

Lima School of Economics – Universidad de Piura

Second Young Visiting Scholar Program

Call for Applications

January-September 2020

Program

The Department of Economics at Universidad de Piura aims to produce [cutting-edge research](#) in economics and disseminate scientific findings from world-class scholars through [regular seminars](#). In addition, it recognizes the importance of collaborating with young scholars in order to promote and facilitate their research endeavors. As part of this goal, [it has organized six international workshops for young economists since 2007](#). To complement this effort, the Department is now inviting applications for the second edition of its Young Visiting Scholar program. This initiative offers a unique opportunity for promising PhD students or recent graduates to broaden their professional network and acquire first-hand experience to tackle research questions related to Latin America.

More specifically, the Young Visiting Scholar program offers the following benefits:

- Interaction and collaboration with faculty members and other local researchers
- Access and guidance to use Peruvian data
- Private office (with facilities)
- Presentations in workshops and seminars

This call is for the period January-September 2020. The visiting period should last either 3 or 4 months. Scholars are free to choose the starting date according to their own calendar. We may accept up to 2 visiting scholars.

Financial support

In case of need, the economics department could provide up to US\$1200 to cover air tickets and US\$800 for monthly expenses.

Eligibility

Scholars who are currently enrolled in a PhD program in Economics/Finance/Public Policy or who have graduated after 2017 are encouraged to apply.

Application process

Please send your CV, along with a personal statement to fernando.fernandez@udep.edu.pe. Priority will be given to scholars interested in working with data or topics related to Peru or Latin America. The deadline to apply is November 30th 2019. Decisions will be announced by December 16th.