FAQs – Call for proposals for faculties and researchers mobility in the framework International Agreements - year 2014

1 – Can a foreign faculty or researcher submit his/her mobility project directly to the offices of Bologna University?

No. The application for mobility projects can be submitted only by professors / researchers belonging to the University of Bologna, who can apply for inviting a foreign scholar by December Friday 13th, 2013

2 – How can a foreign faculty / researcher get into contact with some colleague at the University of Bologna in order to receive a formal invitation?

If he / she does not already know some professor or researcher at the University of Bologna, he / she can browse the web site of the University of Bologna and ist Departments and Schools, in order to find some professor of Unibo that can invite him / her for teaching purposes

3 – Is there a minimum or maximum length required for the mobility period?

No, but usually the average period of mobility corresponds to one week (7 days), as the availability of funds does not allow the full refund of expenses foreseen in the agreements of cooperation for longer periods of stay.

4 – What kind of activity can be planned to be carried out during the mobility in Bologna?

During the period of mobility the foreign faculty / researcher must carry out tuition or educational activities (lectures, seminars or conferences). Mobility projects involving only research activities will not be accepted for the selection.

5 – What kind of expenses can be refunded?

International agreements normally set that the sending University provide the faculty / researcher with travel funds while the inviting University provide the faculty / researcher with the costs of accommodation. Anyway, other kinds of costs sharing are possible, depending of the availability of the necessary financial resources.