

Call for Faculty Applications: One-month visiting opportunity at Sciences-Po Paris

Application deadline: March 15, 2017

The French Interdisciplinary Group (FIG) is currently accepting faculty applications to spend a month at SciencesPo Paris during the academic year 2017-18. French language skills are helpful but not necessary to apply to the position. Sciences Po supports research in all the social sciences (including Political Science, Sociology, History, and Law), with an emphasis on political science and policy studies generally. Of special interest to NU faculty are the ten prestigious research centers housed at SciencesPo including the [Centre for International Studies](#); the [Centre d'Etudes Européennes](#); the [Centre for Studies in Social Change](#), the [Centre for the Sociology of Organisations](#), and others. Further information on research units at SciencesPo may be found [here](#).

By the terms of the program, Northwestern faculty members receive a stipend, roughly equivalent to the salary of a French professor at the same rank, for a one-month stay. The duties attached to this offer are negotiable, but typically include presenting one or two presentations in faculty and graduate colloquia or graduate courses.

The visit must take place during a non-teaching quarter and while Sciences Po students are in session (September to April), otherwise the timing of the visit is negotiable. Visiting faculty are responsible for their housing (which can vary from 500 to 2,000 euros for a one-month stay in Paris). FIG will contribute up to \$1,300 toward airfare. Per French governmental rules, faculty visitors need to be under 65 years of age at the time of the visit.

Interested candidates should apply to FIG by **March 15, 2017**. FIG will gather the applications and forward them to Sciences Po, who will make the final selection. Applications include: (1) a one-page cover letter describing current research projects and linkages with SciencesPo faculty projects; (2) a one-page proposal for two or three oral presentations; (3) a vita. Preference will be given to candidates who can explain how their visit will advance our long-term sustained partnership with Sciences Po by, for example, creating some form of joint research collaboration, or some form of joint graduate student training program, etc.

Please send application materials electronically to Marianne Hopman, fig-director@northwestern.edu