TUM Global Visiting Professor Program
Call for Proposals

Purpose	■ Facilitation of new and innovative approaches in cutting-edge research fields. ■ Diversify and internationalize the curricula with complementary research-oriented teaching ■ Attract distinguished international professors for long-term engagement with TUM (e.g. in the framework of a TUM-IAS Fellowship)
Funding Period	■ One week to three months
Deadlines for 2025	■ February 28th ➔ earliest start of visit: June 1st ■ May 31st ➔ earliest start of visit: September 1st ■ August 31st ➔ earliest start of visit: December 1st
Eligibility	■ Visiting Professors (other accepted titles: "Associate Professor" or "Lecturer") must be affiliated with an international higher education institution. ■ The visiting professor must have found a TUM host for the duration of his or her stay. All TUM professors and all TUM Junior Fellows are eligible as TUM hosts.
Supported Activities	■ Joint research projects (new and ongoing). ■ Preparation of research proposals and future research collaborations. ■ Activities to develop/foster research collaboration ■ Exploring the possibility of a more long-term collaboration in the framework of a TUM-IAS Fellowship Program: Anna Boyksen, Hans Fischer (Senior) or Rudolf Diesel Industry Fellowship. ■ Research-orientated teaching in English. Fundamental teaching/courses are not eligible under this program.
Financial Support	■ Travel expenses to/from TUM (daily use of public transport in Munich cannot be reimbursed - weekly or monthly travelcard, except for justified business trips). ■ Accommodation expenses (daily allowances / lunch allowances / entertainment expenses are not reimbursable). ■ Honorarium for keynote speech or public lecture. ■ Development costs for virtual cooperation/teaching formats (these costs have to be directly linked to the intended visit/cooperation). Please note that we can only cover costs for the visiting professor, costs for family members cannot be covered by this program.

Selection Criteria	■ Goals, impact and relevance of the research/teaching cooperation. ■ Added value to TUM's research, innovation and education agenda. ■ Added value for TUM students and young researchers/scientists. ■ Interdisciplinary approach to research/teaching, if applicable. ■ Reputation and complementary expertise of the nominated visiting professor. ■ Alignment with internationalization goals of the TUM department, institute, integrative research center, etc. ■ Sustainability of proposed activities (intended next steps; e.g. joint publications; joint proposal for third party funding; joint application for a TUM-IAS Fellowship; exchange of students and early career scientists, etc.). Successful nominations will be selected by the TUM Board of Management in consultation with a panel of members of TUM central service units.
Application Process	Nominations of potential visiting professors must be uploaded to the MoveOn-portal by the aforementioned deadlines. The online form will include questions about the context and added value of the visit, the foreseen cost and activities planned. Please submit the following documents: ▪ CV (candidate) ▪ List (candidate) of five key publications, most relevant to the proposed activities ▪ Host Statement (from the TUM Professor or TUM Junior Fellow) **Please upload all application documents to the MoveOn-portal:** **https://tum.moveon4.de/form/59cab53285fb960949c37960/eng** You need to register first on the portal. After the login, please use the form: **Application – TUM Global Visiting Professor Program.**
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