



FACULTY OPENINGS

The Pontificia Universidad Católica del Perú (PUCP) invites you to apply for the recruitment of a person who will perform the role of tenure track research professor in the Department of Social Science, Section of Political Science, Area of International Relations.

For the area of specialization in:

Theories and Research Methods in International Relations (1 vacancy)

Deadline for application: April 30, 2021

The specialist who wins the teaching position will be able to:

- Teaching on those areas at undergraduate and graduate level (10 class hours in a year)
- Be engaged in research and publication in top scholarly journals.
- Advise theses of undergraduate and graduate students.
- Organize working groups and events related to research in those areas.
- Participate in networks of working groups related to those areas.
- Present his/her works e.g., lectures in international congresses.

Recruitment is expected to be on August 1, 2021 and it will have a 3-year duration. After this term, prior position evaluation, the position will become a permanent appointment.

Candidates must meet the following requirements:

- Degree of Doctor or Ph.D. in International Relations, Political Science with a specialization in International Relations or its equivalent.
- Specialization in Theories of International Relations and/or Research Methods in International Relations.
- Proficiency in Spanish and English. Command of another language at intermediate level will be evaluated positively.

- Experience in university teaching (at least teaching assistant).
- Having presented lectures in academic congresses related to his/her area of specialization.
- Having published in indexed scholarly journals: at least 2 publications in Scopus, WoS or equivalent journals.

The chosen candidate must take on the following commitments for the 3-year contract term:

- Teach a number equal to 10 class hours in a year (in average 5 weekly hours per semester), of which 6 hours should be at Undergraduate level or in General Studies.
- Having made, at least three publications in indexed journals of Scopus (Q1/Q2) or equivalent.
- Dissemination of his/her research works in academic congresses refereed by an international scientific committee (at least an annual congress in average, congresses may be on-line or face-to-face).
- Advise an annual average of 4 undergraduate and/or graduate theses and achieve a total of 6-thesis-defense.
- Participate or promote research groups or networks on his/her themes of specialization.
- Participate in the regular activities of the Section (boards of examiners of thesis, working commissions, working meetings, etc.)
- Specify the affiliation of Pontificia Universidad Católica del Perú in all publications and presentations conducted in academic events.
- Teaching and researching in other university institutions, research centers or equivalent will not be allowed, unless as a visiting professor or researcher.

Employment and Institutional Benefits:

In addition to the rights to which he/she is entitled pursuant to law (national health insurance, pension savings system, annual 30-day holidays), tenure track professors at the University may have access to the following benefits:

- Annual bonuses for good performance as professor.
- Annual bonuses for scientific publications (exceeding the number of commitments assumed).
- Financial support to present lectures in international congresses (payment of registration, tickets and allowances).
- Possibility to procure financing for research projects through the Annual Research Bidding Contest.
- Discounts in courses and academic programs of the University.
- Possibility to have access to complementary health insurance (EPS).

The file should include the following documents (see the attached check list):

1. Curriculum Vitae
2. Scanned copies of degrees and/or titles awarded.¹
3. A cover letter addressed to the Head of the Department of Social Science, Doctor David Sulmont, which states:
 - a. Presentation of academic history.
 - b. Position and institution to which the candidate belongs at present.
 - c. Main academic and professional achievements.
 - d. Interests and motivations to apply for the position.
 - e. Commitments to fulfill if hired by the University.
 - f. Projection as professor at the University.
 - g. List of documents attached.
4. Statement on research interests (Research statement), kept on two pages at most, including the following:
 - a. Skills developed for research.
 - b. Topics and lines of research.
 - c. Summary of research works, indicating his/her most representative works.
 - d. Main academic congresses where his/her research works were presented.
 - e. Research projects and future research desired to develop at the University if chosen.
 - f. Two most representative publications of his/her research track record (e.g. works in course of publication that have been already accepted, then, a letter or certificate of acceptance should be submitted in that case).
5. Statement on teaching experience (Teaching statement), kept on two pages at most, including the following:
 - a. Personal concept of teaching a subject, experience in university teaching.
 - b. What courses or topics related to your subject would you like to teach at the University?
 - c. Concept of his/her ability to advise undergraduate and graduate students regarding their theses.
6. Two letters of recommendation by researchers or university professors with whom he/she has worked.

Send the file for application by e-mail **no longer than April 30, 2021 indicating in the Subject** "APPLICATION FOR INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS TENURE TRACK" to the following e-mails:

¹If the chosen professor has been awarded with academic titles or degrees in a foreign university, they should be validated according to the Peruvian university law before the signing of contract. For validation process of academic titles and degrees in Peru, visit <https://www.sunedu.gob.pe/procedimiento-de-reconocimiento-de-gradados-y-titulos-extranjeros/>

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PUCP promotes gender equality in academia. Women who meet the requirements and profile indicated are strongly encouraged to apply.

ABOUT THE UNIVERSITY

The Pontificia Universidad Católica del Perú - PUCP was founded in 1917 and at present it has almost 30,000 undergraduate and graduate students. For many consecutive years, the University has had a position in the international rankings as the best university of the country and one of the 20 best universities in Latin America (Ranked 15 in QS 2021). Its university campus is in the city of Lima and its modern facilities are distributed over an area of 40 hectares, of which around a half corresponds to green areas and spaces destined for sport activities.

The Department of Social Science was incorporated in 1969 and is the main space for academic and professional education in Peru in the subjects of Anthropology, Sociology, Political Science and Government. It has more than 50 regular professors in these specialties, who teach at undergraduate and graduate levels in more than a dozen academic programs, including the academic programs of Political Science and International Relations at undergraduate level; Master of Political Science and International Relations and Doctorate in Political Science and Government at graduate level. A big part of professors of the Department are affiliated to the Center for Research on Sociology, Economics, Politics and Anthropology (CISEPA) of PUCP, founded in 1966.