

2023 CALL FOR PROPOSALS

THE INTERNATIONAL POSTDOCTORAL PROGRAM (IPP)

CEBRAP

CHARACTERISTICS AND OBJECTIVES

CEBRAP's International Postdoctoral Program (IPP) is now receiving application from doctors with a Ph.D. in anthropology, political science, demography, law, economics, philosophy, history, and sociology, and whose research interests are aligned with those of CEBRAP's research groups – https://cebrap.org.br/nucleos/

The program is meant to complement the training of doctors by providing them with an interdisciplinary experience and thus enabling them to tackle research topics beyond the boundaries of the fields in which they have been trained. The program also expects that an international group of doctors will allow for a comparative framework in researched topics. As a result, CEBRAP hopes to provide scholars with a broader view of the major issues in our contemporary societies.

The post-doctoral program began in 2016 and draws on CEBRAP's successful previous experience, the Cadre Training Program (1986-2002), which later changed into the Postdoctoral Program (2003-2007), in which 116 young researchers took part. Their success is attested by the large number of both programs' researchers having achieved prominent positions at Brazilian universities and other institutions.

The IPP is in its sixth class (2017-2022). It currently has 20 postdoctoral researchers conducting research in Brazil or at international institutions. To learn more about their work in progress, we invite you to visit the program's website: <u>https://cebrap.org.br/ipp/</u>

HOW THE PROGRAM WORKS

The IPP will select a group of up to 10 doctors from different nationalities, who earned their Ph.D. in Brazil or abroad.

Beginning on August 10th, 2023, the program lasts for at least two years, with the option of a stay at a foreign institution (see below for the list of partner institutions) funded by postdocs' own scholarships. As an option, the researcher can extend his/her participation in the program for up to two extra years.

The post-doctoral program is grounded on research activity. Postdoctoral researchers might develop their project under the supervision of CEBRAP senior researchers (PhDs for over 10 years) and can become part of their research teams, choosing topics related to ongoing studies in the institution (see below for a list of available supervisors and topics). In that case, the candidate's

research proposal will also be evaluated by the supervisor to be indicated by the candidate in the application form.

Postdoctoral researchers will participate in three mandatory and regular activities:

- 1. Weekly research seminar (Thursdays) in which postdocs successively present their initial project, partial results, and a final written product (article, book chapter, book). This seminar aims at following the project development in its several stages: object definition, theoretical approach, research design, research strategies, and partial and final results. The weekly seminars are held remotely (by Zoom) or in a hybrid format so those who do not live in São Paulo can also engage themselves in participating. Seminar attendance is mandatory.
- 2. Once-a-year thematic seminar (August) with the participation of CEBRAP researchers as well as national and international guests. Open to the academic community, the thematic seminar is an occasion for the post-docs to present the results of their work to the public.
- 3. Submission for publication of an article or book at the end of the program.

Postdoctoral researchers should also:

- 1. Be active participants in CEBRAP's collective activities (seminars and debates) as well as in their affiliated research group, if it is the case.
- 2. Present their research proposals in the Weekly Research Seminar before submitting their funding applications.

EVALUATION

The postdoctoral researchers will have their final product (book or article) evaluated by the IPP Academic Committee.

Participants that meet the program's requirements will receive an achievement certificate.

OFFICIAL LANGUAGES OF THE PROGRAM: English and Portuguese

APPLICATION

Required documentation (in English, Portuguese, or Spanish):

- 1. Application form (see the model at https://cebrap.org.br/ipp/);
- 2. Research project (up to 20 pages, including an initial half-page summary);
- 3. Curriculum vitae (up to 4 pages);
- 4. Letter stating the reasons for the candidate's interest in the program (up to 2 pages);
- 5. 1 (one) article or paper, published or unpublished, that the candidate considers the best example of his/her academic production;
- 6. Ph.D. diploma (or equivalent);

- 7. 2 (two) recommendation letters to be sent directly to our email postdoc@cebrap.org.br;
- 8. Proof of English proficiency for fluent reading and speaking: TOEFL or equivalent score over 71, or a statement of advanced knowledge of English, or a description of a significant previous international experience;
- 9. Updated personal profile on the websites Academia.edu and Research Gate.

