







National Bank
of Ukraine

Visiting Scholar Program

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Visiting Scholar Program at the NBU: Key Features

Goal	Participants	Duration	Expected Results
 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> to strengthen the cooperation with outstanding scholars and researchers working in the field of applied economics and finance 	 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> PhD or advanced degree experience in policy motivated research, consulting activities, proven experience 	 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> various visiting schedules one research visit runs or few short-term visits 	 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> conducting research on pre-specified topics and disseminating results publicly advising NBU research and policy staff on their ongoing projects
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> to enhance cooperation between visiting scholars and the NBU staff 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> prominent researchers with an established reputation in a field relevant to NBU priorities 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> subject to agreement between each researcher, NBU and donors 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> open research seminars at the NBU and paper submission to the NBU Working Paper Series

Purpose of Visiting Scholar Program

NBU research priorities

Monetary policy:
inflation targeting
framework

Financial Stability:
macro- and
microprudential tools

**Macroeconomic
Modeling and
Forecasting:** structural
and econometric models

to promote policy relevant research that meets high academic standards, allow prominent scholars to contribute to the policymaking environment of the NBU and enhance cooperation between visiting scholars and the NBU staff

NBU expectations from Visiting Scholar:

- carrying out NBU relevant research, presenting research output in the internal and open seminars, submitting the results to the NBU Working Paper series and “NBU Visnyk” journal
- joint projects with NBU staff are highly appreciated
- providing feedback on NBU staff research projects, participating in internal seminars and discussions with NBU top management on relevant policy issues



Proposals in other areas relevant for the NBU will be considered, but priority is given to research projects on topics most aligned with the NBU research priorities

Organizational issues

Duration

The program accommodates various visiting schedules, depending on the preferences of scholars and the needs of the NBU

- One research visit (up to 4 weeks)
- Few short-term visits

Scholars may start at any time during the year, subject to agreement with the NBU

Programs are approved by **NBU Board**

Research Unit within Monetary Policy and Economic Analysis Department is in charge for program coordination from NBU side



NBU offers:



Stimulating research environment in close proximity to the policymaking process

- workspace at the NBU
- access to data
- computer resources
- research assistance



Reimbursement

- economy class travel
- accommodation
- per diem allowance



Assistance in administrative issues

- visa requirements
- rent flat or transportation
- other

Visiting Scholar profile

prominent researcher

with an established reputation in a field relevant to NBU priorities

fluent in English

Proficiency in Ukrainian is not required

PhD

in economics, finance or econometrics

open for collaboration

strong communications skills

Applications to be submitted in English and include:

(1) a detailed CV, (2) a concise research proposal, max 1500 words, (3) preferred timing of the visit

For further information or submitting application, please write us at: research@bank.gov.ua