



**RESEARCH LECTURESHIP IN METHODOLOGY OF SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH
AT THE UNIVERSITY OF SIENA – SCUOLA SUPERIORE SANTA CHIARA**

A.Y. 2010 – 2011

AWARD #0306 GRANT CATEGORY: Lecturing/Research

NUMBER OF AWARDS: 1

DEADLINE: August 1, 2009

DISCIPLINE: Methodology of Scientific Research

SPECIALIZATION (s): Broad knowledge of the methodologies of scientific research and of the related issues in philosophy of science.

DESIRED QUALIFICATIONS OF SCHOLAR

Researcher or Associate Professors

HOST INSTITUTION: University of Siena
Scuola Superiore Santa Chiara

LENGTH OF GRANT: 3/4 months

GRANT START DATE: March 2011

GRANT ACTIVITY

Santa Chiara, the Graduate School of the University of Siena, engages research students of all departments of the University in interdisciplinary research. This position was established for research students of different disciplines who want to deepen their knowledge of the foundations and the methodology of science.

The scholar will teach one graduate course of 2 hours per week, in the lecture or seminar format, to a class of approximately 20 Ph.D students.

OTHER ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES ASSIGNED TO THE GRANTEE

Advising research students.

DIDACTIC MATERIAL

We will make available photocopying facilities etc for the material required.

LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS

Lecturing is in English

AWARD AMOUNT

The grant amounts to €9.500. This sum includes a maintenance allowance of €7.000, a settling-in allowance of €1.000 and a travel allowance of €1.500. The grantee will be covered by Health and Accident Insurance for the whole grant period, provided by *United States Department of State*.

LETTER OF INVITATION

Candidates are not required to submit a letter of invitation from the Scuola Superiore.

LOGISTIC INFORMATION

The holder of the position will be accommodated in the buildings of the Scuola Superiore and will have access to all its facilities, including its restaurant.

ENTRY VISA TO ITALY

The Fulbright scholar will need to obtain a visa for study purposes (*visto per studio*) for the whole duration of his/her stay in Italy

CONTACT PERSON(S) AT THE HOST INSTITUTION (for applicants' questions about this award):

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