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Applications for CAPES-Global.edu Scholarships in Brazil for a Visiting PhD Student and Postdoctoral Research under the CAPES-Global.edu Program, in connection with the GLOBAL DIALOGUES FOR MULTILATERAL AND EQUITABLE COOPERATION Network, benefiting faculty members, students, and researchers from international Graduate Programs or Institutions.

1. INTRODUCTION

Based on the information available in CAPES-GLOBAL.EDU Call for Proposals No. 13/2025, the Graduate Program in Performing Arts of the School of Communication at the Federal University of Rio de Janeiro (UFRJ) hereby announces the selection of one scholarship holder for the Visiting PhD Student in Brazil modality and one scholarship holder for the Postdoctoral Research in Brazil modality, within the framework of the CAPES-Global.edu UFRJ Program.

Applications will be open from September 1 to October 2, in accordance with the internal application windows established by the Network's Steering Committee. The **Visiting PhD Student in Brazil** scholarship shall have a duration of six months, beginning between July and November 2027, with the scholarship period running between December 2027 and April 2028. The **Postdoctoral Research in Brazil scholarship** shall also have a duration of six months, beginning between July and November 2027, with the scholarship period running between December 2027 and April 2028.

The Committee appointed by the Graduate Program in Performing Arts will be responsible for selecting the scholarship candidates. The Program will also be responsible for collecting and reviewing the documentation required by CAPES, in accordance with the requirements and procedures established by this funding agency.

Applications must be submitted by email to capes.global.ppgac@eco.ufrj.br, accompanied by the documentation listed below, no later than October 2 at 6:00 p.m. (GMT-3)

The number, category, and scheduling of the scholarships may be subject to change if CAPES modifies

any of these provisions.

1.1. Scholarship Modalities Available under this Call

Postdoctoral Research in Brazil – (6-month duration, renewable for up to a maximum of 36 months, within the period of the Network's activities and WITHOUT COST TO CAPES)

The Postdoctoral Research with International Experience modality aims to attract researchers or faculty members, Brazilian or foreign, **residing abroad**, who have relevant academic and scientific experience abroad (such as having completed a full doctoral degree **or** a postdoctoral fellowship of at least twelve months), to carry out research or teaching activities for a minimum period of 6 months and a maximum period of 36 months, within the duration of the Institutional Internationalization Project.

Benefits (Ordinance No. 1 of January 3, 2020, as amended):

- Relocation allowance;
- Travel allowance;
- Health insurance allowance;
- Monthly stipend.

Visiting PhD Student in Brazil – (6-month duration)

The **Visiting PhD Student in Brazil** scholarship primarily aims to support the internationalization of Brazilian Higher Education Institutions (IES), broaden the cultural horizons of Brazilian students, promote the academic training of foreign students in *stricto sensu* graduate programs in Brazil, and encourage the enrollment of foreign students in graduate programs, thereby fostering knowledge exchange and cultural diversity within Brazilian IES.

Benefits (Ordinance No. 1 of January 3, 2020, as amended):

- Relocation allowance;
- Travel allowance;
- Health insurance allowance;
- Monthly stipend.

2. ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS FOR APPLICATION

Postdoctoral Research with International Experience

2.1 – Reside abroad;

2.2 – Hold a Brazilian Individual Taxpayer Registration (CPF – foreigners can issue the CPF prior the implementation of the scholarship);

2.3 – Have relevant academic and scientific experience abroad (a full doctoral degree or a postdoctoral fellowship of at least twelve months).

