

Within the framework of the university-wide initiative “[Research for Global Challenges](#)”, [Ca' Foscari University of Venice](#) is seeking applications to fill permanent, full-time positions in various fields. **Eligible applicants must have been employed as permanent faculty members or research staff by a foreign university or research institute for at least three consecutive years by the time of the call deadline.**

We seek individuals with a strong research commitment, an outstanding portfolio of international publications, and a proven teaching record in the field associated with the post. Experience in leading research groups, conducting/coordinating international projects, and a proven attitude to raise research funding are highly valued.

Knowledge of the Italian language although considered a practical advantage, is not required. Fluency in written and spoken English is required. Regular duties include an annual teaching load of 90 to 120 class hours, corresponding to three to four courses (these are usually allocated so as to leave one free term for research work). Service for the Department includes mentoring students.

Available positions include:

A) Tenure track assistant professor / Tenured Associate professor in Data Science

We encourage applications from candidates with strong scientific expertise in methods for analysing large and complex data sets, experience in data management and analysis technique, in machine learning and data mining algorithms, and in statistical and mathematical tools for data analytics. We welcome candidates with the ability to cross specific disciplinary boundaries and evaluate the long-term prospects of the research agenda. The call is open to scholars with different backgrounds, including but not limited to Computer Science, Computer Engineering, Information Science, and Statistics. A Ph.D. in a relevant field of study is required.

Full details about the post at the following link

https://www.researchgate.net/job/872448_Assistant_tenure-track_Associate_Professor_tenured-Data_Science

B) Tenure track assistant professors / Tenured Associate professor in Welfare Studies in Developed and Developing Countries

We encourage applications from candidates with an innovative research agenda in comparative social and welfare policy; comparative household policies, welfare policies, fertility decisions and family life, from a sociological, anthropological, political, economic perspective and/or from a perspective of social history. Within these fields, we welcome applications from scholars engaged on the relationship between family and welfare in comparative perspective, integration and migration with a particular focus on the Mediterranean, gender and childhood studies; social protection and social security. Interest and expertise in interdisciplinary research is highly relevant to the post, with a particular focus on Sociology, Anthropology, History but also Political Economy and Economics. The interdisciplinary nature of this position requires also knowledge of institutional and economic features of the welfare systems in developed and/or developing countries. The candidate will interact with colleagues in fields such as Economics, History, Statistics and Econometrics, Sociology, Anthropology, Political Science. A Ph.D. in a relevant field of study is required.

Full details about the post at the following link

https://www.researchgate.net/job/872443_Assistant_tenure-track_or_Associate_Professor_tenured-Welfare_Studies_in_Developed_and_Developing_Countries

C) Tenure track assistant professors / Tenured Associate professor in Negotiation and Conflict Resolution

We encourage applications from candidates with a focus on managerial applications such as bargaining, corporate culture, dispute resolution, strategic competition in diverse environments. We welcome the ability to cross disciplinary boundaries and we will evaluate the long-term potential of the research agenda. The candidate will co-operate in a stimulating and diverse research environment, bringing together scholars from different fields with dedicated support from the initiative. The call is open to scholars with different backgrounds including (but not

limited to) Business Studies, Political Science, Game Theory, Behavioral Sciences. A Ph.D. in a relevant field of study is required.

Full details about the post at the following link

https://www.researchgate.net/job/872445_Assistant_tenure-track_or_Associate_Professor_tenured-Negotiation_and_Conflict_Resolution

D) Tenure track assistant professors / Tenured Associate professor in Computational Economics and Complex Systems

We encourage applications from candidates with a focus on computational economics/finance, risk mitigation/management, complex networks and graph theory and their application to the analysis of large social and economic systems.

We welcome the ability to cross disciplinary boundaries and we will evaluate the long-term potential of the research agenda. The candidate will co-operate in a stimulating and diverse research environment, bringing together scholars from different fields with dedicated support from the initiative.

Candidates with strong quantitative background in mathematics, engineering, computer science, economics, or physics are most welcome and equally fit for the post. A Ph.D. in a relevant field of study is required.

Full details about the post at the following link

https://www.researchgate.net/job/872383_Assistant_tenure-track_or_Associate_Professor_tenured-Computational_Economics_and_Complex_Systems

Salary The annual salary for Tenure Track Assistant Professor is 42.000 € (gross salary). The annual salary for Associate Professor is in the range 50.000 € – 75.000 € (gross salary) depending on academic position and qualification, and according to the standards established by the Italian Public University System. Additional provision for travel and accommodation, and seed funding for research will be allocated based on individual negotiation.

Further details about academic positions and academic career in Italy can be found at the following web page:

http://www.unive.it/nqcontent.cfm?a_id=161017

Application

Please apply only by www.researchgate.com (insert your complete CV together with a complete list of publications and the contacts of two references, from whom recommendations can be asked). Please include a telephone number with your contact details to ease communication during the selection process.

Applications are accepted only in electronic (PDF) form until July 11th 2016.

All applicants will be informed about the progress of the selection procedure by mid August, 2016. We expect to fill the positions by early spring 2017¹.

Ca' Foscari University of Venice is an equal opportunity/affirmative action employer and encourages applications from women and minorities.

For any questions, please contact our HR Office at recruitment@unive.it.

Declaration concerning the use of personal data:

Personal information contained in this application will be treated with confidentiality and used only for the mentioned purposes. Ca' Foscari University is under obligation to observe current Italian and EU legislation pertaining to the protection of personal data.

The purpose of data collection:

The purpose of collecting data in the application is to receive relevant information from the applicant necessary for the recruitment process to continue.

¹ Complying with the current Italian legislation, Ca' Foscari University must await the final approval by the Italian Ministry of Education, University and Research to complete the hiring process.