Fellowship Scheme for Applicants Who Are Not Regular UM Staff

1. Introduction

The Institute of Advanced Studies in Humanities and Social Sciences (hereinafter referred to as "IAS") sets up a number of quotas annually for researchers who are not regular UM academic staff. Applicants of this category can either directly apply to IAS, through research projects under Signature Research Cluster, or through collaborating institutions of IAS.

2. Requirements

- 1. External scholars will sign an agreement with IAS upon the approval of their application. The research outcomes should be attributed to UM or indicate the contribution of UM after the fulfillment of the agreement.
- 2. Visiting fellows should attend office arranged by IAS or work in the library of UM for no less than three days weekly.
- 3. Visiting fellows should actively participate in the activities of IAS, carry out research and interact with the faculty members and students of UM.
- 4. Visiting fellows may need to engage in teaching or supervise postgraduate students.
- 5. Visiting fellows are required to submit their academic outcomes to the Office of IAS in due course for the purpose of record.

3. Support

- 1. IAS will provide monthly payment or allowances, as well as other subsidies and arrangements, including transportation, housing, basic medical services and so on, for non-local visiting fellow whose application has been approved. The details will be determined by IAS in consultation with the applicants based on academic background, international standing, and other relevant factors in the application.
- 2. The duration of visit is normally no more than 6 months. Extension may be granted for exceptional cases.
- 3. IAS will provide visiting fellows with basic amenities, such as office, computer and stationery, as circumstances permit. Visiting fellows are entitled to use the library, online materials and sports facilities of the University of Macau (UM).

4. Application

- 1. Applicants should fill out the "Application Form Fellowship Scheme for Applicants Who Are Not Regular UM Staff" and send the completed form with signature to ias.programme@um.edu.mo.
- 2. Should you have any enquiries regarding the application of the programme, please contact IAS via e-mails or phone calls.

• E-mail: ias.programme@um.edu.mo

• Tel.: +853 8822 4265

5. Other Opportunities

Other than the abovementioned scheme, IAS also reserves limited quota for scholars of short visits with possible funding to allow different durations of visit. Please contact IAS for details.