

Amsterdam Center for Dynamics and Computation International Visitor Program

The *Amsterdam Center for Dynamics and Computation* invites applications for its International Visitor Program. This program aims to help researchers from outside The Netherlands visiting our center for a period between 2 weeks and 3 months.

Applications must be submitted by e-mail (amsterdam.dynamics.beta@vu.nl) to the director(s) of the center. Applications consist, among others, of a CV of the applicant, the name of the host, and a description of the proposed visit. Please refer to the exact requirements below.

Applications can be submitted at any moment in time, and will be assessed on a running basis. Applicants should expect a decision relatively soon, and certainly within 3 months after submission.

Selection criteria

Successful applications will be selected by the members of the *Amsterdam Center for Dynamics and Computation*, based on the following criteria:

1. research track record of the applicant (taking stage of career into account);
2. quality of the proposed visit, particularly the proposed project and collaborations with members of the *Amsterdam Center for Dynamics and Computation*;
3. considerations of diversity, equity and inclusion, of applicant and host(s).

Conditions

Applicants must hold a PhD degree and must be employed by a university, research institute, or similar organization outside The Netherlands. Their employer is expected to approve the visit.

Applicants have an established program of research, and are expected to collaborate on a research project with one or more member(s) of the *Amsterdam Center for Dynamics and Computation* during their visit. Applicants should propose a visit of at least 2 weeks' and at most 3 months' duration. Applicants are also welcome to propose additional activities during their visit, such as lectures they could give, and/or a short workshop which they could organize.

At least one academic staff member of the *Amsterdam Center for Dynamics and Computation* must act as host(s) during the visit of the applicant. The host(s) have agreed to take up this role and support the application.

Funding

Successful applicants will be offered funding for accommodation and local expenses, up to a maximum of € 1000,- per week. In addition, successful applicants may obtain reimbursement of one return economy airfare or (preferably) train ticket up to a maximum, depending on their country of origin. Special requests, including reimbursement for childcare or travel of accompanying family members, may be granted but must be included in the proposal.

Our visitor program funding does not provide salary. Instead, our funding is to be considered a contribution towards an academic visit and may not always cover all costs.

Please be advised that any financial reimbursements to successful applicants will go to their personal bank accounts. It is not our practice to reimburse an applicant's institution.

Facilities

Our center will try to assist wherever possible to organize the visit. Visitors will be provided with a desk in a quiet shared space. They will need to bring their own laptops. Library and internet access will also be provided.

Diversity

We encourage applications from female and gender-diverse researchers, researchers employed in developing countries, and/or researchers belonging to other groups which are underrepresented in the mathematical sciences.

Submitting a proposal

Proposals must be submitted by sending an e-mail to amsterdam.dynamics.beta@vu.nl, containing two separate PDF files:

- an up-to-date CV of the applicant, including current employment, date of PhD completion, and full publication list;
- a 1-2-page outline of the proposed research visit meeting the above conditions, including
 1. proposed arrival and departure dates;
 2. name of the host(s) (academic staff member(s) at the *Amsterdam Center for Dynamics and Computation*, who have agreed to support the application);
 3. details of the research project(s) that the applicant will work on while in Amsterdam, including any current or potential collaborations at our center;
 4. if applicable, a brief description of any additional proposed activities (such as lectures, seminars, outreach, etc.);
 5. any special needs or special financial requests.

During the review process, applicants may be asked to name one or two academic referees, other than the host(s) of the proposed visit, who may be contacted for confidential comments.

Questions

For any questions about our International Visitor Program, or any further queries about a potential visit to our center, please e-mail us at amsterdam.dynamics.beta@vu.nl.