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**CALL N.º 05/2017-DGP/UNIFAP INTERNATIONAL SELECTION PROCESS FOR  
THE PROFESSIONAL MASTER COURSE IN BORDER STUDIES**

The Federal University of Amapá (UNIFAP), through the Department of Postgraduate Studies (DPG), hereby publishes, through this Call, the norms of the International Selection Process of the Postgraduate Program (Professional Master's Degree) in Border Studies (PS-PPGEF). The Program has Border and Society as its area of concentration, divided into two lines of research: State, Borders and Public Policies; and Culture, Society and Borders.

## **1 GENERAL PROVISIONS**

1.1 Admission to the Professional Master in Border Studies will be made by the selection process in accordance with this call.

1.2 Registration for the selection process will be held from **23/10/2017 to 13/11/2017**.

1.3 The completion of the selection process will be responsibility of the Board of PPGEF, which will constitute a Committee of the selection process.

1.4 The selection process will be carried out in 4 (four) steps.

1.5 May join the master's candidates who, **until the date of registration**, have completed an undergraduate degree recognized by the Ministry of Education of Brazil or in the case of foreigners, have recognition in educational institution and by the Brazilian Embassy of their respective countries.

1.6 The future graduates of this course will be awarded the Diploma of **Master in Border Studies**.

## **2 REGISTRATION**

2.1 Registration must be made from **October 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2017 until November, 13<sup>th</sup>** of the same year, by completing the online registration form at the electronic address [www.unifap.br/depsec](http://www.unifap.br/depsec)

2.1.1 At the time of registration, all candidates must sign a specific document accepting all the terms of this call.

2.2 The correct completion of the registration form is the sole responsibility of the candidate, who must verify that all the requirements to attend the PPGEF selection process are fulfilled.

2.3 The registration of the applicant will imply knowledge and acceptance of the rules for PS-PPGEF / 2018 contained in this Call and other subsequent communications / corrections published on the website [www.unifap2.br/dpg](http://www.unifap2.br/dpg), which cannot be claimed ignorance of.

2.4 The applicant shall be responsible for the veracity of all information given and the authenticity of all documents submitted and will be responsible for any errors or omissions,



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under penalty of having the registration invalidated or being expelled from the course at any time it is detected.

2.5 When completing the application form, the candidate must indicate the research line to which he / she will apply.

### **3 THE VACANCIES**

3.1 For the international selection process of 2018 under the terms of this notice, 4 (four) vacancies will be offered, from with 1 (one) vacancy for English-language speakers and 3 for French-language speakers. If one or more of these vacancies are not filled, the program reserves the right to use them or not to complete the total number of vacancies offered in general.

### **4 THE SELECTION PROCESS**

4.1 The admission will be made through a selective process composed of the following steps:

- Step 1 - **Analysis of the Pre-project of research** (Annex A). (Eliminatory and Classificatory / weight 2 / grade  $\geq 7.0$ ): refers to the reading and appreciation of the constituent elements of the Pre-Project, and must have direct adherence to one of the programs research lines (Annex B).

***Line 1 State, Border and Public Policy*** - This line proposes to work on the international processes, interests and strategies applied by public-private actors involved in the formulation and implementation of public policies, with the main focus of analysis being the Amazonian-Caribbean border areas, especially those in the Guyana region and the construction of the public agenda on border issues. Interests understanding the actors involved and the results of the negotiation process in the Amazon region in order to collaborate in the training of professionals and agents active in shaping the decision-making process and its implementation. Issues related to peace, defense, international security, internal-external geopolitics, with regard to their formulation and execution are the main concerns of this line of research.

***Line 2 Culture, Society and Border*** - This line of research emphasizes social, environmental, ethnic, cultural, and migratory issues in the international context of the Amazon border regions and the Guianas, giving priority to the points of view of inter and trans-national and cross-border agents and agencies. Interests to work with non-state forms of development and socio-political and socio-cultural organization. The works will observe the common dimension, in different environments, presented between traditional and cosmopolitan societies, urban or rural, in border regions, as well as indigenous cultures, african-american, african-indigenous and other traditional peoples of the Amazon region (peasantry



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communities, extractive populations, coastal, fishermen and maroon), which in turn impact on border dynamics.

