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THE RECTOR

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the Law of December 30th 2010, No. 240;
the Statute of the University of Sassari issued by Rector Decree 2845, December 7th 2011, published in the Gazzetta Ufficiale No. 298 of December 23th 2011 (ordinary supplement No. 275), and subsequent amendments;

HAVING REGARD TO

the Visiting Professor/Scientist Regulations approved with D.R. no. 10 of 07/01/2014 and subsequent amendments;

CONSIDERING

the Regional Law 7 August 2007, n. 7, "Promotion of scientific research and technological innovation in Sardinia";

HAVING REGARD TO

the Council Resolution no. 45/84 of 27 11 2024: Approval of the Agreement stipulated between RAS-CRP and the University of Sassari for the implementation of the Research Program for the years 2024, 2025 and 2026, also containing the specific measure in favor of the Visiting scientist initiative of the Sardinian universities (our rep. n. 42/2025, Prot. n. 2539 of 13/01/2025); that the R.A.S. will pay this University the sum of €240,000.00 for the implementation of the initiatives envisaged by the aforementioned Agreement, which must be completed by 31 December 2026;

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the note received from the C.R.P. of the R.A.S., Prot n. 94970 of 07/31/2025, which authorizes the use of residues from the 2018, 2019 and 2023 tenders;

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the minutes of the Visiting Commission of 27 November 2025, with which the budget distribution was made, taking into account the priority lists received from the 11 University Departments;

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the minutes of the Visiting Commission of 20 January 2026, with which the remaining budget distribution was made, taking into account the priority lists received from the 11 University Departments;

ASCERTAINED

the financial coverage of the projects: VISITING2024, CODICE CUP: J86E24000060002, VISITING2018 (UA.A.1000.08.1081), CODICE CUP: J86C18000970002, VISITING2019 (UA.A.1000.08.1081), CODICE CUP: J81F19000690002 e VISITING2023 (UA.A.1000.08.1081), CODICE CUP: J86E22000060002;

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ART. 1- Purpose

As part of the "Visiting Scientist 2024-2026" Program, a comparative evaluation procedure has been announced, based on qualifications only, reserved for highly qualified scholars from abroad, called to collaborate with the teaching and research structures of the University of Sassari. The positions to be filled, covering 1 short stay and 1 long stay, refer to the Departments, profiles and scientific disciplinary sectors listed below.

ART. 2 - Object and requirements SHORT TERM

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| Department | Chemical, Physical, Mathematical and Natural Sciences |
| ID | 501 |
| Project | Novel nanosized functional materials |
| SSD | CHIM/02 CHIMICA FISICA |
| Period | 6 days |
| Profile | The ideal candidate will possess a well-established international research background in the synthesis and characterization of innovative nanostructured materials for functional applications. Specifically, the candidate should have significant experience in materials related to energy production, conversion, and storage. Expertise in advanced in situ and operando characterization techniques is essential, along with proficiency in specialized modeling software for both qualitative and quantitative analysis of the structural and microstructural properties of the materials under study. |
| Expected research outcome | As for the research, the activity will focus on the implementation of experimental methodologies for the synthesis of high-surface nanomaterials, and on their surface functionalization in view of specific applicative properties. Teaching and dissemination commitment will encompass two lectures on the state-of-the-art preparation and characterization techniques of innovative nanometer sized chemical systems and on their potential application. |

LONG TERM

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| Department | Agriculture |
| ID | 502 |
| Project | Evaluation of the pathogenicity of bacterial species associated with Acute Oak Decline (AOD) syndrome in populations of withering oaks in Sardinia |
| SSD | AGR/12 PATOLOGIA VEGETALE |



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| Period | 2 months |
| Profile | The candidate should have an outstanding profile in the field of forest pathology, entomology, molecular biology and ecology. |
| Expected research outcome | Lectures and seminars |

Art. 3 - Admission requirements

For admission to the procedure is required the possession of the following requirements on the expiry date of the call:

- a) be permanently and continuously engaged abroad in research activities at Universities, Research Institutions, or freelance;
- b) a curriculum vitae of high scientific value, whose activity is documented by quality indicators recognized by the international scientific community;
- c) the enjoyment of civil and political rights;

Citizens who are not Italian citizen must also meet the following requirements:

- 1) enjoy civil and political rights in the states of origin;
- 2) be in possession (with the exception of the ownership of Italian citizenship) of all the other requisites envisaged for citizens of the Republic;

The above requisites must be met on the expiry date of the deadline for submitting applications for admission to the selection.

Art. 4 - Applications and submission deadlines

The application for the selection must be completed and sent electronically using the web application accessible via link available on the institutional website of the University of Sassari, on the page dedicated: <https://portal.uniss.it/visiting/index.php/candidatura/en>

Applications must be received **no later than 01.00 pm on 16th February 2026**.

In the application form for this selection, candidates must declare under their own personal responsibility and aware of the penal sanctions provided for by articles 46 and 76 of the Presidential Decree n.445/00, for cases of false documents and false declarations:

- 1) name and surname;
- 2) date and place of birth;
- 3) the complete address;
- 4) the possession of the requisites envisaged by art. 3 of this notice;
- 5) the citizenship they hold;
- 6) any criminal convictions reported (even if an amnesty, pardon or judicial pardon has been granted and any pending criminal proceedings against them);
- 7) the enjoyment of civil and political rights;
- 8) the non-existence of situations, even potential ones, of conflict of interest pursuant to current legislation;
- 9) the possession of evaluable securities (possibly) indicated in article 3 of this notice.

