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Internal Call 04 – PROPESPG / Visiting Professor Destination Brazil (CALL NOTICE No. 04/2026 - BLUE-LINK Network)

2027-1 Schedule

The Office of the Provost for Research and Graduate Studies of the Federal University of Amapá – UNIFAP, in the exercise of its duties, hereby makes this internal call public in compliance with the provisions of [Call Notice No. 4/2026](#) of the BLUE-LINK Network. This internal call aims to qualify candidates for the allocation of Visiting Professor in Brazil scholarship quotas, to work effectively in the UNIFAP Graduate Programs participating in the BLUE-LINK Network of the CAPES Global.edu Program (<https://capesglobal.furg.br/>).

1. GENERAL CONDITIONS

1.1 This Internal Call follows the regulations established in [Call Notice No. 4/2026](#) of the BLUE-LINK Network and publicizes the selection process for the allocation of scholarships for Visiting Professor in Brazil within the UNIFAP Graduate Programs participating in the BLUE-LINK Network, as shown in the table:

Themes	Participating Graduate Programs			
	Tropical Biodiversity	Environmental Sciences	Sustainable Amazon Development	Pharmaceutical Innovation
Biodiversity & Biotechnology	✓	✓	✓	✓
Climate Change	✓	✓	✓	
Food Security	✓	✓	✓	

1.2 The requirements and responsibilities of the parties, as well as the list of mandatory documentation for application, must strictly follow the provisions of [Call Notice No. 4/2026](#) of the BLUE-LINK Network. The selection process will be carried out in three phases.

I - In the **first phase**, each participating Graduate Program (GP) must establish a specific Selection Committee to conduct the selection process within the Program, or use the existing scholarship selection committee, when available. The Committee shall be responsible for analyzing applications, evaluating candidates according to the criteria established in this Call, and preparing the ranking of candidates in descending order of score.



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II - In the **second phase**, the UNIFAP Steering Committee will consolidate the institutional result, preparing the overall ranking of candidates based on the scores submitted by the GPs, observing the classification in descending order of score within each theme and the scholarship distribution provided for in [Call Notice No. 4/2026](#), resulting in the publication of the **UNIFAP Institutional Preliminary Result**.

III - In the **third phase**, the Institutional Preliminary Result will be forwarded to the Steering Committee of the BLUE-LINK Network, which is responsible for analyzing, approving, and publishing the **Network Final Result**, in accordance with the rules and procedures established by the Network.

1.3 Qualification of the candidate by the PPG and UNIFAP does not guarantee approval of the scholarship; approval of the BLUE-LINK Network final result is the responsibility of its Steering Committee, which will verify whether all regulations defined in [Call Notice No. 4/2026](#) of the BLUE-LINK Network have been met.

2. NUMBER AND DURATION OF SCHOLARSHIPS OFFERED BY UNIFAP

2.1 Number of available scholarships, by BLUE-LINK Network Theme:

- I - **Biodiversity and biotechnology focused on the blue economy and its management:** 3 (three) scholarships, lasting 15 days; (Participating Graduate Programs: Graduate Program in Pharmaceutical Innovation; Graduate Program in Tropical Biodiversity; Graduate Program in Sustainable Amazon Development; Graduate Program in Environmental Sciences);
- II - **Climate change, extreme events, and their socio-environmental impacts on estuarine, coastal, and oceanic ecosystems:** 1 (one) scholarship, lasting 1 month; (Participating Graduate Programs: Graduate Program in Tropical Biodiversity; Graduate Program in Sustainable Amazon Development; Graduate Program in Environmental Sciences);
- III - **Food safety and quality based on estuarine, coastal, and oceanic natural resources:** 1 (one) scholarship, lasting 1 month; (Participating Graduate Programs: Graduate Program in Tropical Biodiversity; Graduate Program in Sustainable Amazon Development; Graduate Program in Environmental Sciences).

2.2 Applications must be limited to the themes in which the Graduate Program participates;

2.3 Scholarships may not be transferred between themes;



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2.4 According to the CAPES schedule, the scholarships shall begin, without exception, on the first day of the month from **March to June 2027**.

3. APPLICATION

3.1 Candidates must submit their applications through the e-mail address defined by each Graduate Program of interest, including the documentation required in [Call Notice No. 4/2026](#) of the BLUE-LINK Network, sent to the e-mail address of the Graduate Program of interest listed below, with the subject line: “**Application Internal Call 04/2026 - PVB**”.

3.2 All requirements and documents listed in [Call Notice No. 4/2026](#) of the BLUE-LINK Network are conditions for application.

3.3 Official e-mail addresses and web pages of the Graduate Programs participating in this Call:

I - Graduate Program in Tropical Biodiversity (coord.ppgbio@unifap.br) (website: www.ppgbio.unifap.br)

II - Graduate Program in Pharmaceutical Innovation (ppgif@unifap.br / farmacos@unifap.br) (website: <https://www2.unifap.br/ppgdif/>)

III - Graduate Program in Sustainable Amazon Development (ppgdas@unifap.br) (website: www2.unifap.br/ppgdas/)

IV - Graduate Program in Environmental Sciences (ppgca@unifap.br) (website: ppgca.unifap.br)

4. RANKING BY THE GRADUATE PROGRAM AND EVALUATION CRITERIA

4.1 Each Graduate Program (GP) must establish a specific selection committee for this purpose, composed of faculty members affiliated with the Program.

4.2 All requirements and documents listed in [Call Notice No. 4/2026](#) of the BLUE-LINK Network are conditions for internal application within the GP.

