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PROGRAM CIÊNCIA SEM FRONTEIRAS FELLOWSHIP IN BRAZIL

SPECIAL VISITING RESEARCHER – PVE

CALL FOR PROJECTS MEC / MCTI / CAPES / CNPq / FAPs

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I. CALL FOR SELECTION OF PROJECTS

The National Council of Scientific and Technological Development - CNPq created by the Law No. 1.301/1951 and is governed by Decree No. 7.899, of February 4, 2013 and the Foundation for the Coordination of Improvement of Higher Education Personnel - CAPES carrying out the tasks conferred by Law No. 8405, of January 9, 1992 that is governed by the Regulations approved by Decree No. 7.692, of March 2, 2012, related, respectively, to the Ministry of Science, Technology and Innovation - MCTI and the Ministry of Education - MEC, with the participation of the Foundations for Research Support – FAPs, make this call public and invites interested parties to participate in the selection process for fellowship Pesquisador Visitante Especial (Special Visiting Research) Programa Ciência sem Fronteiras, in accordance with the standards of this call and legislation applicable to the matter, especially Law No. 9,784, of January 29, 1999, and Decree No. 7.642, of December 13, 2011 and internal standards of CNPq.

I.1. AIM

This call, exclusively managed by CNPq, aims to support financially the research projects aimed, through the exchange, international mobility and cooperation in science and technology to promote the consolidation, expansion and internationalization of science and technology, innovation and competitiveness in the country with focused areas included in the Programa Ciência sem Fronteiras, described below.

I.2. AREAS COVERED

- a. Engineering Technology and other areas;
- b. Exact and Earth Sciences;
- c. Biology, Biomedical and Health Sciences;
- d. Computer and Information Technology;
- e. Aerospace Technology;
- f. Pharmaceuticals;
- g. Sustainable Agricultural Production;
- h. Oil, Gas and Coal;
- i. Renewable Energy;
- j. Mineral Technology;
- k. Biotechnology;
- l. Nanotechnology and New Materials;
- m. Technologies for Prevention and Mitigation of Natural Disasters;
- n. Biodiversity and Bioprospection;
- o. Marine Sciences;



- p. Creative Industries (focused on products and processes for technological development and innovation);
- q. New Technologies Engineering Constructive;

I.3. FELLOWSHIP FOR SPECIAL VISITING RESEARCHER - PVE

I.3.1. Purpose: To promote the international exchange and cooperation, through the attraction of international leaders who have outstanding scientific and technological areas covered by the Program, listed in item I.2.

I.3.2. Duration: two to three years, with a minimum stay in Brazil of 30 (thirty) days and up to ninety (ninety) days for each year of the project, in continuous stays or not.

I.3.3. Profile: The researcher indicated for the fellowship as Special Visiting Researcher - PVE should have recognized scientific leadership and / or international technological productions at the contemplated areas covered by the program, listed in section I.2.

I.3.4. Benefits:

- i. Fee: R\$ 14.000,00 (fourteen thousand reais) to be paid upon completion of the minimum period of 30 days in Brazil; this resource will be paid to the Project Coordinator and forwarded to the scholar upon receipt;
- i. Transportation assistance with maximum values corresponding to three round trips per year of the project. Any expenditure beyond approved, shall be borne by other sources of funding; this resource will be paid to the Project Coordinator and forwarded to the scholar upon receipt;
- ii. Research grants, worth up to R\$ 50.000,00 (fifty thousand reais) per year of the project, to be used exclusively in funding, according to the items II.1.4.1.2; this resource will be transferred and managed by the Project Coordinator;
- iii. Additional quota for Doctoral Sandwich fellowship abroad - SWE up to 36 months, to follow the researches of the Special Visiting Researcher – PVE at their home institution, if requested in the Online Proposal Form and provided in the research project;
- iv. Additional quota for Post-Doctoral Junior fellowship in Brazil up to 36 months, to keep the researches and contact with the Special Visiting Researcher during the absence in Brazil, since requested in the Online Proposal Form and provided in the research project.

I.4. LINES FOR PROPOSALS

I.4.1. Proposals for Special Visiting Researcher grant must be related to:

- a. the Research Centers of the MCTI;
- b. The National Institutes of Science and Technology (INCT) or;
- c. The research groups coordinated by researchers fellows of Productivity in Research (PQ) or technological development and innovative extension (DT), category 1 or 2 of CNPq researcher with equivalent profile; or
- d. Laboratories, research and development institutes or centers either public or private.

