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Gulbenkian/Saab Visiting Professorship in Portuguese Studies for Fall Semester 2020

The Calouste Gulbenkian Foundation in Lisbon, Portugal, and the Saab Center for Portuguese Studies in the College of Fine Arts, Humanities, and Social Sciences announce the third year of the Gulbenkian/Saab Visiting Professorship in Portuguese Studies, a three-year collaboration to sponsor a one-semester a year, open-rank, Visiting Professor of Portuguese Studies at UMass Lowell. The program is open to Portuguese Academics presently teaching at a university in Portugal or abroad.

The program contributes a Portuguese academic perspective to the curriculum of the College of Fine Arts, Humanities, and Social Sciences and, more specifically, supports the interdisciplinary Minor in Portuguese Studies. The program further enhances the University's relationship with the local Portuguese-American community.

In the third year of the program (Fall Semester 2020: September 1 to December 22), we seek a professor in the fields of art, art history, music, political science or economics. The Visiting Professor will teach up to two courses in English and deliver one or more public lectures in his/her area of expertise. The program provides for a one-semester salary stipend.

To be considered, applicants should send a letter of interest, a curriculum vita, a list of three references, and two potential course topics via email to Prof. Frank F. Sousa, director of the Saab Center for Portuguese Studies, at frank_sousa@uml.edu. **The deadline for applications is Friday, December 6, 2019.**

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