



**Research fellowship on “The acquisition of Chinese resultative compounds by Italian L1 learners”
Università Ca' Foscari Venezia
(Italian law 30 December 2010, n. 240, art. 22)**

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Description

The Department of Asian and North African Studies at Università Ca' Foscari Venezia invites applications for a fellowship in:

Title: “The acquisition of Chinese resultative compounds by Italian L1 learners”

Scientific sector: L-OR/21

Scientific supervisor and tutor: Prof.ssa Bianca Basciano

Duration: 12 months

Abstract:

The research activity will be carried out within the PRIN 2020 project titled “The acquisition of Chinese resultative verbal complexes by L1 Italian learners: Combining learner corpus and experimental data” of Prof. Bianca Basciano. The researcher’s duties will include: 1) a review of the literature on Chinese resultative compounds, including both theoretical and acquisitional aspects; 2) a critical review of teaching materials in use in Italy; 3) the design of tasks to elicit target forms.

Who can apply

Candidates are expected to hold at least a master's degree and to have a CV suitable for the requested research activities. They must be proficient in English and Chinese language. They also must be proficient in Italian language, at a native level. They must have produced scientific publications and participated in conferences relating to the topic of the research fellowship.

The interview will focus on the following criteria:

- Experience in the acquisition of Chinese L2/LS, in the use of corpora and in the use of corpora analysis programs, as well as in the development of language tests;
- Assessment of knowledge of English and Chinese language;
- Discussion about the state of art regarding the acquisition of Chinese resultative compounds by Italian L1 learners and proposal for the project development.

Ca' Foscari encourages applications from researchers who have received positive evaluation in all the criteria applicable to funding programs, such as Marie Skłodowska Curie Actions - Individual Fellowships/ERC Starting Grants/FIRB (Italian Fund for basic research investments)/SIR (Scientific Young Independence Research) or similar. Researchers having successfully completed Marie Skłodowska Curie Actions - Individual Fellowships/ERC Starting Grants/FIRB (Italian Fund for basic research investments)/SIR (Scientific Young Independence Research) or similar funded projects are warmly encouraged to apply.

Duration of contract: 12 months (approx. start: July, 01st, 2022).

Stipend: The research fellowship amounts to 19,367 Euros per year, including taxes and social charges.

Deadline for submission of applications: June, 7th, 12.00 noon.



How to apply:

Candidates should submit:

1. The application form;
2. A motivation letter (max 1 page) along with their CV in European format, duly dated and signed, both to enclosed as a one single.pdf file. ([link](#))
3. A copy of a valid identity document (either Identity Card or Passport);
4. (If available) Evaluation Summary Reports of Marie Skłodowska Curie Actions - Individual Fellowships/ ERC Starting Grants/FIRB (Italian Fund for basic research investments)/SIR (Scientific Young Independence Research) individual proposals having passed all the evaluation thresholds;
5. (If available) Details of Marie Skłodowska Curie Actions - Individual Fellowships, ERC Starting Grants, FIRB (Italian Fund for basic research investments)/ SIR Scientific Young Independence Research funded projects;
6. Declaration on availability to participate in the interview remotely ([link](#)) to be send via email at the following address: ricerca.dsaam@unive.it;
7. For all documents, qualifications and publications relevant for the selection procedure please, see the notice ([link](#)).
8. Publications in electronic format

All the schemes of the quoted documentation are available on the website ([link](#)).

How to submit your application

Applications should be submitted through the online procedure:

<https://apps.unive.it/domandeconcorso-en/accesso/07062022dsaam>

The candidate, after the uploading, will receive a submission number and an e-mail acknowledging receipt of his/her application.

The candidate (if necessary) could access the procedures for updating any data and materials by the link provided by the e-mail, in any case any updates must be made no later than the deadline **June, 07th, 2022, 12 noon**.

Please note that the University can be contacted for any support needs by the candidate until 24 hours prior to the deadline.

Please note the possibility that a high number of applications and / or large file sizes among the documents uploaded by the candidates into the system could result in the slowing of the online procedure. Therefore it is suggested to begin the process as soon as possible and not wait to start the process immediately before the deadline.

NB: the University does not take on responsibility for wrong or late communication of addresses, nor for any communication problem not depending on the University.

Evaluation

Up to 100 points, specifically:

For CV and publications, from 0 to 60;

For interview, from 0 to 40.

Selection procedure

Short-listed candidates will be invited for interview on **June, 20th, 2022 at 3.30 PM** via Zoom video conference.

The short-list of the candidates admitted to the interview, or any postponement, and the link for the interview will be published on the University's webpage within June, 15th, 2022 ([link](#))

Information and contacts

Candidates may find further details about the application process and the research project in the official call published on the following ([link](#)). For further information please email: ricerca.dsaam@unive.it.