I.4.2. Within the Programa Ciência sem Fronteiras, proposals submitted in this call will be managed exclusively by CNPq

I.4.3. The institutional proposals related to postgraduate programs in Brazil, recommended by CAPES, and corresponding to Line 1 on the previous calls are not covered by this Call. A specific call for projects linked to Postgraduate Programs will be available on the Science Without Borders Programa Ciência sem Fronteiras website.



I.5. PRESENTATION AND SUBMISSION OF PROPOSALS

I.5.1. All proposals must be submitted in the form of a project and sent exclusively by the Internet through the Online Proposal Form, on the date indicated on Schedule item II.1.2 of this call through the Programa Ciência sem Fronteiras website (www.cienciasemfronteiras.gov.br).

I.5.2. The researcher Project Coordinator in Brazil, that will follow up the fellowship, should send the proposals.

I.5.3. The Project Coordinator should submit the proposal and follow the file containing the research project and Curriculum Lattes or, in case of the impossibility, the curriculum of the applicant for Special Visiting Researcher fellowship – PVE, according to the models available in the Appendix of this call. The editable model is available on the Programa Ciência sem Fronteiras website.

I.5.3.1. The Lattes must be registered and updated if the applicant for PVE fellowship is Brazilian.

I.5.3.2. A single proposal per applicant will be accepted. In the event of sending a second proposal by the same applicant, which respects the deadline set for submission of proposals, the last one will be considered a substitute for the earlier, being taken into account in the final analysis only last proposal received.

I.5.3.3. For INCTs (National Institutes of Science and Technology), the coordinators may assign other network researchers, scholars PQ / DT or equivalent, to submit proposals, guarded the item I.5.11. A letter designation may appear on the back cover of the project, indicating that the proposal falls within an INCT.

I.5.4. The applicant for the PVE fellowship should be part of the project team and should appear in the Online Proposal Form.

I.5.5. Only one PVE investigator appointment will be accept per proposal.

I.5.6. Only the proposals, which present the applicant for PVE as a member of the project team in Online Form Proposals and attach the respective curriculum will be analyzed. Proposals that do not meet these requirements will be disqualified

I.5.7. Nominations of fellows of Lines 1 and 2 will be analyzed by CNPq which will approve or reject the proposal.

I.5.8. Proposals must be submitted in accordance described in subsection II.2 - ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA - of Regulations, containing all the items provided in this Call. The file containing the research project and the Curriculum Vitae of the applicant for PVE fellowship must be generated outside the Online Proposals Form and attached to this in the "annex" in formats such as "doc", "pdf" "rtf" or "post script" up to 1.5 Mb (one and a half megabyte) for each document. If it is necessary to use figures, graphs, etc. to clarify the arguments of the proposal, they should not exceed the size of the file, because online CNPq system will not receive proposals that exceed this limit.

I.5.9. Proposals must be submitted on Online Proposal Form Programa Ciência sem Fronteiras website (www.cienciasemfronteiras.gov.br) until 11:59 p.m (eleven fifty-nine p.m) Brasília official time (-3 GMT), the deadline for submission of proposals described in subsection II.1.2 - TIMETABLE of REGULATION. Technical support is only available until 6:00 p.m Monday to Friday and can be accessed as item number II.5 of REGULATION. The proposer will receive an electronic receipt protocol after sending its proposal, which will serve as proof of transmission.

I.5.10. Submitted proposals will not be accepted by any other means or after the deadline for receival determined in subsection I.5.9 mentioned above. Thus, it is recommended to send the proposals in advance, since CNPq is not responsible for non-received proposals due to technical problems and congestion.

I.5.11. In case of similar proposals by different candidates are found, all of them will be disqualified.

I.5.12. When submitting the proposal the proponent commits to maintain, during execution of the project, all the conditions of qualification, habilitation and trustworthiness necessary to perfect fulfillment of its object, preserving updated their registration data with relevant records.



I.5.13. The Postgraduate Coordinator who submit a proposal in Call managed by CAPES and shall act as technical coordinator, could not submit this Call.

I.5.14. No proposals will be accepted whose Technical Coordinators in proposals managed by CAPES, and Project Coordinators, in the proposals managed by CNPq, already have current PVE scholarships projects, including those granted by this Call or previous calls, regardless of Line and Calendar.