Documents should be sent to the email postdoc@cebrap.org.br, by March 5th, 2023.

Application Fee:

R\$ 150,00, paid through PayPal, bank deposit, or PIX.

For Paypal, access www.paypal.com and send the payment to: cebrap@cebrap.org.br

Bank transfers should be sent to:

Banco do Brasil Agência 0300-X Conta 10.8440-2 CNPJ: 62.579.164/0001-72 Centro Brasileiro de Análise e Planejamento PIX: postdoc@cebrap.org.br

*Please send the transfer proof to both postdoc@cebrap.org.br and financeiro@cebrap.org.br

SELECTION PROCESS

Class: up to 10 doctors per year.

Selection method:

Partner institutions' candidates will be selected by them – up to 2 postdocs per year per institution.

All other candidates will submit to the following procedures:

First phase (until March 31st, 2023): evaluation of the submitted documentation and research project;

Second phase if necessary (until April 14th, 2023): personal or online interview with the potential supervisor.

Results will be announced up to April 28th, 2023 via email (postdoc@cebrap.org.br). Approved postdoctoral researchers will receive a formal acceptance letter.

Deadline for enrollment fee: May 26th, 2023.

The program starts on August 10th, 2023.

If you have any doubts about the application or the selection processes, please contact us at postdoc@cebrap.org.br.

AFFIRMATIVE ACTION

Two positions will be fulfilled by candidates that declare themselves blacks or descendants of indigenous groups. People applying through this policy will be exempted from the payment of the enrollment fee. If you are eligible to affirmative action and are willing to benefit from it, please indicate this in the application form.

FUNDING

The program operation is funded by CEBRAP and there are no additional charges to postdoctoral researchers. The sole requirement is that postdocs pay the **selection fee** of R\$ 150,00 and the **enrollment fee** of R\$ 1.275,00. No enrollment fee will be required from candidates selected by partner institutions nor from those selected through affirmative action.

The Program does not offer scholarships but gives institutional support for those post-docs willing to apply for Brazilian and foreign funding agencies.

Postdocs living abroad should be provided through their own resources, their institutions of origin, or international funding institutions with official support from CEBRAP.

Postdoctoral researchers living in Brazil, whether Brazilians or foreigners, may resort to their own resources or apply for a national scholarship, with official support from CEBRAP.

Postdoctoral researchers funded by FAPESP (or other funding institution) must meet the rules and requirements of the funding institution as well as the program's norms. For those interested in a scholarship funded by FAPESP, we highly recommend reading the rules at FAPESP's website – <u>https://fapesp.br/en</u>

PARTNER INSTITUTIONS

Freie Universität Berlin (Germany) Käte Hamburger Kolleg/ Centre for Global Cooperation Research (Germany) Institute for Development and Peace (University Duisburg Essen, Germany) Princeton University (EUA) University of Bath (UK) CRBC/Mondes américains – EHESS U Cambridge - Institute for Latin American Studies (UK) Institute of Development Studies –IDS (UK) Brown University (EUA)

SUPERVISORS

These are the supervisors working with the program. They are senior CEBRAP researchers with ten or more years of PhD. Please consider that their availability may change depending on the year.

Adrián Gurza Lavalle

Adrián Gurza Lavalle is a professor in the Department of Political Science at the University of São Paulo (FFLCH-USP). He is a member of the Management Committee for the Centre for the Future State – University of Sussex.

Research areas: associativism and civil society; participative institutions and participation; democratic theory and democratic innovation; representation theories.

Alexandre de Freitas Barbosa

Alexandre de Freitas Barbosa is an Economist with a Masters in Economic History from USP (1997) and a PhD in Applied Economics from UNICAMP (2003). Between 2007 and 2009, he developed his postdoctoral research at CEM/CEBRAP on labor market and social inequalities in Brazil. He teaches Economic History and Brazilian Economics at IEB/USP since 2009 and is currently participating in the Director's Board of ABET (Brazilian Association for Labor Studies).

Research areas: economic and social development in Brazil; international insertion of the Brazilian economy; Brazilian foreign policy and South-South cooperation; Brazil and the BRICS; effects of China's Ascension on Brazil, Brazil-Africa relations.

