Call for joint proposals under Brazil's Sao Paulo Researchers in International Collaboration (SPRINT 3rd Edition/2015) Program

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TTU Deans:

The Sao Paulo Research Foundation (FAPESP) and Texas Tech University have announced the next Call for Proposals for the exchange of faculty and postdoctoral researchers under the SPRINT 3rd Edition 2015. This is the second round of funding for TTU researchers (tenured and tenure-track faculty and research professors) to request seed funding to support exchange of researchers under FAPESP's Sao Paulo Researchers in International Collaboration (SPRINT) program. The most recent SPRINT call for proposals (3rd Edition/2015) can be accessed at http://www.fapesp.br/en/9592. Pertinent information about fields of knowledge, maximum project duration, funding principles, and proposal development and submission procedures specific to proposals developed collaboratively by TTU and the State of Sao Paulo researchers are available at http://www.fapesp.br/en/9615.

In short, under the referred agreement specific to SPRINT 3rd Edition/2015, up to 5 seed grant proposals will be funded for the exchange of faculty and postdoctoral researchers. FAPESP will provide funding of up to the equivalent of US\$10,000 per proposal per year and Texas Tech University will provide funding of up to US\$10,000 per proposal per year, for the duration of the grant (up to 24 months) to cover research-related mobility expenses. The deadline for proposal submission is October 26, 2015.

All questions related to this call for joint research projects may be directed to Ms. Reagan Ribordy, Senior Grants Administrator, Office of International Affairs. Please visit http://www.depts.ttu.edu/international/intlrsch/Brazil@Tech/sprint15.php for additional information regarding this program.

Thank you.

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