I.6. ADMISSION, ANALYSIS AND JUDGEMENT

The evaluation of proposals will comply with the following steps: framework, merit rating, ranking of proposals and approval by the Executive Board of CNPq.

I.6.1. Step I – Framework

I.6.1.1. This step, to be performed by the technical area of CNPq, consists of the proposals analysis as to compliance with the provisions set out in items I.5.: Presentation and Submission of Proposals, II.1.4. fundable items, II.2.1. As the Project Coordinator and II.2.3. which are regarding to Institution Execution.

I.6.2. Step II - Analysis by Consultants ad hoc

I.6.2.1. This step will be the analysis of demand, the merits and relevance of the proposals to be made by experts that will express on the topics listed in item II.3 of JUDGING CRITERIA FOR REGULATION.

I.6.3. Step III – Analysis, Judgment and Classification Judging Committee

I.6.3.1. CNPq will appoint a Judging Committee specific to this call, which will analyze the judgment and ranking of proposals. Proposals will be evaluated and classified considering the analysis of the previous steps and ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA indicated in subsection II. 2.2 - REGARDING TO PROPOSAL and JUDGMENT indicated in subsection II.3. of Regulation, this will be scored by the Judging Committee.

I.6.3.2. The final score of each project will be measured as provided in item II.3 - Criteria for Judgment.

I.6.3.3. After analyzing the merits and relevance of each proposal, the Judging Committee, within the budgetary limits stipulated by Funding Agencies and according to the criteria of judgment may: recommend the fellowship or not recommend the fellowship, with or without budget cuts.

I.6.3.4. It is forbidden for any Committee member to judge project proposals that:

- a. is indicated as the Project Coordinator or member of the project team,
- b. your spouse, partner or relative, by blood relation or affinity (relative) is participating in the project team, straight or collateral, up to the third degree, or
- c. is litigating legally or administratively with any member of the project team or their spouses or partners.

I.6.3.5. The Committee's opinion on the proposals within the criteria, will be recorded in a computerized system, containing a list of proposals judged recommended and not recommended with respective final scores, in descending order, as well as other pieces of information and recommendations as it deems appropriate. For proposals recommended, the amount to be funded by CAPES and CNPq will be set. For non-recommended proposals, it will be issued a consolidated opinion containing the reasons for non-recommendations. The outcome of the judgment will be confirmed by electronic signature of Committee members



I.7. APPROVAL BY BOARDS OF CNPq

All proposals recommended by the Judging Committee and reviewed by the technical area of each agency shall be submitted to the respective Executive Board, which shall issue a final decision on its approval, subject to the budgetary limits of this Call.

I.8. FINAL RESULT

I.8.1. The list of proposals approved with funding of this call will be posted on the Programa Ciência sem Fronteiras website (www.cienciasemfronteiras.gov.br) and published in the Diário Oficial da União (Official Gazette).

I.8.2. All proponents of this call can have access to the final report of their proposal.

I.9. ADMINISTRATIVE RESOURCES

I.9.1. If the proponent justification to contest the result of the bids evaluation, may appeal in specific electronic form, available on the Programa Ciência sem Fronteiras website (www.cienciasemfronteiras.gov.br) within ten (10) days accrued from the date of publication of the result in the Diário Oficial da União (Official Gazette) and the Program website (www.cienciasemfronteiras.gov.br).

I.9.2. The electronic form of appeal will have a field for justification available, which should contain a maximum of 4000 characters, with no possibility for a file attachment. Any other included documents in this step will be disregarded, as stated at the RN 06/2009 – CNPq standard.

I.9.3. Submitted proposals will not be accepted by any other means, nor after the deadline for receipt provided in subsection I.9.1 above. Thus, the submission of tenders in advance is recommended, since CNPq will not be responsible for proposals not received due to any technical problems and congestion.

I.10. SIGNING APPROVED PROPOSALS

I.10.1. The approved proposals will be supported in the form of aid, on behalf of the Project Coordinator, by signing the ACCEPTANCE OF TERMS (TERMO DE ACEITAÇÃO). The hiring of approved proposals and the implementation of the scholarship shall conform to the standards set out in this Call, the Regulation below and standards of CNPq.

