

THE RECTOR

DECREE No. 838 of 09/26/2024

Subject: Public notice for expression of interest pursuant to Article 7, paragraphs 5 bis, 5 ter, and 5 quater, of Law No. 240 of 12/30/2010 for the coverage of one (1) position of Associate Professor in the Academic Discipline Sector (GSD) 11/HIST-03 - CONTEMPORARY HISTORY - SSD HIST-03/A - Contemporary History, at the Faculty of Humanities, Education, and Sports, Department of Literary, Linguistic, and Philosophical Studies.

Considering Law No. 240 of December 30, 2010;

Considering the Statute of the Pegaso Telematic University s.r.l. and subsequent amendments, published in the Official Gazette No. 156 of 07/05/2019;

Considering Article 7, paragraphs 5 bis, 5 ter, and 5 quater, of Law No. 240 of 12/30/2010;

Considering Ministerial Decree No. 367 of 04/29/2022, which defined the implementation methods for mobility concerning appointments in Universities and Public Research Institutions;

Considering the "Regulation for the recruitment of First and Second Tier Professors" of Pegaso Telematic University s.r.l., issued by Rector's Decree No. 198 of 04/03/2024;

Considering the resolutions adopted by the Academic Senate and the Board of Directors in their sessions on 12/19/2023, regarding the activation of the position, and acknowledged by the Academic Senate on 09/24/2024;

Considering Ministerial Decree No. 855 of 10/30/2015, concerning the redefinition of the macro-sectors and competition sectors;

Confirmed that the necessary financial coverage for the position has been provided by the Board of Directors;

DECREES

Art. 1 - Type of Selection Process

1. Pursuant to Article 7, paragraphs 5 bis, 5 ter, and 5 quater of Law 240/2010, a selection process for an Expression of Interest is hereby announced for the coverage of one (1) position of Associate Professor in GSD 11/HIST-03 - CONTEMPORARY HISTORY - SSD HIST-03/A - Contemporary History, at the Faculty of Humanities, Education, and Sports, Department of Literary, Linguistic, and Philosophical Studies. The selection will be based on the relevance of the

project proposals submitted by the candidates to the specific teaching, research, or third-mission needs indicated in this call.

2. The submission of an application expressing interest does not, in any case, entitle the candidate to automatic admission to the qualification procedures for university teaching staff positions.
3. The salary, workload, and legal status will be regulated according to current Italian legislation, as well as the University's regulations.

Art. 2 - Admission Requirements

1. The following may participate in this procedure:
 - a) Second-tier Professors who have been in service for at least five years at other universities in the corresponding tier for which the selection is announced;
 - b) Scholars who are permanently engaged abroad in research or teaching activities and have held an equivalent academic position for at least five years at foreign universities, based on equivalence tables defined and updated every three years by the Ministry of Universities and Research (MUR), in consultation with the National University Council (CUN);
 - c) Research directors and senior researchers at public research institutions, or those with permanent or fixed-term positions pursuant to Article 1, paragraphs 422 and following of Law No. 205 of December 27, 2017, from scientific hospitalization and care institutes (IRCCS), who engage in translational, preclinical, and clinical research, provided they have been in service for at least five years at their institution and hold the national scientific qualification for the competition sector and tier to which the procedure refers.
2. The requirements for admission must be met by the application deadline.

Art. 3 - Grounds for Exclusion

1. Individuals who, at the time of submitting their application, have a degree of kinship or affinity up to and including the fourth degree, or are related by marriage to a Professor or Researcher belonging to the department issuing the call, or to the Rector, General Director, Administrative Director, or a member of the University's Board of Directors, are not eligible to participate in the recruitment procedures, in accordance with Article 18, paragraph 1, letter c) of Law 240/2010.

Art. 4 - Information Regarding the Teaching, Research, or Third-Mission Requirements the Project Must Meet

Teaching Needs

The competition sector 11/HIST-03 is currently part of the educational offerings for degree programs LM85, LM39, L19, and L10, with courses in Contemporary History, History of Europe and European Institutions, and History of Journalism, for a total of 63 ECTS credits. These courses align with the strategic development of the educational offerings planned by Pegaso Telematic University for the coming years, consistent with the guidelines outlined in the University's Strategic Plan 2023-2025. This initiative is part of the University's expansion plans, which will lead to a significant increase in the Faculty of Humanities, Education, and Sports. To meet these needs, it is considered necessary to appoint a highly qualified Associate Professor with extensive teaching experience.

