FAQ

CALL FOR THE FUNDING OF JOINT RESEARCH PROJECTS
FOR THE MOBILITY OF THE XXXII AND XXXIII CYCLE PhD STUDENTS

1. Who can apply?
Applications can be submitted by any professor from Sapienza with the role of “scientific responsible” of the joint project.

2. Must the professor who submits the application be the supervisor of one of the PhD students involved?
No, it is not mandatory.

3. What is a joint project?
A “Joint project” is a research project carried out jointly by a group of PhD students and involves mobility.

4. What is an acronym?
An acronym is a name formed by the initials of multiple words, e.g. ERC (European Research Council).

5. What is the Hosting Institution?
The Hosting Institution refers to the foreign institution where each PhD student involved in the joint project will carry out his/her research study.

6. Can the Hosting Institution be a non-academic institution?
Yes, it is possible. Intersectoral projects towards non-academic HIs are encouraged.

7. Is the grant compatible with the integration for mobility?
Yes, the grant is compatible with this integration.

8. When can the research period start and when must it end?
From 1 March 2019 to 31 October 2019.

9. Is it possible to stay for a longer period at one’s own expenses?
Yes, it is possible.

10. Can the students involved (min. 2, max. 5) be enrolled in different PhD courses?
Yes, the interdisciplinarity of the joint project is encouraged.
11. Must the PhD students’ group travel at the same time and for the same amount of months?
   No, it is not mandatory.

12. What is the deadline for submitting the application?
   Projects can be submitted no later than 12.00 p.m. (midday) on September 14th 2018.

13. When will the ranking be available and where?
   The ranking will be available on the call website by the end of December 2018.

14. If I win the grant, is it possible to reduce the period of stay?
   Yes, the period of stay can be reduced, but it cannot be shorter than 3 months.

15. Can I apply for a period of stay of less than three months?
   No, the grants have a duration of minimum 3 months up to maximum 6 months.