I.10.2. The existence of any default of the project coordinator with the Federal Public Administration directly or indirectly constitutes an impeditive factor for hiring project

I.10.3. The signing of the Acceptance of Terms for Financial Aid Support in “Auxílio Individual” mode, digitally signed as stated at RN 018/2011/CNPq will be conditional to the prior existence of the Technical Cooperation Protocol concluded between the institution implementing the project and CNPq, which can be accessed by ftp://ftp.cnpq.br/pub/forms/fgerais/protocolo_coop_tec.doc page.

I.11. CANCELLATION OF THE CONCESSION

I.11.1. The financial support may be canceled by the Executive Board of CNPq, for occurrence, during its implementation, of an event of which the seriousness justifies the cancellation, with no detriment to other applicable measures in a reasoned decision.

I.11.2. Possible cancellation or abandonment of a project without adequate justification upon receipt of any monthly fees or relating to this Call will import the reimbursement to the Treasury of the CNPq, in whole or in part to any perceived basis of duly corrected and updated values.

I.11.3. Any replacement of PVE scholarship, indicated on the registration form as a team member, will not be allowed. In case of impossibility of PVE scholarship participation in the project, it should be canceled, as instructed below:

I.11.3.1. The Project Coordinator is expected to register the option “declined” on the Concession Term, or, in a later step, to request cancellation by e-mailing atendimento@cnpq.br. After the



decline, or cancellation of the process, the Coordinator can present a new proposal in current register calendar or next call.

I.12. PUBLICATIONS

I.12.1. Scientific publications and any other means of disseminating research work supported by this Call should quote necessarily the support from authorities and funding agencies.

I.12.2. The advertising activities pertaining to projects and projects funded with federal funds should strictly observe the provisions governing the species, as item number II.6 of REGULATION.

I.13. CHALLENGE CALL

I.13.1. The right to challenge the terms of this Call will forfeit in case if the proponent fails to do so until the second business day prior to the deadline set for receipt of proposals. Moreover, no effect of recourse to challenge made by one who, in having accepted without objection, pointing, after the judgment, any flaws or imperfections.

I.13.2. The challenge shall be addressed to the Executive Board of CNPq, by electronic mail to the email address: presidencia@cnpq.br.

I.14. REVOCATION OR CANCELLATION OF THE CALL

I.14.1. At any time, this call may be revoked or canceled in whole or in part, either by unilateral decision of CNPq Executive Board, whether for reasons of public interest or legal requirement, in a reasoned decision, without incurring right to indemnity or claim of any nature.

I.15. PERMITS AND SPECIAL LICENSES

I.15.1. It is the sole responsibility of each Project Coordinator to adopt all measures involving permits and special permits an ethical or legal necessary project implementation.

I.15.2. The research projects related to biodiversity, must comply with the legislation in force (MP No. 2.186-16/2001, Decree 3.945/01, as amended by Decree No. 4.946/2003 Decree No. 98.830/90 MCT Ordinance No. 55 / 90). The Coordinated Project must request access authorizations, collection and shipment of samples and visa to enter the country to foreign participants in the project, as mentioned legislation.

I.16. GENERAL PROVISIONS

I.16.1. During the implementation phase of the project, any contact with the CNPq should be made via electronic mail to the Coordinator responsible for the project as a priority area chosen by the proponent at the time of proposal submission.

I.16.2. Any change on the implementation of the project should be requested to CNPq for its coordinator, followed by appropriate justification, and the same must be authorized before its execution.

I.16.3. At the end of the term, the project coordinator in Brazil should present the financial accountability and technical reports in accordance with what is established in the Statement of Acceptance and other provisions of CNPq.

I.16.4. During implementation, the project will be monitored and evaluated in all of its phases, according to the provisions of Statement of Acceptance.

I.16.5. CNPq reserves the right, during the execution of the project, to promote technical visits or request additional information in order to improve the system of evaluation and monitoring.

I.16.6. The information generated by the implementation of the proposals selected and made available in the database CNPq will be public domain.

I.16.7. The project results or the report itself may have commercial value or may lead to the development of a product, method involving the establishment of a patent. In this case, the exchange of information and the reservation of rights, in each case, shall give according to Law of



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Innovation, No. 10.973, of December 2, 2004, regulated by Decree No. 5.563, of October 11, 2005 and the internal rules of CNPq governing the matter.

I.16.8. This call shall be governed by the precepts of public law, pursuant to Section 37 of the Constitution, the provisions of Law No. 8666 of June 21, 1993, as applicable, and the internal rules of the CNPq.

