Call for Applications

Fellowships 2021-22
The Natural Sciences Programme

Located in the Botanic Garden in Uppsala, the Swedish Collegium for Advanced Study (SCAS) is a national institute for advanced study. The collections of Carolina Rediviva Library and other scientific facilities at Uppsala University are situated nearby.

For the academic year 2021-22 the Collegium offers residential fellowships for senior and early-career scholars from all countries. The fellowships afford scholars the opportunity to concentrate on their own research interests. Fellows are expected to be in residence and to participate in academic events beyond their own fields of specialization. The application may be for the entire academic year or alternatively for one academic semester.

The Natural Sciences Programme aims at advancing cutting-edge research in the natural sciences, as well as at bridging the gap between these and the humanities and social sciences. The focus of the programme is on research that involves synthesis, data analysis and conceptual and theoretical work. There are four thematic foci of the programme, namely 1) Theoretical Biology; 2) Human Brains and Societies; 3) Measurable Man; and 4) Exoplanets and Biological Activity on Other Worlds.

At the time of application, the candidate must have held a PhD (or equivalent degree) for at least three years. Candidates should have a track record of significant and original research achievements, and be active at the international forefront of his/her research field.

The holder of a fellowship receives a monthly salary. Accommodation for Fellows who do not live in the Stockholm-Uppsala region is arranged by the Collegium and all Fellows have their own fully equipped office at the Collegium.

The application deadline is 1 July, 2020.

For full details about the programme, the eligibility criteria and how to apply, please see:

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