Citizens who are not in possession of Italian citizenship must also declare:

- 1) to enjoy civil and political rights also in the countries of origin or origin;
- 2) to be in possession, with the exception of the ownership of Italian citizenship, of all the other requisites envisaged for citizens of the Republic;

The contact details to which any communications should be sent must also appear in the

application.

The candidate must attach to the application:

a) curriculum vitae showing the evaluable qualifications required in this notice;

The Administration reserves the right to carry out appropriate checks on the truthfulness of the content of the declarations made.

Art. 5 - Evaluable qualifications

For the assessment of qualifications, each candidate may be awarded up to 100 points overall, to be awarded according to the criteria indicated below:

- 1) Curriculum vitae: up to a maximum of 40 points;
- 2) Relevance of the scientific production: up to a maximum of 40 points;
- 3) Consistency between the candidate's profile and scientific activity and the associated research project among those advertised: up to a maximum of 20 points.

Art. 6 - Commission of selection and selection methods

One or more selection commissions are set up in each Department, appointed by the Director of the Department after the expiry of the deadline for the presentation of applications to participate, for the evaluation of candidates. Each commission is made up of at least three members of the Department itself, and identifies within itself a President and a Secretary who takes the minutes. The selection is for titles only.

Each Commission verifies the admission requirements and subsequently evaluates the qualifications of the candidates, complying with the evaluation criteria set out in art. 5. At the end of the work each Commission, after a comparative evaluation, with its own resolution, taken with the majority of the members, formulates a merit ranking of the participants in the selection for each research grant so that, in the event of withdrawal by the winner, the next candidate suitably placed in the ranking takes over.

Each Commission of selection will send the documents relating to the evaluation of its candidates to the Visiting Commission which will verify the conformity of the evaluations carried out by the individual commissions with respect to the announcement.

ART. 7 - Remuneration and tax treatment

The fee will be established on the basis of the type of assignment, long and short visiting, to be attributed to the winner, as well as on the basis of the qualification, in the case of long visiting, or of the country of origin, in the case of short visiting, as required by articles 16 and 17 of the Visiting Professor/Scientist Regulations.

In particular, the long-visiting will have a compensation commensurate with the equivalent qualification, i.e.:

€4,608.29 per month gross in the case of Junior Visiting (full professor or associate professor or equivalent);

€2,764.97 gross per month for the Researcher (researcher);

€2,304.15 gross per month for the Post-doc researcher (research fellow).

Short stays are divided into a 6-day module. The short visiting will be awarded a gross fee (which includes estimated travel expenses) for each module, equal to euro:

€1,843.32 for visitors from the European area;

€2,304.15 for visitors from the area including the Americas and Africa;

€2,764.97 for visitors from the area including Asia and Oceania.

All amounts are to be considered all-inclusive, gross of the charges established by law to be paid by the recipient, but net of IRAP.



The net remuneration payable can be exactly determined only after the beneficiary has chosen the tax regime, i.e.:

a) taxation in fixed sum

b) mixed taxation in the light of international conventions against double taxation.

If option b) is chosen, it will be necessary, for the purposes of payment of the remuneration, to produce a suitable certification, certifying tax residence, issued by the competent tax authority of the country of residence

Art. 8 - Approval of documents

The procedure will end with the final approval of the rankings by the University Visiting Commission and with the subsequent issuing of the decree appointing the Rector's winners. The final ranking will be published on the website <https://www.uniss.it/visitingprofessor>. The candidates placed in the ranking will receive, by e-mail, a formal communication declaring them winners.

Within the peremptory term of 20 days from such communication, the assignees are invited to submit to the competent office, under penalty of forfeiture, the declaration of acceptance of the research grant under the conditions established in this announcement, using the form attached to the communication.

In the event of renunciation or non-awarding, the scholarship will be awarded to the next suitable candidate, according to the order of merit ranking.

Art. 9 - Treatment of personal data

Pursuant to the U.E. Regulation 2016/679, the University undertakes to respect the confidential nature of the information provided by the candidate. All the data provided will be processed only for the purposes connected and instrumental to the selection and awarding of the research grant, in compliance with the provisions in force. Pursuant to articles 3 and 7 of legislative decree 33/2013, information, data, documents, including the curriculum vitae, are subject to publication in an open format on the University website in the "Transparent Administration" section and anyone has the right to know, use and reuse them without restrictions, even for purposes other than this procedure, with the obligation to cite the source and respect its integrity.

Art. 10 - Responsible for the procedure

Pursuant to the provisions of law 241/90 art. 5, the person in charge of the procedure for this notice is Dr. Giovanni Gaspa, head of the Career Recruitment and Teaching Staff Management office of the University of Sassari: ggaspa@uniss.it.

Art. 11- Advertising

Publicity of this notice will be given on the University website www.uniss.it.

Art. 12 - Referral rules

For anything not provided for in this notice, the provisions on the conduct of the competitions governed by the Decree of the President of the Republic of 9 May 1994 n. 487 (Regulation containing rules on access to employment in public administrations and the procedures for carrying out competitions, single competitions and other forms of recruitment in public employment and subsequent integration and modification rules.



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