I.16.9. Clarifications and additional information about the contents of the Call and complete the Online Proposal Form as well as the law that governs this Call may be obtained on items II.5 and II.6 of REGULATION, below.

I.18. CLAUSE OF RESERVE

The Executive Board of CNPq reserves the right to resolve the missing cases and situations not defined by this Call.

Brasília-DF, February 5th, 2014.

Glaucius Oliva
President of CNPq

II. REGULATION

This Regulation aims to define the activities to be supported financially and conditions for support implementation by way of the selection through the Call of proposals for project execution.

II.1. SPECIFIC PROVISIONS

II.1.1. OBJECT

Foster the exchange and scientific and technological cooperation between national research groups and abroad, through the attraction of international leaders who have outstanding scientific and technological production in the covered areas of the Programa Ciência sem Fronteiras, listed in item I.2.

II.1.2. SCHEDULE

Activities	Date (dd/mm/yyyy)
Release Call in the Official Gazette of the Union on CNPq page and Programa Ciência sem Fronteiras page.	05/02/2014
Availability of Online Proposal Form	05/02/2014

II.1.2.1 First Schedule of Proposal Submissions

Activities	Date (dd/mm/yyyy)
Deadline for submission of proposals	15/04/2014
Publication of the results in the Official Gazette of the Union on CNPq page and Programa Ciência sem Fronteiras.	First half of June 2014
The effective date of the approved projects	Between June 2014 and August 2014

II.1.2.2 Second Schedule of Proposal Submissions

Activities	Date (dd/mm/yyyy)
Deadline for proposal submissions	23/06/2014
Publication of the results in the Official Gazette of the Union on CNPq page and Programa Ciência sem Fronteiras.	Second half of August 2014
The effective date of the approved projects	Between September and November 2014

II.1.2.3 Third Schedule of Proposal Submissions

Activities	Date (dd/mm/yyyy)
Deadline for proposal submissions	15/09/2014
Publication of the results in the Official Gazette of the Union on CNPq page and Programa Ciência sem Fronteiras.	First half of November 2014
The effective date of the approved projects	Between December 2014 and February 2015

II.1.3. FINANCIAL RESOURCES

II.1.3.1 - The approved proposals will be funded with the estimated overall value of R\$ 261.074.016,00 (two hundred sixty-one million seventy-four thousand and sixteen reais) from CNPq budget. The budget estimate is based on the overall value for the initial development of 420 (four hundred and twenty) fellowships for Pesquisador Visitante Especial (Special Visiting Researcher).

As interest in each of the states, Foundations for Research Support – FAPs, following its policy and any specific internal calls for this purpose, may have additional resources to finance the fellowships, increase in research grants, including under costing, capital and / or mobility. The funds will be directed to financing projects and grants being released in up to three installments, in accordance with the available budget and financial viability of CNPq and the needs and interests of FAPs.

II.1.4. FUNDABLE ITEMS

II.1.4.1 The features of this call will be used to finance the fellowship and items costing and must be used exclusively for the proposed project as approved by CNPq, comprising:

II.1.4.1.1. Fellowship: Special Visiting Researcher – PVE and its benefits, as described in I.3.4 section, Doctorate Sandwich fellowship Abroad - SWE and Post-doctorate Junior – PDJ fellowships (if requested in the Online Proposal Form and the referred research project).

II.1.4.1.1.1. The funds for the fellowship will be included automatically by the Online Proposal Form in the project budget.

II.1.4.1.1.2. The implementation of the fellowships should be completed within the deadlines and criteria prescribed for each of the modalities. The duration of the grants may not exceed the term of the project execution.

II.1.4.1.1.3. The applicant for Sandwich PhD fellowship abroad should realize their internship abroad in the institution related to Special Visiting Researcher – PVE Fellow.

II.1.4.1.1.4. It is forbidden for the to coordinator / technical coordinator of the project in Brazil indicate himself as Post Doctoral Fellow in Brazil linked to the project

II.1.4.1.1.5. Candidates for the Post Doctoral Junior fellowship should be in Brazil at the time of their appointment.

II.1.4.1.1.6. The fellowship funds may not be used for payment of services, since such use would be contrary to the purpose of CNPq fellowships.

