are: American University-Central Asia (Kyrgyzstan); Al-Quds Bard College for Arts and Sciences (Palestine); American University in Bulgaria (AUBG); Asian University for Women (Bangladesh), and Universities of Yangon and Mandalay (Myanmar);
- Eligible applicants should be employed in full-time teaching positions in an eligible institution at the time of application;
- Eligible applicants should attach a copy of their highest degree obtained;
- **Please note:** those who are or who intend to be involved in projects, research, teaching, or other activities sponsored or co-sponsored by Open Society Foundations during the period of the Fellowship are not eligible to participate in the program;
- Applications not meeting eligibility requirements will not be considered.

PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

- Fellows are required to be in residence at CEU for the entire duration of their Fellowship;
- Fellows will provide a mid-term narrative report, and a final narrative report;
- Course Development Fellows will provide revised or new curricula three months after the completion of their Fellowship;
- Research Development Fellows will provide a draft research article within six months after the completion of their Fellowship.

The selection of CEU Visiting Fellows is competitive and merit-based and involves an assessment of the relevance of the proposed research or curriculum development project to the academic capacity at the proposed CEU host unit, as well as the unit's ability to dedicate the necessary time and resources to facilitate the Fellow's residency at CEU in the proposed period.

The Visiting Fellowship Program is supported by the Higher Education Support Program (HESP) of the Open Society Foundations and administered by the CEU [Yehuda Elkana Center for Higher Education](#)

APPLICATION PROCEDURE

You can find the application form [here](#).

Please send your completed application form, curriculum revision plan and sample course syllabus for the course development track or the research proposal for the research development track, a CV and a photocopy of the certificate of the highest degree attained **in one PDF file** to the following e-mail address: Research_Fellowship@ceu.edu (subject of email "VRF 2018 + last name"). The application form and all supporting documents must be submitted by **10 May 2018**.

A complete application package must include:

- Fully completed application form (available [here](#));
- Curriculum Vitae;
- 1,000 – 1,500 word curriculum revision plan and a draft syllabus (or a sample syllabus of a currently taught course) for the course development track, or a 1000 - 1500 word research proposal for the research development track
- Photocopy of the diploma for the highest degree attained;
- Two letters of reference: scanned copies should be sent by the referees directly to Research_Fellowship@ceu.edu (subject of email "VRF 2018 + last name of the applicant") **by the application deadline**. A letter of reference should be printed on an official letterhead of the home institution of the referee, and include referee's signature and complete contact information.

Late and/or incomplete applications will not be considered.

We accept applications for placements:

Within CEU Schools and Departments:

- [School of Public Policy](#)
- [Department of Cognitive Science](#)
- [Department of Economics and Business](#)
- [Department of Environmental Science and Policy](#)
- [Department of Gender Studies](#)
- [Department of History](#)
- [Department of International Relations](#)
- [Department of Legal Studies](#)
- [Department of Mathematics and Its Applications](#)

- [Department of Medieval Studies](#)
- [Nationalism Studies Program](#)
- [Department of Philosophy](#)
- [Department of Political Science](#)
- [Department of Sociology and Social Anthropology](#)

Within CEU Centers:

- [Center for Business and Society](#)
- [Center for Climate Change and Sustainable Energy Policy](#)
- [Center for Conflict, Negotiation and Recovery](#)
- [Center for Eastern Mediterranean Studies](#)
- [Center for Ethics and Law in Biomedicine](#)
- [Center for EU Enlargement Studies](#)
- [Center for European Union Research](#)
- [Center for Integrity in Business and Government](#)
- [Center for Media, Data and Society](#)
- [Center for Network Science](#)
- [Center for Policy Studies](#)
- [Center for Religious Studies](#)
- [Cognitive Development Center](#)
- [Initiative for Regulatory Innovation](#)
- [Institute for Advanced Study](#)
- [Institute for Entrepreneurship and Innovation](#)
- [Open Society Archives](#)
- [Pasts Inc., Center for Historical Studies](#)
- [Social Mind Center](#)
- [Yehuda Elkana Center for Higher Education](#)

The applicants are encouraged to familiarize themselves with the research profiles and current programs of the Departments and Centers and suggest a linkage between their subject of interest and the academic priorities of the CEU unit they wish to be hosted by.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Requests for additional information should be sent to the program coordinator Ms. Maja Skalar to Research_Fellowship@ceu.edu

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ATTACHMENTS:

-  Application form
-  Leaflet
-  Call for applications