

IL DIRETTORE DELL'ISTITUTO DI TECNOLOGIE DELLA COMUNICAZIONE, DELL'INFORMAZIONE E DELLA PERCEZIONE

ALLEGATO A:

VISITING SCHOLARS

ERASMUS MUNDUS – MAPNET MASTERS ON PHOTONIC NETWORKS ENGINEERING

EU and Third-Country scholars¹ may apply for an Erasmus Mundus scholarships to carry out research and teaching within the MAPNET Masters Course for a limited period of time in accordance with the following:

- Scholarships for scholars employed in Third-Country institutions (including the partner Osaka University) who
 will be selected by the MAPNET Consortium to contribute to the joint programme;
- Scholarships for scholars employed in a European HEI acting as full partner of the MAPNET Consortium (i.e. Scuola Superiore Sant'Anna², Technische Universitaet Berlin and Aston University) for the purpose of contributing to the joint programme within the MAPNET partner Osaka University.
- Periods awarded must be benefited before the 30th of September 2016 in an institution of the Consortium as provided above.

Applying scholars must demonstrate outstanding academic and/or professional experience and bring concrete added value to the delivery of the MAPNET Masters Course.

MAPNET selected scholars granted an Erasmus Mundus scholarship must:

- Commit themselves to actively participate in the MAPNET Masters Course activities;
- Spend a minimum of two weeks in the partner institutions according to the scholarships awarded after the selection process;
- Perform teaching/research/student tutoring activities in the European partner institutions for what concerns Third-Country scholars, and in the MAPNET partner Osaka University for what concerns European scholars;
- Bring concrete added value to the course and students (through teaching of specific classes, leading and participating in seminars or workshops, monitoring and tutoring student research/project activities, participating in thesis reviews, preparing new teaching modules, etc.);
- Contribute, after their visiting scholar activities, to the promotion and dissemination of the Erasmus Mundus Programme in general, and the MAPNET Masters Course in particular, in their higher education institution and country of origin.

MAPNET visiting scholars should be able to teach in English.

Each European or Third-Country scholar selected to receive a scholarship should come from a different higher education institution. Erasmus Mundus scholars will receive € 1.200 / week for a minimum duration of 2 weeks. Available scholarships within this call corresponds to 8 weeks and it is up to the Selection Committee and the MAPNET Consortium to decide upon its distribution between EU and extra-EU scholars.

Interested applicants shall send to the MAPNET Consortium via email: mapnet@sssup.it no later than 15th of February 2016 (12 am) GMT:

- The Visiting Scholar Application Form downloadable at: http://mapnet.sssup.it/visiting_scholars.html
- An extensive Curriculum Vitae

Applications will be evaluated by the MAPNET Selection Committee, and the applicants will be informed of the assessment outcome.

¹ a person with outstanding academic and/or professional experience who lectures or conducts research in a higher education institution or a research organisation established in accordance with national legislation and practice

² Italian scholars will be subject to taxation, as the Risoluzione della Agenzia delle Entrate n. 109/E del 23 aprile 2009 applies exclusively to foreign scholars.