II. 1.4.1.2 Costs:

- a. Bibliographic material;
- b. Consumption materials, components and / or replacement parts for equipment, software, installation, restoration and maintenance of equipment;
- c. Outsourcing services - full or partial payment of contract maintenance and outsourcing services, person or entity of any character. Any payment for individual must be conducted in accordance with the legislation in force, in order not to establish an employment relationship. Thus, labor force employed in the project execution will have no connection whatsoever with the National Research Council and this will not require any payment, remaining the exclusive responsibility of the Coordinator / Institution project execution;
- d. Ancillary costs, especially import and facilities necessary for the proper functioning of equipment purchased with funds from other calls or institutions (see subsection II. 1.4.4);
- e. Mobility costs, in accordance with the rules of the funding agencies, **exclusively for members of staff to carry out field activities, data collection or support specialist for project development.**

II.1.4.2. No resources will be allocated under the Capital Heading for this call, except if granted by FAPs. The resources from CNPq are intended for expenses Costing, only.

II.1.4.3. Expenses are prohibited, also, with:

- a. Civil works (except works with installations and adaptations necessary to the proper functioning of equipment, which must be justified in the detailed budget proposal - subsection II. 2.2), regarded as the compulsory counterpart of the institution of project execution;

- b. Payment of wages or salary supplementation of technical and administrative personnel or any other personal benefits for public institutions (federal, state and municipal);
- c. Badges, folders, certificates, ornamentation, cocktails, dinners, concerts and/or any artistic events of any kind;
- d. Routine expenses like electricity bills, water, telephone, regarded as mandatory expenditure counterpart of the institution of project execution;
- e. Payment, for any reason, under the server public administration, or employee of a public or mixed company, for consulting or technical assistance, as determined by the Budget Guidelines Law of the Union;
- f. Payment under the management fees, management;
- g. Purchase(s) of vehicle(s) of any kind;
- h. With tickets and accommodation for conferences and the like.

II.1.4.4. Other expenses shall be the responsibility of the applicant / institution implementing the project, as counterpart.

II.1.4.5. To hire or purchase of goods and services shall be subject to the legislation in force and the rules of CNPq, available at the address: www.cnpq.br/web/guest/prestacao-de-contas.

II.1.4.6. Where applicable, the proposal should include ancillary costs related to the importation of equipment, materials and continuous consumables, in the ratio of 18% (eighteen percent) of the amount for such expenses. CNPq will not be responsible for supplementation resources to meet the expenses arising from any external factors to their control, such as currency fluctuation.

II.1.5. DEADLINE FOR COMPLETION OF PROJECTS

II.1.5.1. The proposals to be supported by this Call should have their execution time limit established at least twenty four (24) months and a maximum of 36 (thirty-six) months.

II.1.5.2. Exceptionally, the deadline for execution of projects may be extended, upon reasoned request of the coordinator, justifying the extension pled, and accepted by the agency.

II.2. ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

The eligibility criteria listed below are mandatory and their compliance is considered essential for the examination of the proposal, analysis, judgment and framing. The absence or lack of information about any of them may result in disqualification of the proposal

II.2.1. AS THE APPLICANT / TECHNICAL COORDINATOR AND SUPPORT TEAM:

II.2.1.1. The project coordinator shall fulfill the following items and have:

- a. Ph.D. or equivalent profile;
- b. The Curriculum Lattes registered and updated until the deadline for submission of the proposal, according to item II.1.2. REGULATION, and
- c. Formal agreements with the institution of the project.

II.2.1.2. Agreement is formally understood as any form obligation between the proponent, individual, institution and project execution. In the absence of employment or function, the agreement will be characterized by means of the document that proves there is agreement between the applicant and the institution implementing the project for the development of research activity and / or education, a document issued by the competent authority of the institution. This document must be held by the applicant, not being required to remit to CNPq. Examples of agreement, in addition to employment / functional are: visiting researchers, with or without fellowship and young researchers with special and recent grants of doctor, postdoctoral or other, granted by federal or state development of science and technology.

II.2.1.2.1. The link to the Institution of Project Execution must be declared in Lattes, the specific section for this purpose.

II.2.1.3. The retired researcher may submit the proposal at this call, should provide a confirm PhD or equivalent, have the curriculum registered in the Lattes Platform and updated until the deadline for proposal submission, as described in item **II.1.2. REGULATIONS**, provided prove the maintaining academic-scientific statement and present research institution or research and teaching agreeing with project execution. **The tenderer must hold this document, the CNPq referral is not necessary.**

II.2.1.4. The Project Coordinator in Brazil and responsible for sending the proposal will be the bidder who will monitor the fellow and should be:

- a. Representative of the Research Center of MCTI; and / or
- b. Coordinator of National Institute of Science and Technology (INCT) CNPq; and / or
- c. Fellow PQ (research productivity) researcher or a fellow DT (innovative technological development and extension) researcher, category 1 or 2 of CNPq, or equivalent research profile.

