Vanderbilt University/FAPESP

CALL FOR PROPOSALS 2014

Vanderbilt University and FAPESP—the state research foundation of São Paulo and largest research foundation in Brazil—have formed a partnership to fund promising collaborations between faculty at Vanderbilt and researchers affiliated with Higher Education and Research Institutions in the State of São Paulo. The primary purpose of these grants is to fund joint exchange of researchers between the participating institutions. All fields of scholarship and research are eligible for funding. Exchange activities to be carried out by the researchers from São Paulo must be thematically related to ongoing research projects funded by FAPESP.

Vanderbilt University and FAPESP have each committed up to \$20,000 USD to fund 1-2 proposals per year. Vanderbilt's portion of each award will cover research-related mobility expenses for researchers from Vanderbilt University visiting the partner institution in the State of São Paulo. FAPESP will provide funds for researchers from the partner institution in the State of São Paulo to visit Vanderbilt University.

A copy of the 5-page research project and additional documentation should be sent both to FAPESP by the Principal Investigator from the State of São Paulo <u>and</u> to Vanderbilt University by the Principal Investigator from Vanderbilt.

Information on the proposal requirements, eligibility and additional forms is available at: http://www.vanderbilt.edu/provost/fapespvanderbilt-university-funding-2014/

Vanderbilt researchers need only submit the materials required by Vanderbilt University.

Proposals should be submitted by email to vpf@vanderbilt.edu, (Subject line: Vanderbilt/FAPESP Call) or delivered to 105 Kirkland Hall, Vanderbilt University, Nashville, TN 37240 by 5:00 PM (Central Time), July 24th, 2014.

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