



Tor Vergata Economics Foundation (FUET)

Research Fellowship in “**Far East Industrial Analysis**”

Call for Applications

Tor Vergata Economics Foundation is pleased to invite applications for its joint fellowship in “Far East Industrial Analysis”. The fellowship is aimed at developing a research activity on Economics, Industrial Policies, Business, and Competitive Analysis for the Far East countries. The research will be held within the research activity of the Tor Vergata Economics Foundation. The fellowship starts approximately on 20th May 2015 and involves a full time job during 12 months.

Participation requirements

The successful candidate will possess skills in Economics and Industrial Economics.

Applicants must hold

- 1) A Degree in Economics, Management, Engineering Management, or equivalent;
- 2) A Master Degree (or a PhD), obtained or expected to obtain by March 2015, in Economics (Industrial Economics), Business and Management, or Engineering Management;
- 3) Previous work or research experience in Industrial Economics; Business analysis and/or previous studies on the Far East region;
- 4) Good English communication skills (written and spoken) and at least basic knowledge of Italian.

Grant

The gross amount of the grant is 20.000,00 Euros for a full-time job.

Research topic

Far East countries have shown very high growth rates in the years 2000-2010. The strength of the Asian countries is the increasing economic integration through specific bilateral agreements (e.g. Free Trade Agreements). This integration has fostered a significant international network for the production of parts and components, in particular in the fields of mechanics and electronics. Over the past 10 years, the trade between Far East Asian countries has been positively affected by structural interventions. In particular, many countries have planned in their roadmap infrastructural and logistics expansions.

Europe has ongoing negotiations for partnership with the various countries in the Far East Asia. However, the industrial growth of Italian companies in the area is not systematic and our export flows to the area are just over 1 percent of Italian exports. The research topic will focus on the strategies for

internationalization in the Far East Area for Italian Companies and the impact of EU efforts in industrial policies to improve trading agreements in the Far East region.

Place of work

The research activity will be carried out in Rome, in the premises of Tor Vergata Economics Foundation, School of Economics, University of Rome Tor Vergata, via Columbia, 2 – 00133 Rome;

How to apply

Application must be accompanied by the following documents (in PDF format):

- a) a detailed Curriculum Vitae with European Community standards, with the indication of the official candidate's e-mail address and phone number;
- b) a copy of the Master (or PhD) certificate;
- c) a copy of a currently valid identification document; d) an abstract of the Master (or PhD) dissertation in maximum one page;
- e) a synthesis of last research activities developed by the candidate, related to the research topic proposed; f) a motivational letter (and, if available, one or more reference letters). The Scientific Committee may exclude at any time candidates lacking application requirements.

Completed application must be sent in a compressed folder by e-mail to:

segreteria.fondazione@economia.uniroma2.it

Applicants will be notified when their application has been received.

Application deadline: application – completed with the accompanying documentation – must be submitted by **May 11th , 12:00 AM**.

Scientific Committee

The Scientific Committee will be responsible for the selection process and will identify the successful candidate of the fellowship. The Scientific Committee is composed by three members belonging to the Tor Vergata Economics Foundation of the University of Rome "Tor Vergata". The selection process will be based on two steps: first, the evaluation of education titles; second, for the selected applicants an interview will be done.