II.2.1.5. The applicant for Pesquisador Visitante Especial (Special Visiting Researcher) fellowship at the moment of proposal submission, should:

- a. Reside abroad - the evidence of this requirement should be included the residential and professional address overseas in upgraded Lattes or in the curriculum model (Appendix of this Call), at the time of submission of the proposal;
- b. Present in the Curriculum template or Curriculum Lattes (Call this Annex), history of patent registration and / or publication of scientific and technological impact and / or academic merit awards. This work should be related to the areas covered in the Programa Ciência sem Fronteiras , listed in section I.2.

II.2.1.6. Will be considered updated, Lattes up to one year from the submission of the proposal and the date of its last modification / creation.

II.2.1.7. When submitting the proposal, the proponent must maintain, during execution of the project, all the conditions of qualification, qualification and competence necessary to perfect fulfillment of its object, preserving the registration data updated with relevant records

II.2.1.8. The technical team may be composed of researchers, students and technicians. Other professionals may join the team as collaborators.

II.2.1.9. Only teams who have provided formal written consent should be included on the project, which must be kept in the care of the host researcher.

II.2.1.10. It is mandatory that the members of the technical team characterized as researchers have registered their CVs in the Lattes Platform. This requirement does not apply to foreign researchers; however, it is recommended the registration of Curriculum Lattes to the Special Visiting Researcher fellow within 30 (thirty) days after the effective date of the grant

II.2.1.11. Nominees for fellowships for science or technology must comply with the respective requirements for each mode, described on CNPq website performing activities related to the research project approved under this Call.

II.2.2. REGARDING TO THE PROPOSAL:

II.2.2.1. The project should be clearly characterized as scientific, technological and innovation or framed in the areas covered by the Science Without Borders Program, listed in item 1.2.

II.2.2.2. Proposals should be submitted in the form of a research project. The project must bear the following information in order to allow an adequate assessment by the Judging Committee

- a. summary of the proposed research project, including objectives and targets to be met, with their performance indicators;
- b. implementation schedule of the project and the annual visits of the visiting researcher to the Country;
- c. detailed budget specifying the application of grants for research project;



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- d. level of interest and commitment of companies or institutions with the scope of the proposal, if applicable;
- e. description of the activities to be carried out by other project participants, especially beneficiaries of additional quota(s) charge(s) of the fellowship (sandwich doctorate abroad and Post-Doctorate Junior);
- f. effective availability of infrastructure and technical support for the development of the project, and;
- g. Earning and benefit forecast to the Brazilian institution and the country with the coming of the Special Visiting Researcher (Recommendation Letter).
- h. Should include at the proposal, in its front or back cover, the bond of project coordinator with INCT if the institution of execution is linked to the INCT.

II.2.2.3. The Judging Committee may suggest budget cuts to items not detailed and not justified in the proposal, and CNPq can follow the recommendation of cutting, making adjustments when necessary or restore the original value.

II.2.2.4. The research project may be written in Portuguese or English.

II.2.3 REGARDING THE INSTITUTION OF EXECUTION:

II.2.3.1. The implementing institution is the one where the research project will be developed and will be hereinafter “Institution Project Execution” and should be :

- a. Research Centers of MCTI;
- b. National Institute of Science and Technology (INCT) of CNPq, or
- c. Laboratories, research and development institutes or centers either public or private.

II.2.3.2. The institution of project implementation should be organized under Brazilian laws and have its headquarters and management in Brazil.

II.2.3.3. The home institution of the applicant PVE and the institution of project implementation must be properly registered in the Directory of CNPq Institutions (<http://di.cnpq.br/di/cadi/consultaInst.do>) before submitting the proposal.

II.2.3.4. The institution of project implementation declared in Online Proposal Form should be the same as stated in the research project attached, as item II.2.1.1, point ‘c’ of this REGULATION.

II.3. CRITERIA FOR JUDGING

II.3.1. CNPq will analyze the proposals as item I.6 of the Call. The Proposals that do not meet the criteria of the call will be disqualified.

