

ANNOUNCEMENT OF PUBLIC SELECTION FOR 1 RESEARCH GRANT **(Italian law No.240, Art.22, 30 December 2010)**

Description

The Scuola Normale Superiore announces a selection, based on work to date and interview, for 1 research contract, named “*Civil society and protest in the post-sovietic space*”.

The selected researcher will investigate the activities of the civil society and protest campaigns in selected countries in the post-soviet space, studying the forms of mobilization, the organizational model and the collective frames.

Duration of the contract: 1 year

Gross remuneration, inclusive of all taxes: € 30,000

Application deadline: the application must be received by 23.59 (Italian time) on 12 September 2022.

Information about the selection procedure can be found below. Applicants are advised to read the official announcement (*Bando*) and to follow exclusively its detailed instructions should they decide to apply.

Requisites

The selection is open to applicants who meet the following requisites, which are both mandatory:

- a) to have been recognized as an “at-risk scholar” by SAR or by other accredited international organizations who works in this field (such as Scholar Rescue Fund – SRF and Council for At-Risk Academics – CARA);
- b) applicants who have completed a PhD in General Sociology and Political Sciences. Applicants who have completed the aforementioned degrees abroad may also apply, if their degrees are recognized as equivalent to Italian degrees.

Additional competence relevant for the selection of the researcher: knowledge of English and Russian languages.

For the purpose of checking that the above requirement under let. a) is met, applicants must include in the application a copy of the documentation issued by the chosen international organization certifying the “at-risk” status or they must provide any other documentation or information enabling the Scuola to verify directly his/her compliance with this requirement through the SAR network to which the Scuola belongs.

How to apply

Applicants with all the aforementioned requisites who wish to participate in the selection process must submit:

- a) their application, using the attached form (**Att. A - Application form**), written on paper with their original signature under penalty of exclusion (unless applicants choose to send their application form using a PEC e-mail address);
- b) a copy (non-authenticated) of a valid identification document;
- c) a signed and up-dated curriculum vitae containing a detailed description of their educational career and professional experience;
- d) publications, including their PhD thesis, and any other document that they believe may be useful to the assessment of their application (it is mandatory to attach all publications that applicants intend to submit for assessment by the Commission). For those unpublished texts accepted for publication, applicants must include the relative document in its final form and the publisher’s

certificate or a detailed substitute statement of affidavit confirming that the relative text has been accepted for publication (please use Attachment B);

- e) a signed list of the submitted publications;
- f) a copy of a document certifying that the requirement under the preceding paragraph letter a) is met, if available, or any other documentation or information enabling the Scuola to verify directly their compliance with this requirement.

Applicants must submit the application form and all relevant documents specified above in PDF format, by e- mail to job.opportunities@sns.it.

As an alternative, applicants can submit the application form using their personal certified e-mail address (the Italian PEC - Posta Elettronica Certificata). In this case, they should send the application form to the address protocollo@pec.sns.it.

No other delivery method will be accepted.

Interview

The Committee will conduct an online interview with the admitted applicants, who will be equipped with the necessary and appropriate technical means for the online audio/video connection. Applicants will be informed about the date and the video conferencing software platforms to be used (for instance Skype or Google Meet).

For the interview, applicants must show a valid identification document, otherwise they will not be permitted to take part in it.

Applicants who submit the wrong contact details, miss the connection at the date and time communicated by the Administration or fail to submit an identification document forfeit their right to participate in the interview and consequently in the selection process.

The Scuola Normale Superiore is not responsible for any technical problems that may arise during the interview.

For further information or questions about the application procedure and the relative documentation, or about the selection process itself, applicants can write an e-mail to job.opportunities@sns.it