Research fellowship on “The changing structure of the field of care” - Università Ca’ Foscari Venezia (Italian law 30 December 2010, n.240, art. 22)

The present document in English is to be considered as a mere summary of the main provisions of the notice of competition which is available in Italian at the following (link) The text in Italian is the official text of the notice of competition for all legal intents and purposes and, in the event of non-conformity with the present document, it shall prevail.

Description
The Department of Philosophy and Cultural Heritage at Università Ca’ Foscari Venezia invites applications for a fellowship in:

Title: The changing structure of the field of care
Scientific Disciplinary Sectors and/or Competition Sector Groups: SPS/07-General sociology, SPS/08-Sociology of culture and communication, SPS/09- Economic sociology and sociology of work and organisations
Scientific Responsible tutor: prof.ssa Barbara Da Roit
Duration: 12 months (renewable)
Abstract: The research is embedded in the interdisciplinary project PRIN “Meanings of Care-(MeC)” on the transformation of the meanings of eldercare in Italy since the end of the XIX Century. The researcher will analyze the changing field of eldercare (and related fields) in Italy since the late 19th century that are possibly related to changing meanings of care. This will be based on bibliographical research and analysis and on a collection and systematization of socio-demographic data on (older) people, their living conditions (at home or in institutions) and family situations; of data on care organizations and their funding, on care workers; of evidence concerning norms and attitudes in relation to medicalization, formalization, professionalization of care. Secondary sources and analysis of census, survey, institutional data, policy and organizational reports, professional publications will be used. Attention will be paid to sub-national variations and urban/rural divide.

The research may be carried out in English.
The fellowship is intended to provide the successful candidate with the opportunity to pursue his/her own research while benefiting from the range of expertise at Università Ca’ Foscari Venezia.

Who can apply
Prospective candidates are expected to hold a master’s degree in social sciences, or related disciplines. Ca’ Foscari encourages applications from researchers with positive evaluation in all the criteria in individual proposals 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 (approximately starting: 1st of February 2020).
Stipend: The research fellowship amounts to Euro 19,367.00 per year, including taxes and social charges.
Deadline for submission of applications: January 13th, 2020 12.00 noon (Italian time).

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. The contacts of two referees (who could be contacted by the evaluation commission) of the candidate’s past research experiences;
7. All documents, qualifications and publications relevant for the selection procedure (please, see the notice link).
All the schemes of the quoted documentation are available on the website (link).

How to submit your application
Applications should be submitted by the online procedure, available on the notice webpage (link)
https://static.unive.it/domandeconcorso-en/accesso/prin-mec-2020
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: January 13th, 2020 12.00 noon (Italian time).
Please note that the University can be contacted for any support needs by the candidate until 24 hours prior to the deadline.

Warning: the University is closed from the 24th of December 2019 to the 6th of January 2020 included, therefore no assistance can be assured in this period.
Please note that in case of an high number of applications and / or weight of the materials loaded by the candidates the system might become slower, Therefore it is suggested not to start the process close to 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 qualifications, publications and possible tests, from 0 to 60;
For interview, from 0 to 40.

**Selection procedure**

Short-listed candidates will be invited for interview on the **20th of January 2020** at **9.30 a.m. (Italian time)** in the **Malcanton-Marcorà palace – Dorsoduro 3484/D, Calle Contarini, 30123 Venezia Aula Biral (3rd floor)**.

The short-list of the candidates admitted to the interview, or any postponement, will be published on the University’s webpage on the **16th of January 2020** (link). Candidates living farther than 200 Kms from Venice may ask to hold a telematic interview.

**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 contact the Research Office of the Department of Philosophy and Cultural Heritage, tel. +39.041.2346353/7272/6280, email: ricerca.fbc@unive.it.