Research Needs

The research activities must align with the directions set out in the 2023-2025 Strategic Plan and the University's Research Plan, as well as with the fields of study and training provided by the Doctoral Programs at Pegaso Telematic University. These activities should contribute to the interdisciplinary approach that characterizes the study and research programs of the Faculty of Humanities, Education, and Sports, and the Department of Literary, Linguistic, and Philosophical Studies. The research project should advance knowledge in the field of contemporary history, particularly focusing on the 19th and 20th centuries. In this context, special attention is given to the study of the evolution of foreign policy in Central Europe and Germany. Moreover, research paths that explore the relationship between national and international dynamics, the relations between sovereign states and the European Union, are particularly important, with a long-term perspective that also considers political and economic aspects. The project should provide forward-looking insights into the future of the European Union.

Third-Mission Needs

In accordance with the 2023-2025 Strategic Plan, third-mission activities must contribute to Pegaso Telematic University's initiatives, with a significant impact on the local community and the social and economic system. The research developed in this area should encourage the University's participation in partnerships and collaborations, both nationally and internationally, strengthening the University's role in the scientific and cultural landscape.

Art. 5 - Evaluation Criteria for Admitted Projects

1. The Commission's evaluation criteria will prioritize:
 - a) the quality and international scientific level of the research works listed, as well as their editorial placement;
 - b) the originality and innovativeness of the scientific output and methodological rigor;
 - c) the candidate's individual contribution, specifically determined in collaborative works;
 - d) the relevance of the candidate's activities to the topics indicated in art. 4 of this selection notice;
 - e) the innovativeness of the proposed project.

Art. 6 - Composition and Formation of the Selection Commission

1. The submitted applications are evaluated by a Commission composed of three first-tier Professors, appointed by a decree of the Rector following a random draw from a list of six names proposed by the Academic Senate, from among those belonging to the scientific-disciplinary group under evaluation.
2. The call proposal, following the Commission's work, is deliberated by the Academic Senate and submitted for approval to the Board of Directors, which will issue its decision within thirty days.

Art. 7 – Method and Deadline for Submitting Applications

1. Expressions of interest may be submitted in Italian or English and must include:
 - a) application form (annex 1);
 - b) *curriculum vitae*;
 - c) list of selected publications in pdf format (maximum 12);
 - d) publications to be evaluated for this selection, up to a maximum of 12;
 - e) a project proposal aligned with the teaching, research, and third-mission lines indicated in art. 4 of this notice (maximum 1500 words);
 - f) any documentation proving the equivalence between the Italian and foreign academic positions;
 - g) any other qualification deemed useful for the selection process.
2. In the case of applications submitted by scholars permanently engaged abroad as mentioned in Art. 2, the application must be accompanied by a service certificate (also translated into Italian) issued by the affiliated institution, indicating the held position, the start date, and any equivalence to the corresponding academic position in Italian universities.
3. Expressions of interest must be submitted, under penalty of exclusion, within the mandatory 15-day deadline, starting from the day after the public notice is published on the University's website.
4. The application and documentation (including publications to be submitted in PDF format) must be sent exclusively to the Certified Email address: ufficio.concorsi@pec.unipegaso.it no later than 11:59 PM on the aforementioned deadline, and must necessarily be sent from a certified email address. Titles and documents must not exceed 10 MB per individual submission. Each attached file must be named according to its type (e.g., "CV", "ID Document", "Application", etc.). Expressions of interest submitted after the deadline will not be considered. If the expression of interest is timely but the attached documentation is late, the latter will not be considered.
5. It is possible to submit the aforementioned documentation in multiple batches, ensuring to declare the total size of the entire documentation upon submission. Moreover, the candidate must clearly and unequivocally specify the corresponding reference for each submission.
6. It is possible to submit the aforementioned documentation from a certified email address that is not personal, provided that a power of attorney for the processing of personal data on behalf of the candidate is attached.

Art. 8 – Responsible Officer for the Procedure

1. The officer responsible for the selection procedure under this notice is General Director Dr. David Vannozzi - Centro Direzionale - Isola F/2 - Naples (081/19137500 - email: ufficio.concorsi@unipegaso.it).

Art. 9 – Publication of the Decree

1. This decree comes into force upon publication on the University's official website in the designated section.

The Rector

Signed (Prof. Pierpaolo Limone)

Annex 1: Application Form