The faculty of the program can be consulted on the website: <http://www2.unifap.br/ppgef/>

- Step 2 - **Written test** (Annex D). (Eliminatory and Classificatory / weight 3 / grade  $\geq 7.0$ ). It will be held in English or French, not being allowed consultation. It will consist of three questions, one about International Relations Theory and Border Theory, for all the candidates, and two on the specific subject of the chosen research line. In the latter case, applicants only will answer the question about the chosen research field. The test will not be identified with the name of the candidate, only with the registration number. It will not be allowed to use cell phones or electronic devices while performing the test. The maximum duration of the test will be 3 (three) hours. The written test will be held at the following addresses:

#### HAITI

Brazil-Haiti Cultural Center(CCBH)

Street corner of Goulard and Darguin, number 168, Pétion-Ville, Haiti

Phone: (509) 3905-5033 (509) 4469-6446

Responsible for implementing the test: Werner Garbers Elias Pereira (Diretor of CCBH)

#### SURINAME

Institute of International Relations, Adekus, University Campus, Leysweg, Paramaribo, Suriname.

Responsible for implementing the test: Ruben Martoredjo (rsmarto@gmail.com)

Phone. #8602727

#### GUIANA FRANCESA (FRANÇA)

Campus de Troubiran BP 20792 – 97337 Cayennecedex | Tél. (standard) : 0594 29 79 10.

Rosuel LIMA-PEREIRA . rdlp23@hotmail.com

- Step 3 - Interview (Eliminatory and Classificatory / weight 3 / grade  $\geq 7.0$ ): concerns the dialogue between the Professors of each Line of Research and the candidate approved in the previous phases, within the time delimited by the Examining Bank. The dialogue and interview evaluation guide is in Annex C. The interviews for the selection process in Suriname, Haiti and French Guiana will be made by videoconference and will follow the criteria of annex C.

- Step 4 - Curriculum Assessment (Classificatory / weight 2): includes the evaluation and verification of academic titles, research activities and intellectual production, referring to the



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last 5 (five) years, and will be carried out according to the Curriculum Evaluation Guide (Annex E).

The Curriculum and supporting documents must be submitted to the following e-mail addresses: [ppgef@unifap.br](mailto:ppgef@unifap.br); [editalinternacionalppgef@gmail.com](mailto:editalinternacionalppgef@gmail.com). The candidate must identify the subject of the e-mail with: “Currículo PPGEF/2017”.

4.2 The final result will be established by the weighted average between the eliminatory and the qualifying phases, with the candidate being classified according to the amount of vacancy (ies) offered per research line, whose formula used will be:

**Weighted average:** (Pre-Project X 2 + Written test X 3 + Interview X 3 + Curriculum X 2) / 10

## **5 PROFICIENCY IN PORTUGUESE**

5.1 **Foreign candidates must take the Portuguese proficiency test.** The text should be a subject of Border Studies. The test will not be identified with the name of the candidate, only with his registration number. The use of cellular devices, electronic equipment or dictionary will not be allowed during the test. The maximum duration of the test will be 2 (two) hours. Proficiency in Portuguese is MANDATORY for the registration of the candidate.

5.2 The candidate who does not present proficiency examination at the time of enrollment will be ELIMINATED;

5.3 The program will also accept the Certificate of Proficiency in Portuguese for Foreigners (CELPE-BRAS) with basic, intermediate level or higher.

## **6 APPEAL**

6.1 Administrative appeals will be accepted, without suspensive effect, for all phases of the selection process, until 18h on the second business day after the disclosure of the respective stage, only through the e-mail addresses: [ppgef@unifap.br](mailto:ppgef@unifap.br); [editalinternacionalppgef@gmail.com](mailto:editalinternacionalppgef@gmail.com)

6.1.1 To appeal, the candidate must complete the administrative appeal form, contained in Annex F of this Call and send it to the President of the Commission of this Selection Process. The e-mail shall be identified with the subject “Recurso PPGEF 2017”.



