

TOKAT GAZIOSMANPAŞA UNIVERSITY (TOGU)
VISITING SCHOLAR PROGRAM (VSP)
General Terms and Conditions

- 1- The program is open to researchers (academics, Master and PhD students) residing outside Türkiye.
- 2- Researchers participating in the program are TOGU's guests and cannot be considered as employees of TOGU.
- 3- TOGU VSP participants have the right to benefit from all social and cultural opportunities that TOGU offers to its students and staff.
- 4- TOGU undertakes to cover the **accommodation and lunch expenses** of the program participants.
- 5- All expenses other than the above-mentioned belong to the participant. No scholarship / donations / salaries are guaranteed for the participants.
- 6- The time that program participants will spend at TOGU is limited to a minimum of **1 week** and a maximum of **2 months** between **1st July and 31st August**.
- 7- Visiting academics and postgraduate students are expected to actively engage in academic activities during their stay at Tokat Gaziosmanpaşa University. Within the scope of the VSP, participants are expected to:
 - conduct research related to their field of expertise,
 - work on an academic publication (such as an article, book chapter, or conference paper),
 - and/or develop joint research or project proposals in cooperation with TOGU academic staff.The outcomes of these academic activities are expected to contribute to sustainable academic collaboration between the institutions.
- 8- Program participants will be assigned a mentor from among the academic staff during the time they will spend at TOGU. The mentor's task is to assist the participant with both academic and social issues during the participant's time at TOGU.
- 9- The candidate should fill in the TOGU VSP application form by adding a CV and must send it to (toguvsp@gop.edu.tr) to start the application process **at least 60 days** prior to the desired start date.
- 10- Coordination of TOGU VSP processes is carried out by the TOGU Rankings and Protocols Office.