



UNIVERSITY OF BRASÍLIA

Institute of International Relations

Call PGPIR - 1/2018

Call for post-doctoral candidates –Brazilian National Program for Post-Doctorates (PNPD)

Graduate Program in International Relations (GPIR)

This is a public and open call from the Graduate Program in International Relations at the University of Brasilia. The program is offering two (2) post-doctoral fellowships funded by the Brazilian *National Program for Post-Doctoral Research (PNPD)* in accordance to the CAPES Portaria No. 86 (03 July 2013 - available at: <http://www.capes.gov.br/bolsas/bolsas-no-pais/pnpd-capes>). The stipend is 4,100 (four thousand and one hundred) Reais (BRL) payable monthly for a 12 months period. There is a possibility for renewal of the stipend pending evaluation from the IR Graduate Commission. The evaluation will consist on an appraisal of the degree and scope of implementation of the research project, as well as of the resulting scientific publications.

1. Profile of the Candidates

PhD holders with a strong potential for scientific research, whose research interests must be related to the GPIR's current research lines.

2. Application and Requests for reconsideration

Candidates must email their application to ppgirel@gmail.com. In the field subject, please inform: "Seleção Edital PNPB 2018". See Number 6 below for deadlines. Applications received after the deadline will not be considered and it is the responsibility of the candidate to make sure that the Program received his/her application.

Requests for reconsideration will only be accepted after the FULL process is finalized, i.e., after the results are publicized. See relevant dates in Number 6 below. Candidates must present a letter of no more than two pages (Times New Roman, size 12, space between lines 1,5) detailing the grounds for the request. The reasons presented must be substantial and the issue(s) being appealed must be thoroughly and clearly presented. The IR Graduate Commission will evaluate the requests and from this decision there will be no appeal.

3. Mandatory Documents (either in Portuguese, English or Spanish):

I – CV Lattes (lattes.cnpq.br) or the “Foreign Researcher Curriculum Vitae” for foreigners (according to the model established by Portaria CAPES No. 86, available at: https://www.capes.gov.br/.../Portaria_86_2013_Regulamento_PNP).

II - Research Project with introduction, goals, theoretical framework, methodology, and work plan. The project must be no longer than 10 pages (Times New Roman, size 12, space between lines 1,5).

III – Letter from the putative supervisor, who must be a member of the GPIR permanent group and allowed to supervise PhD candidates.

IV - PhD diploma or Certificate.

4. Process and Criteria for Selection

The GPIR Commission will undertake the selection process. The criteria will comply with the present call, the UnB rules and the Portaria CAPES No. 86 (03 de julho de 2013).

Criteria:

I) Curriculum analysis (5 points). The Table of points concerning publications can be found at Annex 1. Scientific and academic experience will be assessed in accordance with the CAPES “Document of the Area” (Annex 2).

II) The Project (3 points) will be evaluated in accordance with its compatibility with the IR Graduate Program’s research lines.

III) Interview (2 points). After the evaluation of points I) and II) above, candidates will be ranked according to the number of points obtained. The first three candidates must undertake a mandatory interview. The latter may be carried out by Skype or other similar options.

5. Fellows’ duties:

I) To develop their research in accordance to the approved project’s goals.

II) To submit at least 2 (two) articles for A1 or A2 journals (list available at: <https://sucupira.capes.gov.br/sucupira/public/consultas/coleta/veiculoPublicacaoQualis/ListaConsultaGeralPeriodicos.jsf>). One of them may be co-authored with a professor belonging to the permanent group of the GPIR.

III) To organize at least one seminar with the research results.

IV) To teach one optional course in the IR undergraduate program in relation to the PNPD project. Classes may be in Portuguese, English or Spanish.

V) To participate in the IR graduate studies program research activities and debates.

VI) To submit a mid-term report (after 6 months) in English or Spanish.

VII) To fully comply with the UnB and CAPES’ rules concerning PNPD fellowships. Failure to do so will imply immediate termination of the fellowship and the fellow’s incursion into legal procedures and penalties.

6. Selection timetable:

Application: from 12 to 25 July 2018.

Confirmation of valid applications: by 26 July 2018.

CV and project analysis: from 27 to 30 July 2018.

Call for interviews: by 30 July 2018.

Interviews: 03 August 2018.

Results: by 06 August 2018.

Requests for reconsideration: by 08 August 2018.

Final results: by 10 August 2018.

Presentation of documents and signature (only for the two selected candidates): 17 August 2018.

All the information and results will be available at the PPGRI website: <https://irel.unb.br/ensino-e-pesquisa/pos-graduacao/>.

6. The IR Graduate Commission shall resolve any appeals, silent cases and unforeseen events that are not dealt with in this call. In case of doubt, the Portuguese version prevails.

This call enters into force on 11 July 2018.

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Post-Doctoral Candidates Call 2018 - ANNEX 1

Evaluation Table

4.1 CV analysis (5 points in total)

Publications	Points
Articles published in A1 journals (Political Science and International Relations)	1,5 point per piece
Articles published in A2 journals (Political Science and International Relations)	1,0 point per piece
Books published (according to the Qualis CAPES for Political Science and International Relations)	max. 1,5point per book
Book chapters published (according to the Qualis CAPES for Political Science and International Relations)	max. 0,5point in total

4.2 Project Analysis (3 points intotal)

Criteria	
Coherence with GPIR research lines	max. 1 point
Project quality	max. 2 points

4.3 Interview (2 points in total)

Criteria	
Knowledge of the subject proposed	max. 2 points

The final assessment will establish a comparative evaluation among the several candidates.