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- 2.4 – Be regularly enrolled in a doctoral program abroad;
- 2.5 – Hold a Brazilian Individual Taxpayer Registration (CPF – to be issued prior the implementation of the scholarship);
- 2.6 – Reside abroad;
- 2.7 – Be a foreign national;
- 2.8 – Not hold Brazilian citizenship, dual Brazilian citizenship, nor be entitled to Brazilian citizenship at the time of application;
- 2.9 – Not hold permanent residence status in Brazil;
- 2.10 – Provide proof of completion of a degree that, under the Brazilian education system, is considered equivalent to an undergraduate degree;
- 2.11 – Not be undertaking a program of study in Brazil at the same level as the one for which the scholarship is being sought;
- 2.12 – Not be in default with CAPES or listed in any defaulting/debtors' registry maintained by Federal Public Administration bodies;
- 2.13 – Be able to begin academic activities immediately, in accordance with the deadline established by the Graduate Program and the deadlines set forth in this Call;
- 2.14 – Have an ORCID account and enter the ORCID identifier in the CAPES online application form;
- 2.15 – Have fulfilled the required intervening period, i.e. remained in their country of origin or residence for at least **two years** after:
 - A – Obtaining a Brazilian degree, in the case of candidates who graduated through the **PEC-G** program or candidates who received a scholarship from a Brazilian funding agency to pursue undergraduate studies in Brazil; and
 - B – Obtaining a master's degree (professional or academic), in the case of candidates who graduated through the **PEC-PG** program or who received a scholarship from a Brazilian funding agency;
- 2.16 – Not have previously received a scholarship through the **CAPES Move La América Program**;
- 2.17 – Not have previously received a scholarship from a Federal Public Entity for a **Visiting PhD Student or Full PhD**, either in the same or in another doctoral program, in the case of applicants for a doctoral scholarship (Visiting or Full);
- 2.18 – Not have previously received a scholarship from a Federal Public Entity for a **Master stay's or Full Master's degree**, either in the same or in another master's program, in the case of applicants for a Full Master's scholarship;
- 2.19 – Not hold a doctoral degree, for candidates applying under any of the available modalities;
- 2.20 – Meet any additional requirements established in the selection instrument.

3. REQUIRED DOCUMENTATION

Postdoctoral Research in Brazil

- 3.1 – Curriculum Vitae in Portuguese, English, or Spanish.
- 3.2 – Updated ORCID record.
- 3.3 – Document(s) certifying completion of a full doctoral degree or a postdoctoral fellowship lasting at least twelve months at an institution of higher education and/or research institution abroad.
- 3.4 – Copy of a document certifying residence abroad.
- 3.5 – Copy of the CPF (Brazilian Individual Taxpayer Registration, to be presented prior implementation).
- 3.6 – Copy of the passport, valid for at least six months beyond the intended period of stay.

3.7 – Work Plan:

- Activities to be developed (courses, training sessions, lectures, or in-person seminars);
- Justification, presenting the currency and relevance of the topic of the proposed activities, their alignment with the UFRJ/IES Institutional Internationalization Project and, where applicable, with the international cooperation project;
- Clear definition and delimitation of the study object(s) to be addressed in the activities;
- Objectives and Goals;
- Activity schedule;
- Contribution of the study plan to the promotion of teaching, training, and learning, where applicable, as well as to the expansion of UFRJ/IES international cooperation and exchange activities, highlighting its potential to expand research and education networks through new techniques and partnerships, in addition to broad dissemination of results, where applicable;
- Information on whether the study plan complies with and/or addresses relevant national and international ethical standards, where applicable;
- Description of the other academic activities planned;
- Bibliographic references;
- Expected outcomes.

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3.8 – Copy of a document proving enrollment in a doctoral program abroad.

3.9 – Copy of the CPF (Brazilian Individual Taxpayer Registration – CPF registration abroad, to be presented prior implementation).

3.10 – Copy of proof of residence abroad.

3.11 – Copy of the passport, valid for at least six months beyond the intended period of stay.

3.12 – Proof of completion of an undergraduate degree or equivalent qualification.

3.13 – ORCID record.

