

## TUM Global Visiting Professor Program

### Call for Proposals

Purpose	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ Facilitation of new and innovative approaches in cutting-edge research fields.</li> <li>■ Diversify and internationalize the curricula with complementary research-oriented teaching</li> <li>■ Attract distinguished international professors for long-term engagement with TUM (e.g. in the framework of a TUM-IAS Fellowship)</li> </ul>
Funding Period	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ One week to three months</li> </ul>
Next Deadlines	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ August 31, 2025 → earliest start of visit: December 1, 2025</li> <li>■ January 31, 2026 → earliest start of visit: April 1, 2026</li> <li>■ April 30, 2026 → earliest start of visit: July 1, 2026</li> <li>■ July 31, 2026 → earliest start of visit: October 1, 2026</li> </ul>
Eligibility	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ Visiting Professors (other accepted titles: "Associate Professor" or "Lecturer") must be affiliated with an international higher education institution.</li> <li>■ 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.</li> </ul>
Supported Activities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ Joint research projects (new and ongoing).</li> <li>■ Preparation of research proposals and future research collaborations.</li> <li>■ Activities to develop/foster research collaboration</li> <li>■ Exploring the possibility of a more long-term collaboration in the framework of a <a href="#">TUM-IAS Fellowship</a> Program: Anna Boyksen, Hans Fischer (Senior) or Rudolf Diesel Industry Fellowship.</li> <li>■ Research-orientated teaching in English. Fundamental teaching/courses are not eligible under this program.</li> </ul>
Financial Support	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ Travel expenses to/from TUM (daily use of public transport in Munich cannot be reimbursed - weekly or monthly travelcard, except for justified business trips).</li> <li>■ Accommodation expenses (daily allowances, lunch allowances or entertainment expenses are not reimbursable).</li> <li>■ Honorarium for keynote speech or public lecture.</li> <li>■ Development costs for virtual cooperation/teaching formats (these costs have to be directly linked to the intended visit/cooperation).</li> </ul> <p>Please note that we can only cover costs for the visiting professor, costs for family members cannot be covered by this program.</p>

Selection Criteria	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ Goals, impact and relevance of the research/teaching cooperation.</li> <li>■ Added value to TUM's research, innovation and education agenda.</li> <li>■ Added value for TUM students and young researchers/scientists.</li> <li>■ Interdisciplinary approach to research/teaching, if applicable.</li> <li>■ Reputation and complementary expertise of the nominated visiting professor.</li> <li>■ Alignment with internationalization goals of the TUM department, institute, integrative research center, etc.</li> <li>■ 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.).</li> <li>■ Focus on: <a href="#">TUM Sustainable Futures Strategy 2030</a></li> </ul> <p>Successful nominations will be selected by the TUM Board of Management in consultation with a panel of members of TUM central service units.</p>
Application Process	<p>Nominations of potential visiting professors must be uploaded to the MoveOn-portal by the aforementioned deadlines.</p> <p>The online form will include questions about the context and added value of the visit, the foreseen cost and activities planned.</p> <p>Please submit the following documents:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ CV (candidate)</li> <li>▪ List (candidate) of five key publications, most relevant to the proposed activities</li> <li>▪ Host Statement (from the TUM Professor or TUM Junior Fellow)</li> </ul> <p><b>Please upload all application documents to the MoveOn-portal:</b>  <a href="https://tum.moveon4.de/form/59cab53285fb960949c37960/eng">https://tum.moveon4.de/form/59cab53285fb960949c37960/eng</a></p> <p>You need to register first on the portal. After the login, please use the form: <b>Application – TUM Global Visiting Professor Program.</b></p>
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