



Call for Outgoing Research Mobility Period Academic Year 2025-2026

In order to promote and enhance the internationalization of its research activity, Luiss is delighted to share with its Core Faculty Members the opportunity to spend a short-term mobility period at fine institutions all over the world, with the purpose of working with a co-author. For Academic Year 2025/2026 a maximum of 4 positions can be assigned.

The deadline for applications is March 14, 2025, at 5.00pm (CET)

General Rules

This Call is open to Luiss Core Faculty: for further reference, please check the **Application Form**, where the full list of included academic positions is reported.

Selected candidates are expected to spend approximately 4 weeks (consecutive or split into two periods of around 2 weeks each) at the hosting institution, to carry out proven research activity with their co-author (who must be a core faculty member of the proposed hosting university).

At the end of the research mobility period, a report concerning the activity that has just been carried out will need to be provided. Furthermore, within one year of completion of the mobility period, participants to this call are expected to present at least a draft of the relevant paper.

The proposed host institution should be selected from the top 30 universities listed within QS, Financial Times or Times Higher Education rankings (general or in the relevant academic area).

Applications for host universities slightly outside this range may be presented but may not be given priority.

Luiss University will provide a lump-sum compensation to cover travel and living expenses for the duration of the visiting period. The proposed gross compensation, all-inclusive and subject to current tax legislation, ranges from a minimum of €8000 to a maximum of €12000, and will be defined and assigned by the selection committee.

Application

Interested Luiss Core Faculty Members intending to send an application for this Call are kindly asked to submit the following documents to the International and Educational Development - Faculty Mobility Office, by sending an email to facultymobility@luiss.it:

- Application Form
- Abstract of the Research for the proposed visit

- Invitation Letter signed by the co-author of the research paper on behalf of the hosting institution, clearly stating the purpose of the invitation (research) and the period foreseen for the mobility
- Curriculum Vitae
- Relevant Scientific Publications (up to maximum 3)
- Copy of a valid ID

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Selection Criteria

The selection will be carried out by an Evaluation Committee.

Once all the required documents have been submitted, the overall final score – up to 30 points - will be given by the sum of:

- The score achieved for the Abstract of the Research for the proposed visit – Max 15 points
- The score achieved for the Curriculum Vitae – Max 10 points
- The score achieved for the Relevant Scientific Publications – Max 5 points

Furthermore, the Evaluation Committee will positively evaluate and will give priority to:

- Applications to spend the mobility period in one of the top 30 universities among QS, Financial Times or Times Higher Education rankings (general or in the relevant academic area) – Max 10 bonus points to the final score
- Applications in which the Research carried out during the mobility period is also for the purpose of creating a project proposal to be presented for an ERC call, or of building partnerships with the aim of participating in Horizon Europe calls – Max 10 bonus points to the final score
- Applications from Luiss Core Faculty Members who currently have one of the following titles:
 - Senior Assistant professor – Ricercatore/Ricercatrice a tempo determinato, “lett. B” (RTDB)
 - Junior Assistant Professor – Ricercatore/Ricercatrice a tempo determinato “lett. A” (RTDA)
 - Assistant Professor (Research)
 - Tenure-track Assistant Professor – Ricercatore/Ricercatrice Tenure Track (RTT)
- Applications from Luiss Core Faculty Members who achieved their PhD in the past 8 years or less
- Applications from Luiss Core Faculty Members who have not previously taken part in mobility programs

Evaluation committee and outcomes

The Evaluation Committee shall be composed of:

- The Deputy Rector for Internationalization
- The Deputy Rector for Research and Third Mission
- The Director of Academic Affairs

Following the deadline for applications, the Evaluation Committee may also decide to appoint other Luiss Faculty Members.

All candidates will be notified of the results of the selection process within **April 11, 2025**, via email from faculty mobility@luiss.it.

Deadlines and Dates

- Application deadline: 14 March 2025 at 5.00pm (CET)
- Notification of results: by 11 April 2025
- Possible Timeframes for the research visiting periods:
 - Fall Term 2025 (September 1, 2025 – December 15, 2025)
 - Spring Term 2026 (January 2, 2026 – May 16, 2026)
 - Summer Term 2026 (May 19, 2026 – August 31, 2026)

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Further Information

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