Alvaro Comin

Comin is a Professor of Sociology at the University of São Paulo, where he got his degree in History and his Masters and PhD in Sociology. He works with labour market and urban development. In addition to other relevant publications, he is the co-author of "Os Cavaleiros do Antiapocalipse: trabalho e política na indústria automobilística" (2000) in partnership with Francisco de Oliveira, and of "Caminhos para o Centro: estratégias de desenvolvimento para a área central de São Paulo" (2004).

Arilson Favareto

Favareto holds a PhD in Environmental Science from the University of São Paulo (2006). He was a visiting researcher at the École des Hautes Études en Sciences Sociales in Paris. He is now a Professor of Economic Analysis from the perspective of Science and Technology at the Federal University of ABC, where he is also a faculty member of the interdisciplinary graduate program on Energy.

Angela Alonso

Angela Alonso is a professor in the Department of Sociology at the University of São Paulo. She is a researcher at CEBRAP and holds a Research Productivity scholarship from CNPq. She holds a Masters (1995) and a PhD (2000) in Sociology from the University of São Paulo and a Post-Doctorate from Yale University (2009-2010). She was a researcher at the Development Research Centre on Citizenship (University of Sussex) between 2000 and 2010 and a Fellow at Guggenheim Foundation

between 2009 and 2010. She is the author of the book Idéias em Movimento: a Geração 1870 na Crise do Brasil-Império (Ideas in Motion: the 1870 Generation in the Brazil-Empire Crisis. Paz & Terra Publishing/Anpocs. 2002; winner of the 2000 CNPq- Anpocs award for best PhD in Social Sciences); and Joaquim Nabuco: os salões e as ruas (Joaquim Nabuco: the salons and the streets (Companhia das letras, 2007; nominated for the Jabuti literary award and the Brazil-Portugal Telecom award).

Research areas: culture and political action; social and cultural movements; slavery abolition and post-abolition.

Fernando Limongi

Fernando Limongi holds a PhD in Political Science from the University of Chicago (USA). He is a Coordinator for the Politics and Society thematic area at CEBRAP and Titular Professor in the Department of Political Science, University of São Paulo.

Research areas: comparative politics; political institutions; elections; executive-legislative relations.

John Sydenstricker Neto

John Sydenstricker Neto holds a PhD in Sociology from Cornell University. John headed and participated in several projects in the field of environmental indicators, particularly in dimensions associated with land use and occupation.

Research areas: development; inequality and the environment; environmental territories and conflicts.

<u>Márcia Lima</u>

Márcia Lima graduated in Social Sciences from the Federal University of Rio de Janeiro (1992). She holds a Masters in Sociology from the Brazilian Society of Education – SBI/IUPERJ (1994) and a PhD in Sociology from the Federal University of Rio de Janeiro (2001). She is currently a Professor of Sociology at the University of São Paulo. She is an Associate Researcher at the Center for Metropolitan Studies (CEM), a program bringing together the University of São Paulo, the Brazilian Center for Analysis and Planning, and the SEADE Foundation. She is also a researcher at the National Institute for Metropolitan Studies (CNPq Program/MCT).

Research areas: racial inequalities and race relations with emphasis on gender and race studies; inequality and social stratification with emphasis on labor market studies.

Marcos Nobre

Marcos Nobre is a Professor in the Department of Philosophy- Unicamp and a researcher at CEBRAP and CNPq. He graduated in Social Sciences at USP, where he also earned a Masters and a PhD in Philosophy. He conducted his postdoctoral studies at the Johann Wolfgang Goethe University, Frankfurt in Main, Germany. He regularly comments on politics in different Medias.

Research areas: critical theory; Brazilian politics; German idealism.