II.3.2. The following are the criteria for classification of proposals for the technical-scientific merit, to which will be scored from 0 (zero) to 10 (ten) and can be used up to two decimal places:

Analysis Criteria and Judgment			
Item	Criteria	Score	Weight
A	Applicant’s previous experience for Special Visiting Researcher – PVE fellowship in the research project area taking into account the scientific, technological and innovative material for the last five years.	0 - 10	4
B	Merit, originality and relevance of the project for the development of science, technology and innovation in the country, within the areas covered by Programa Ciência sem Fronteiras .	0 - 10	3
C	Coherence and adequacy of the training and experience of the coordinator in Brazil and the project team to the objectives, activities and targets proposed.	0 - 10	2

D	Cooperative actions university / industry and integration in local systems of innovation (innovation projects) or positioning on the frontier of knowledge (basic research projects)	0 - 10	1
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II.3.3. The final score of each project will be measured by the weighted average of the scores assigned to each item.

II.3.4. In case of a tie, it will be given to the project with the highest score in the category A, B, C and D, in that order.

II.4. EVALUATION / ACCOUNTABILITY

II.4.1. When requested by CNPq, the project coordinator should fill out the monitoring and assessment of the research project approved.

II.4.2. Partial reviews and reports, attendance or not, may be requested at the discretion of each agency, in a statement prior to the project coordinators.

II.4.3. Within sixty (60) days after the expiration date of the project, in accordance with the Statement of Acceptance and other provisions of CNPq, the project coordinator must send by Online Form:

II.4.3.1. Financial accountability, with presentation of expense statement in accordance with the standards of Accountability available at the following address:

www.cnpq.br/web/guest/prestacao-de-contas.

II.4.3.2. The final technical report, detailing all activities performed during the project implementation and registration of all events, such as published articles, presentation, workshop, that affect their development.

II.4.3.3. The final technical report must be submitted in Portuguese.

II.5. CLARIFICATIONS AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ABOUT THE CONTENT OF CALL & FILLING THE ONLINE PROPOSAL FORM

II.5.1. Clarifications and additional information about the content of this call related to Line 1 and 2 can be obtained solely through message through the website, <http://www.capes.gov.br/faleconosco> or by phone 0800 61 61 61, option 0, suboption 1.

II.5.2. The service for proponent exclusively with difficulties in accessing or completing the Online Form Proposals will be made by suporte@cienciasemfronteiras.gov.br address or by phone 0800 61 96 97 from Monday to Friday, 8:30 am 6:30 p.m.

II.6 – FOREGOING LAWS:

See at Portuguese version.

II.7 - COORDINATION RESPONSIBLE FOR CALL

Coordination responsibility for the monitoring of this Call is the National Coordination Actions of Science Without Borders Program from CNPq.



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ANNEX - CV Model for the PVE fellowship candidate – Must be filled in absence of Curriculum Lattes of the candidate.

**SCIENCE WITHOUT BORDERS PROGRAM
Foreign Researcher Curriculum Vitae - English**

1. Professional data/activity			
Full name			
E-mail		Date of birth (DD/MM/YYYY)	Country of Birth
Institution			Present position
Department			Start date (month/year)
Office address			P.O. box
City	State/Province	Country of work	Zip code
Phone number ()	Extension	Fax number ()	
2. Academic background			
Degree	Field of knowledge		Start / End date (MM/YYYY) /
	Institution	city	Country
Degree	Field of knowledge		Start / End date /
	Institution	city	Country
Degree	Field of knowledge		Start / End date /
	Institution	city	Country
Degree	Field of knowledge		Start / End date /
	Institution	city	Country
Degree	Field of knowledge		Start / End date /
	Institution	city	Country
3. Research interests			
Field of Study			CNPq use



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4. Current position

Managerial and/or administrative activity

Research and Development

Technical service/specialization	
Others	

5. Work experience

5.1. Institution	Position	Activities	Local	Start/End date

6. Scientific, technological and artistic production

	number		numbe
1. scientific articles in national scientific journals		6. papers presented in congresses, seminars,	
2. scientific articles in international scientific journals		7. participation in expositions, presentations, etc.	
3. articles for scientific divulgement		8. motion pictures, videos, audiovisual and media production	
4. defended theses		9. patents	
5. advised theses		10. books	

7. Main publications:

Relevant publications related to the project

8. Languages

Indicate your language proficiency: P – poor G - good E - excellent



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Language	speaki ng	reading	writing	Language	speaking	readin g	writing