**International Relations Office** 

**FAPESP-University of Bath**

**SPRINT Funding Application**

Before completing your application form, please ensure you have [read the FAPESP call guidance](http://www.bath.ac.uk/guides/fapesp/) on the website.

If you would like to discuss your proposed project, please contact the [International](mailto:internationalfunding@bath.ac.uk) Relations Office.

**Timeline:**

Tuesday 31st July Call announced

Wednesday 29th October Deadline for submission to [internationalfunding@bath.ac.uk](mailto:internationalfunding@bath.ac.uk)

w/c 25th January 2019 Results announced

**Submission checklist:**

Applicants from the University of Bath are asked to submit the following items:

1. Completed FAPESP-University of Bath SPRINT application form.
2. Research project with a maximum 5 pages of scientific content, written in English jointly by the PI at the host institution in Sao Paulo and the PI at Bath.

The Research Project must include the following items:

a. A substantive description of the exchange activities, emphasizing their relevance. The proposal must state clearly how the exchange activities to be carried out by each team will contribute to the ongoing research project funded by FAPESP and to the research being carried by the partner researcher at the University of Bath;

b. Detailed schedule of the exchange missions to be carried out by the partner team at the São Paulo institution and the São Paulo team at the University of Bath;

c. Performance indicators for the planned activities, indicating the expected results;

d. A description of each candidate’s contribution to the mission, explaining their expertise to carry out the foreseen activities;

e. Foreseen actions that will add to the impact of the exchange for the University of Bath and for the Host Institution in the State of São Paulo, e.g. by means of seminars, short courses etc.;

f. Description of how the Principal Investigators in São Paulo and in the University of Bath intend to prepare a joint research project, resulting from the exchange activities developed from the proposal submitted in this Call, to be submitted to research funding agencies accessible in their regions in order to create a medium-long-term collaboration (up to one page).

**How to submit your application:**

Applications should be submitted to [internationalfunding@bath.ac.uk](mailto:internationalfunding@bath.ac.uk) by **9am, Monday 29th October 2018**.

**Funding available and duration:**

FAPESP will provide funding of up to the equivalent of £5,000.00 (five thousand Pounds) per proposal per year and the University of Bath will provide funding of up to £5,000.00 (five thousand Pounds) per proposal per year, for the duration of the grant to cover research-related mobility expenses up to a Maximum duration of 2 years.

**Reporting requirements:**

All successful applicants will be required to provide final reports at 3 and 12 months after the completion of the project. Failure to do so may result in future applications being rejected.

**Please note,** this funding scheme is not designed to support:

* Purchase of equipment or consumables
* Staff time or salaries, appointment of RA/ROs
* Sabbaticals
* Business or first class travel

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| **Please indicate the SPRINT Edition for which you are applying:** *Eg. 03/2018* |  |

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| 1. **Bath Applicant Information** | | | | | | | | |
| **Name and Title of Primary Investigator (PI)** | | | |  | | | | |
| **Email address** | |  | | | **Department** | |  | |
| **Name(s) of Bath Co-Investigator(s) (CI)** | | | |  | | | | |
| **Email address(es)** | |  | | | **Department(s)** | |  | |
| 1. **Sao Paulo Applicant Information** | | | | | | | | |
| **Name and Title of Sao Paulo Investigator** | | | |  | | | | |
| **Name of Sao Paulo Partner Institution** | | | |  | | | | |
| **Email address** | |  | | | **Department** | |  | |
| **Details of any known contact to date with the proposed partner institution** | | | |  | | | | |
| 1. **Outline of the Proposed Project** | | | | | | | | |
| **Title of Project** | | | |  | | | | |
| **Research Theme** | | | |  | | | | |
| **Proposed Start Date** | | | |  | | **Proposed Duration**  *In Months – Max 24 Months* | |  |
| **Research Project Summary**  *Max 300 words - In terms suitable for a non-specialist audience. Please note that this information may be used to showcase your work in University of Bath publications, either in print or web form. You will be contacted for final approval before the information is published.* | | | |  | | | | |
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| 1. **Schedule of Proposed Exchanges** | | | | | | | | |
| **Mission No** | **Host** | **Duration**  *In days* | **Planned Activities** | | | | | |
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| *Please add additional rows if necessary* | | | | | | | | |
| 1. **Impact & Outputs** | | | | | | | | |
| **Foreseen actions that will add to the impact of the exchanges**  *i.e. presentations, seminars, workshops, short courses, publications.* | | | |  | | | | |
| **Summary of planned research impact:**  *i.e. capacity-building or training activities, consultancies; partnerships with industry, private or public organisations; contribution to new research capacities between UK and Brazil.* | | | |  | | | | |
| **Planned follow-on activities and sustainability plan**  *Please add a statement on how you envisage sustaining the partnership, including details on external funding submissions and concepts or plans for future activities.* | | | |  | | | | |
| 1. **Funding Requested for Bath Investigator(s) Costs** | | | | | | | | |
|  | | | | **Amount in GBP (British Pound)** | | | | |
| **Travel Costs** | | | |  | | | | |
| **Accommodation & Subsistence** | | | |  | | | | |
| **Other related costs** | | | |  | | | | |
| **TOTAL REQUESTED**  *Maximum £5,000 per year* | | | |  | | | | |
| 1. **Funding Requested for Sao Paulo Investigator(s) Costs** | | | | | | | | |
|  | | | | **Amount in R$ (Brazilian Real)** | | | | |
| **Travel Costs** | | | |  | | | | |
| **Accommodation & Subsistence** | | | |  | | | | |
| **Other related costs** | | | |  | | | | |
| **TOTAL REQUESTED**  *Maximum equivalent to £5,000 GBP per year* | | | |  | | | | |