Maria Hermínia Tavares de Almeida

Maria Hermínia Tavares de Almeida is senior researcher at CEBRAP and retired titular professor from the Department of Political Science at FFLCH-USP and from the International Relations Institute, working in the International Relations and Political Science Postgraduate Programs at USP. She graduated in Social Sciences from the University of São Paulo (1969), holds a PhD in Political Science from the University of São Paulo (1979) and a post-doctorate from the University of California, Berkeley (1984). Among her publications is the book Crise econômica e interesses organizados (Economic crisis and organized interests - EDUSP) and the article "Privatization: reform through negotiation." She was a director of the International Relations Institute at USP (2010-2013). She was a visiting researcher in the Institute of Latin American Studies at London University (1992), Tinker Visiting Professor in Stanford University (1996), visiting professor in the Latin America Doctoral Program at the Ortega y Gasset Institute (2000, 2001 and 2002), visiting Professor in the Department of Political Science at Université de Montréal (2006), and a visiting researcher in the King's College Institute Brazil, University of London (2012). She participated in the Executive Committee of the Latin American Studies Association (2001-2004), the Executive Committee of the International Political Science Association (2006-2009), and was president of the Brazilian Association of Political Science (2004-2008) and the Latin American Studies Association (2010 -2012). She is currently a member of the Brazil Institute Advisory Board and the Latin American Program at the Woodrow Wilson Center for Scholars (Washington), the Council of Eminent Persons of the World Bank Chief Economist, and the Academic Commission of the European Union-Latin America and the Caribbean Foundation (EU-LAC Foundation). She was awarded by the president with the National Order of Scientific Merit, in the Comendador category (2006) and received the Academic Excellence Award in Political Science from ANPOCS (2013).

Research areas: public policy; public opinion and foreign policy.

Miriam Dolhnikoff

Miriam Dolhnikoff holds PhD in History from FFLCH-USP. She is a Professor in the Department of History at FFLCH-USP.

Research Area: Brazil's political history in the nineteenth century.

Nadya Araujo Guimarães

Nadya Araujo Guimarães holds a PhD in Sociology from the Universidad Nacional Autonoma of Mexico, a Post-doctorate from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. She is a Professor in the Department of Sociology at USP.

Research areas: economic change; technical-organizational restructuring of firms and workers' trajectories; gender and racial-ethnic inequalities in the labor market and workplace; unemployment, job search and intermediation mechanisms of occupational opportunities; the challenges in theorizing new employment relationships.

Paula Montero

Paula Montero holds a BA in Psychology from the University Réné Descartes Sorbonne and a BA in Social Sciences from Universite Paris VII – Vincennes. She holds a Masters in Social Anthropology from Universite Paris VII and a PhD in Anthropology from the University of São Paulo. She presided CEBRAP between 2011-2015, where she is a coordinator of the Culture and Public Space Thematic Area. She is an associate-coordinator of the Research Foundation of the State of São Paulo and Titular Professor in the Anthropology department at the University of Sao Paulo.

Research areas: anthropology; political anthropology; religions and the public sphere.

Ronaldo de Almeida

Ronaldo de Almeida holds a BA in Social Sciences, a Masters in Social Anthropology from Unicamp, and a PhD in Social Anthropology from USP. He recently completed his Post-Doctorate at the École des Hautes Études en Sciences Sociales in Paris. He is currently an associate professor in the Department of Anthropology at Unicamp, coordinator at PGAS-Unicamp, and researcher at the Brazilian Center for Analysis and Planning.

Research areas: religion; urban violence.

Sérgio Costa

Sérgio Costa graduated in Economics from the Federal University of Minas Gerais (1985). He holds a Masters in Sociology from the Federal University of Minas Gerais (1991) as well as a Ph.D. (1996) and a full professorship in Sociology from the Free University of Berlin, Germany. He is a titular professor of sociology at the Free University of Berlin and a researcher at CEBRAP. He was an associate professor at the Federal University of Santa Catarina (1997-1999), Assistant Professor at the Free University of Berlin (2000-2005), and visiting Professor at the University of Flensburg, Germany (2006-2007).

Research areas: social inequality; law and ethnicity; racism and anti-racism; postcolonial theories.

Vera Schattan P. Coelho

Vera Schattan P. Coelho holds a Ph.D. in Social Sciences from the State University of Campinas (1996). She coordinates the Citizenship and Development Research Center at CEBRAP. She was a visiting researcher at the Torquato di Tella University (Argentina, 2000), at the Institute for Development Studies/University of Sussex (England, 2004), and at the Kennedy School/Harvard University (USA, 2009).

Research areas: population and public policies; citizenship, health, and development.