3.14 – Work Plan:

- Title;
- Introduction and justification, presenting the currency and relevance of the research topic and its alignment with the UFRJ/HEI Institutional Internationalization Project and, where applicable, with the international cooperation project;
- Clear definition and delimitation of the study object;
- Objectives and Goals;
- Methodology to be employed;
- Activity schedule;
- Contribution of the study plan to the promotion of teaching, training, and learning, where applicable, as well as to the expansion of UFRJ/HEI international cooperation and exchange activities, highlighting its potential to expand research and education networks through new techniques and partnerships, in addition to broad dissemination of results, where applicable;
- Information on whether the study plan complies with and/or addresses relevant national and international ethical standards, where applicable;
- Description of the other academic activities planned;
- Bibliographic references;

- Expected outcomes.

4. APPLICATION

Application documents must be sent to capes.global.ppgac@eco.ufrj.br by **6:00 p.m. (GMT-3) on October 2, 2026**, without exception.

For the application to be considered complete, all documents listed in **Section 3 of this Call** must be attached as **PDF files**, with each document submitted as a separate file.

Note: Applications submitted with missing or illegible documents will be disqualified.

5. SELECTION AND RANKING PROCESS

The Evaluation Committee, appointed by the Graduate Program in Performing Arts Council, is composed of the following faculty members holding doctoral degrees: Prof. Dr. Ligia Tourinho (PPGAC / Chair of the Selection Committee); Prof. Dr. Felipe Ribeiro (PPGAC / UFRJ); Prof. Dr. Pablo Assumpção (External Faculty Member / UFC).

The following criteria will be considered in the selection process:

- (a) Compliance with the eligibility requirements applicable to the candidate, in accordance with the guidelines established by CAPES.
- (b) Adequacy and completeness of the documentation submitted by the candidate.
- (c) Candidate's qualifications and the scientific and academic merit of the proposed plan, as well as its alignment with the UFRJ/HEI Institutional Internationalization Project.
- (d) Feasibility of the research/work plan within the proposed schedule.
- (e) Suitability of the host institution for carrying out the proposed plan.
- (f) Assessment of the academic merit of the faculty member's proposal within the relevant field of knowledge and the Research Project.
- (g) Evaluation of the Curriculum Vitae, with emphasis on scientific and academic production in the field of Arts.
- (h) Evaluation of the Work Plan, considering its relevance and the potential for expanding international exchange and cooperation opportunities for the Graduate Program (PPG).
- (i) Priority will be given to candidates who have not previously benefited from a postdoctoral fellowship in Brazil.
- (j) Affirmative action and promotion of equity: The selection process shall observe, in accordance with applicable legislation and the institutional guidelines of the UFRJ/IES Network and CAPES, the adoption of affirmative action measures aimed at promoting equity and diversity.

6. SELECTION RESULTS AND RANKING

The result will be approved by the Graduate Program in Performing Arts Council and announced according to the schedule set forth below. The final announcement of the selection process will include the names of all candidates who have been ranked, in descending order of classification.

Any matters not covered by this Call shall be resolved by the Selection Committee appointed by the Graduate Program Council from PPGAC/UFRJ.

The allocation of the scholarship(s) shall be confirmed by the thematic area coordination or by the relevant Pro-Rector's Office. The documents required for the implementation of the scholarship must be submitted to the Pro-Rector's Office by the Chair of the Graduate Program within the established deadline. Failure to meet this deadline will result in the loss of the scholarship position.

7. APPEALS

Any appeals must be submitted by email to capex.global.ppgac@eco.ufrj.br by **6:00 p.m. (GMT-3) on October 27, 2026**, for consideration by the Selection Committee.

8. SCHEDULE

SUBMISSION OF DOCUMENTATION	September 1 to October 2, 2026
REVIEW BY THE SELECTION COMMITTEE	October 5 to 22, 2026
ANNOUNCEMENT OF RESULTS	October 23, 2026
APPEALS	October 24 to 27, 2026
APPROVAL OF FINAL RESULTS	October 30, 2026

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