



## ANNOUNCEMENT OF VISITING ACADEMIC POSITION DEPARTMENT OF ARCHITECTURE — SPRING SEMESTER 2026-27

The Department of Architecture at the University of Cyprus invites applications for one (1) Visiting Academic position, at any academic rank, for the Spring Semester 2026-27. Research may address topics/courses in **Architectural Design (Studio) and/or the following**: Media (including Digital Media), Theory and History of Architecture, Architectural Technology, Sustainable Design, or Landscape Architecture.

### REQUIRED QUALIFICATIONS:

The minimum requirements for each academic rank can be found at the department's webpage:

[https://www.ucy.ac.cy/hr2/wp-content/uploads/sites/253/2023/05/Qualifications-of-Academic-Staff\\_eng.pdf](https://www.ucy.ac.cy/hr2/wp-content/uploads/sites/253/2023/05/Qualifications-of-Academic-Staff_eng.pdf)

The circular regarding Visiting Academics is available at:

[https://www.ucy.ac.cy/legislation/wp-content/uploads/5.2.1.-Circular-regarding-Visiting-Academics\\_EN\\_XP\\_23.04.2025\\_Amended.pdf](https://www.ucy.ac.cy/legislation/wp-content/uploads/5.2.1.-Circular-regarding-Visiting-Academics_EN_XP_23.04.2025_Amended.pdf)

The official languages of the University of Cyprus are Greek and Turkish, but teaching in English is also possible. For these positions, excellent knowledge of Greek and/or English is required.

Applicants do not need to be citizens of the Republic of Cyprus but must be physically present in Cyprus during the semester, as teaching is continuous (1–3 times per week) and class schedules can NOT be changed.

### TERMS OF EMPLOYMENT:

Visiting Academics must reside in Cyprus on a full-time basis during their employment and should ensure that this is feasible before applying. Submission of an application implies acceptance of this condition, which must be explicitly stated in the letter of interest.

The successful candidate must have obtained the necessary leave of absence (sabbatical or unpaid leave) from their home institution.

Visiting Academics are employed full-time, corresponding on average to 9 teaching hours per week (e.g., one design studio and one lecture course, or three lecture courses per semester).

For the employment of Visiting Academics at the rank of Assistant Professor, Associate Professor, and Professor, for teaching in any of the programmes, candidates shall hold an equivalent rank in other Universities (Academic Institutions), while for the employment of Visiting Lecturers in a programme, the candidate shall not be required to hold an equivalent position in another University (Academic Institution).

Monthly gross salaries (subject to change) are as follows:

Visiting Professor	€ 4.134,57
Visiting Associate Professor	€ 3.716,51
Visiting Assistant Professor	€ 3.525,65
Visiting Lecturer	€ 3.075,17

Salaries may be adjusted according to any general increases or decreases imposed by the State. A 13th salary will be paid proportionally to the employment period within the year.

Appointment to the positions is subject to the availability of funding. The Department reserves the right not to fill the positions if the teaching schedule changes or if the applications received do not meet its needs.

It is noted that the position of visiting academic differs significantly from the position of special teaching scientists regarding the required qualifications.

## APPLICATION PROCEDURE:

Applicants should submit their application through the website: <https://applications.ucy.ac.cy/recruitment>

The following must be included (in Greek or English):

1. Online Application Form (available on the above website after account creation and login), including details of qualifications and the fields/courses the applicant wishes to teach (e.g., architectural design studios, technology courses, theory/history of architecture, media, etc.).
2. Full Curriculum Vitae.
3. Copies of recognized academic degrees.
4. A cover letter demonstrating the candidate's suitability for the specific position.

Shortlisted candidates may be invited to an interview, for which they will be notified after the submission deadline. Selected candidates must later provide certified copies of degrees—either by the Ministry of Education, Sports and Youth (for degrees from private institutions in Cyprus) or by the issuing authority (for foreign universities).

The total size of the application, including attachments, must not exceed 20 MB.

Application deadline: **Monday, 15 June 2026, 14:00** (Cyprus time).

For further information, please contact: [architecture@ucy.ac.cy](mailto:architecture@ucy.ac.cy)

## NOTE:

**Only successful applicants will be notified.** Selected candidates must be able to assume duties at the beginning of the Spring Semester 2026–27 (early January 2027).

By submitting an application, candidates confirm that the processing of personal data will be handled securely and confidentially, in compliance with the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) 2016/679 (EU).

The University of Cyprus (UCY) promotes inclusion, diversity, equality, and the elimination of all forms of discrimination, in order to ensure a fair, safe, and pleasant environment for the entire university community, where students and staff — within and beyond their multiple identities — feel supported in both their professional and personal development. For this reason, the University of Cyprus strives to create conditions that encourage and respect diversity and safeguard dignity, both in the workplace and in society at large. At the same time, the University of Cyprus has adopted specific policies promoting equal opportunities, respect, and understanding of diversity, and is committed to fostering and maintaining a working, teaching, and learning environment free from all forms of discrimination, whether direct or indirect.

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