4.3 The GP is responsible for all stages of the internal selection process, which must use the evaluation criteria defined in item 7 of [Call Notice No. 4/2026](#), assuming full responsibility for the analysis and publication of all stages.

4.4 Each GP is responsible for keeping, for 5 years, all candidate documents and minutes related to the internal selection process, and the BLUE-LINK Network Steering Committee may request such documents for approval of the Network final result.

4.5 Once the internal selection process is completed, the GP coordination must send the following documents to the UNIFAP Steering Committee at capessglobal.dpg@unifap.br within the deadline established in the schedule of this Call:

I – The result of the selection process exclusively in the spreadsheet made available by the UNIFAP Steering Committee, with all information completed, including the approval or rejection of applications for affirmative action vacancies; and



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II - All mandatory application documents, according to item 6.1 of [Call Notice No. 4/2026](#), in a single PDF file for each candidate, and in the same sequence defined in item 6.1 of [Call Notice No. 4/2026](#).

4.6 Failure to receive the properly completed documentation by the UNIFAP Steering Committee within the stipulated deadline will result in the exclusion of the GP candidates from the selection process, with no right to appeal.

5. DISTRIBUTION OF SCHOLARSHIPS BY THE UNIFAP STEERING COMMITTEE AND APPROVAL BY THE NETWORK STEERING COMMITTEE

5.1 Upon receipt of the results of the selection processes from the Graduate Programs, the UNIFAP Steering Committee will distribute the scholarships by theme, using the following criteria, in this order of priority:

I - Descending order of score.

II - In the event of a tie among candidates competing for the scholarships available for each theme, the highest score on the curriculum vitae will be used as the tie-breaking criterion.

5.2 Approved candidates not awarded UNIFAP scholarships will remain in the general BLUE-LINK Network selection process as alternates and may be awarded scholarships not used by the other institutions, according to the criteria listed in section 7.6 of [Call Notice No. 4/2026](#) of the BLUE-LINK Network, observing the provisions of section 2.3 of this Call.

5.3 The final result of the scholarship distribution by the BLUE-LINK Network will be published at <https://capesglobal.furg.br/>

6. APPEALS

6.1 Appeals against the results of the internal selection processes within the Graduate Programs must be sent by the candidate to the e-mail address of the respective coordination office, observing the deadlines established in the schedule.

6.2 Appeals against the institutional result will be received by the UNIFAP Steering Committee at capesglobal.dpg@unifap.br, observing the deadlines established in the schedule.

6.3 Appeals against the BLUE-LINK Network preliminary result will be received by the BLUE-LINK Network Steering Committee at capesglobal@furg.br, observing the deadlines established in the schedule.

7. OBLIGATIONS OF THE SCHOLARSHIP HOLDER AFTER RETURNING TO THE COUNTRY OF ORIGIN



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7.1 After returning to the country of origin, the scholarship holder shall:

I – submit the accountability report to CAPES;

II – send to capessglobal.dpg@unifap.br a final activity report, within a maximum period of 30 (thirty) days from the return date, containing, in no more than 5 pages, at least the following items: description of activities, submission or publication of an article, patent filing, presentation of work at events, and submission or publication of chapters/books, as well as the form of sharing the knowledge acquired with students and faculty members of the Network.

III – make at least one online presentation to share the knowledge acquired in Network seminars and workshops;

IV – present online, when requested by the UNIFAP Steering Committee, the sharing of knowledge at the UNIFAP Internationalization event following the scholarship holder's return to Brazil (details of the internationalization event will be announced in due course); and

V – contribute to multilingual scientific communication activities online.

8. SCHEDULE

8.1 This Internal Call will be carried out according to the following schedule:

Stage	Deadlines	Responsible Party
Application period in the GP	From July 21 to August 30, 2026	Candidate
Approval of applications	September 1, 2026	GP
Internal selection of candidates in the GP	From September 2 to 9, 2026	GP Selection Committee
GP internal preliminary result	September 10, 2026	GP
Appeal period	September 11, 2026	Candidate
GP internal final result	By September 16, 2026	GP
Institutional preliminary result	September 21, 2026	UNIFAP Steering Committee (https://www2.unifap.br/dpg/category/capesglobal/)
Appeal period	September 22, 2026	Candidate
Institutional final result	By September 24, 2026	UNIFAP Steering Committee (https://www2.unifap.br/dpg/category/capesglobal/)



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Submission of information on approved candidates by theme to the BLUE-LINK Network Steering Committee	September 25, 2026	UNIFAP Steering Committee
Approval and publication of the Network preliminary result	October 2, 2026	BLUE-LINK Network Steering Committee (https://capesglobal.furg.br/)
Filing an appeal against the Network preliminary result	October 5, 2026, until 11:59 p.m. (Brasília time)	Candidate
Publication of the Network final result	October 9, 2026	BLUE-LINK Network Steering Committee (https://capesglobal.furg.br/)
Nomination of selected candidates in the CAPES system	October 12 to 30, 2026	Theme Coordinator
Start of activities in Brazil	Between March and June 2027	Scholarship Holder

9. FINAL PROVISIONS

9.1 Participation in this Internal Call implies full acceptance of its rules and of the rules set forth in [Call Notice No. 4/2026](#) of the BLUE-LINK Network.

9.2 Any questions must be addressed to the coordination offices of the participating Graduate Programs.

9.3 Omitted cases shall be resolved by the UNIFAP Steering Committee and by the BLUE-LINK Network Steering Committee.

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