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6.2 The appeal must be individual, with precise indication of what the applicant considers to be prejudicial, and reasoned, proving the allegations, adding, whenever possible, documents and / or supporting evidence.

6.3 The request for an appeal that is unfounded or submitted after the deadline stipulated in item 6.1 or not subscribed by the candidate himself will be dismissed, at the outset.

6.4 All resources will be analyzed by the Selection Committee and the results will be made available at the PPGEF Secretariat.

6.5 In no case will requests for review of results of the appeal be accepted.

6.6 Appeals whose content disregards the Selection Committee will be rejected outright.

## **7 FINAL CLASSIFICATION**

7.1 The final classification will be computed in descending order obeying the weighted average of item 4.2 of this call.

7.2 In the event of a tie, the tie-break criteria shall be in the following order:

- a) Higher note of the written exam;
- b) Higher note of the research project proposal;
- c) Oldest Candidate.

7.2 Applicants will be accepted on the course according to the order and number of places available in this call. The final result of the Final Classification will be published in the pages of DEPSEC ([depsec.unifap.br](http://depsec.unifap.br)), UNIFAP ([www.unifap.br](http://www.unifap.br)) and DPG ([www2.unifap.br/dpg](http://www2.unifap.br/dpg)) until December 7<sup>th</sup>, 2017.



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## 8. CALENDAR

8.1 All steps are described in the summary table below, and the times and places of application will be published on the website [www2.unifap.br/dpg](http://www2.unifap.br/dpg).

Table 1 - Calendar Synthesis

Etapa	Data
Registration	<b>23/10 to 13/11/2017</b>
Acceptedregistrations	<b>16 /11 /2017</b>
Resultado of the project analysis	<b>Until 21/11/2017</b>
Writtentest	<b>24/11/2017</b>
Proficiency in Portuguese Test	<b>24/11/2017</b>
Resultado f the written test	<b>Until 27 /11/2017</b>
Interview and curriculum analisys	<b>29/11/2017</b>
PreliminaryResult	<b>Until 04/12/2017</b>
Final Result	<b>Until 07/12/2017</b>

8.2 At all stages of the process, candidates must present themselves with an identification document and at least 30 minutes in advance, and the candidate is not allowed to enter after the beginning of the tests.

## 9 ENROLLMENT

9.1 The approved candidate must register in the Master's Degree in Border Studies with the Department of Registration and Academic Control (DERCA) of this University, on a date to be published online.

9.2 The applicant that, within the registration period, does not meet the previously specified documentation requirements, cannot enroll. In this case, the result obtained by the candidate in the selection process object of this Call becomes ineffective.

9.3 The limit for the delivery of the certificate of proficiency is at the time of enrollment. The absence of this certificate will imply in the ELIMINATION of the candidate according to item 5.1 and 5.2 of this call.



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## **10 FINAL PROVISIONS**

10.1 The registration of the candidate implies acceptance by him or her of the rules and instructions for the selection process contained in this call and in the communications already issued or that will become public.

10.2 The rules foreseen in this call may be changed before the tests, by re-publishing the item or items that may have been amended, altered or supplemented.

10.3 The selection exam will only be valid for the Course that will start in 2018.

10.4 The documents that instruct applications for registration will be returned only to applicants upon written request.

10.5 The documentation of applicants who do not request a return will be discarded after the close of the first registration period.

10.6 The number of classified may be equal to or less than the number of vacancies offered.

10.7 The start of the activities is expected to be **March 2018**.

10.8 The missing cases will be solved by the Selection Committee of this Selection Process.

10.9 Information can be obtained via e-mail: [ppgef@unifap.br](mailto:ppgef@unifap.br).

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