



FELLOWSHIP OPPORTUNITY

- Number:
- Title: Post-Doctoral Fellowship in Political Science
- Área de conhecimento: Political Science
- FAPESP Process number: 2008/58852-4
- **Project title:** Ecopolitics. Planetary governmentality, new institutionalizations and resistances in the society of control.
- Area of action: Humanities/Political Science/Political Theory
- Lead researcher: Edson Passetti
- Sector/Institution: PUC-SP/Graduate Program on Social Sciences/Núcleo de Sociabilidade Libertária (Nu-Sol)
- Partner institution:
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- Abstract:

Post-Doctoral fellowship linked to the fluxes of the thematic project *Ecopolitics*. *Planetary governmentality, new institutionalizations and resistances in the society of control*. The project to be presented should consider particularly modulations of rights, sustainability and resilience. The research proposal should be guided by mappings and analysis cutting across fluxes of security, environment, rights and borderless penalizations (see website of the thematic project at <u>www.pucsp.br/ecopolitica</u>).

It is recommended that the candidate observe connections with researches undertaken under the scope of the thematic project and publicized in the project's journal (<u>http://www.pucsp.br/ecopolitica/revista_ed_anteriores</u>); also, the proposal should consider the notions of governmentality and resilience, articulating *vulnerability, citizen security* and *sustainability*.



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The fellowship opportunity focuses on Ph.D reseachers who have obtained the title in 2006 or later. In order to apply, the candidate must submit: a) Research project (containing objectives, justification, methodology, chronogram and bibliography); b) curriculum vitae (with supporting documents on activities, publications, titles and participation in events since 2006); c) Letter of recommendation; d) Statement confirming full-time availability to participate in regular activities of the project, such as: presenting seminars, developing research products in various formats (website, videos, electronic journal), and regular activities with under-graduate students and other researchers.

Project proposals are accepted in Portuguese and Spanish.

All materials should be submitted to <u>projetoecopolitica@pucsp.br</u> or by registered mail to:

Prof. Dr. Edson Passetti Projeto Temático FAPESP Ecopolítica Pontifícia Universidade Católica de São Paulo Rua Monte Alegre, 984 Prédio Sede, Subsolo Sala S-17 05015-001 São Paulo-SP/Brasil.

The pre-selection to the interview will be undertaken by the project's lead researcher, based on the material submitted by the candidate. The final choice will be made through an interview, with reference to the materials presented, with an examining board chaired by the project's lead researcher along with two Ph.D researchers associated to the project and two external Ph.D professors. In case a candidate based outside Brazil is selected, the interview may be conducted through videoconference.

Interviews will be carried out between November 29 and 30, 2012.

Schedule, formats and allowances are according to the regulations established by Fapesp for post-doctoral fellowships, as indicated at <u>http://www.fapesp.br/bolsas/pd</u>.

Applications are accepted through October 29, 2012.



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Project's objectives:

Ecopolitic. Planetary governmentality, new institutionalizations and resistances in the society of control is a thematic project related to genealogical analysis of power. It aims at describing the passage from biopolitics - control over the life of the population - in disciplinary society, to ecopolitics – control over the life of the planet – in the society of control, with special attention placed on Brazil. We currently stand before a way of controlling that is less interested in the utility and docility of the body and more in its intelligence; that surpasses fixed boundaries, provokes events in continuous spaces, takes part in the production and decisions in a programmatic way. The unfinished institutionalization presents itself as proper of the society in which democratic practices prevail. In this sense, the research shifts the relation power-knowledge to the relation government-truth, removing the researcher from the clear relation surface-depth, based on gravity, to the same relation on outer space, in which surfaces vary according to the perspective. The problematization of the notion of ecopolitics will encompass cartographic fluxes of singular and intermittent resistances under the perspective of its emergences, captures and lines of flight. The research will be undertaken by singular movements juxtaposed by a multiplicity of fluxes of rights, security, environment and borderless penalizations. The research will articulate two movements or fluxes: mapping unfinished institutionalizations and cartography of singular and intermittent resistances.

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