



POSITION OPENING FOR INVITED SCHOLARS FELLOWSHIPS 2013-2014

NEW DEADLINE : The deadline for all applications is <u>December 3rd 2012</u>.

For almost two decades, the High Institute for Latin American Studies (IHEAL) has awarded Fellowships to foreign researchers working in the field of Latin American Studies. Supported by the French Ministry for Higher Education and Research, these Fellowships are meant to foster scientific collaboration, while allowing the IHEAL to create ties with Latin-American Universities and consolidate an international network of high academic standing.

These Fellowships exists to :

▶ Increase collaborative efforts in Research and Education between Latin America and Europe in the field of Social Sciences ;

Introduce students to issues and current debates related to the political, social and cultural field of Latin American Studies ;

▶ Promote interactions with professors and researchers from Latin America in order to increase the exchange of knowledge, experience, pedagogical material - all the while encouraging common academic collaborations (research work, colloquies, courses);

• Create a platform where research studies from both sides of the Atlantic can be analyzed and confronted with one another.

In order to fully participate in the diffusion of knowledge and expertise, collaboration with other research centers, invited scholars and higher education institutes is encouraged (in the form of colloquies, seminars and roundtables).

General Application Policies

1. Fellowship Description

These Fellowships are exclusively reserved for foreign researchers and professors (from North America, South America and Europe) who specialize in the study of Latin-American societies and work in Universities in these regions.

- Simon Bolivar Fellowship (includes all Latin American countries)
- Antonio Nariño (Colombia and Andes countries)
- Pablo Neruda (Chile and countries from the southern tip)
- Alfonso Reyes (México, Central America and the Caribbean)

2. Requirements

a) The candidate must be 65-years-old or less at the time of the Fellowship, must be a Phd recipient and be teaching at the University level at the time of the application submission.

b) The IHEAL encourages candidates to apply for semester-long stays (4 months from September to January or February to June), or for a yearlong period that truly allow the invited scholar to immerse him or herself into the academic life of the University.

c) We ask the invited scholars to teach two classes per semester, each one consisting of 24 to 26 hours (or two hours weekly) depending on the semester. One of these courses is a didactic overview of Latin America (DELA level -fourth year college- and first year of Master's level) while the other is offered to students in the second year of their Research and Professional Master's program. That course's theme will correspond to the field of expertise of the invited scholar. The courses proposed by the candidates can be modified according to the needs of the IHEAL.

d) The IHEAL accepts candidatures from all disciplines within the field of political, historical, social and behavioral sciences. Special attention will be given to the following thematic areas:

- Development Economics
- International Relations
- Latin American History in the Twentieth Century: Andean countries, Central America, The Caribbean.
- Rural development Sociology or Anthropology
- Information and communication technologies

e) Invited scholars are given the opportunity, if requested, to do scientific and academic activities in the others Departments of the Sorbonne Nouvelle University (within Paris 3), as well as in any of the French and European Institutions with which the IHEAL collaborates. **NB. Classes can be taught in Spanish, Portuguese or English.**

3. Applications.

This year, the application process is exclusively online. The process consists of the following two mandatory stages:

1/ **Fill an online form** available at the following web address : http://lnk.nu/docs.google.com/25n0

2/ Send digital copies of the following documents by email at <u>iheal-chaires@univ-paris3.fr</u> :

A cover letter.

An official letter of affiliation from the candidate's current University.

▶ A synthetic résumé (5 pages maximum) including the following information : the candidate's; -University credentials (excluding seminars and programs that were less than a yearlong) ; -professional experience; -research and experience as a professor; -experience in administrative duties and/or participation in research initiatives; -contribution to national or international colloquies. Finally, the résumé must include a list of the candidate's published works (classified first by books, then articles in national and international reviews, research reports, colloquial summaries and synopses of works published in collaborative lectures.) All information must be chronologically ordered with the most recent positions and activities listed first.

Two letters of recommendation.

• A copy of the candidate's PhD diploma.

Three possible courses description with suggested syllabus. Please mention the language in which each class will be taught.

The application (form + email with attached documents) will have to be sent by **December**, **3rd 2012**.

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<u>All</u> application materials must be received by the deadline date. Incomplete or late applications will not be reviewed by the University's Admission Offices.

For additional information, send your requests to:

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