



CALL FOR ARTS TEAM LEADERS

The Advanced Research Training Seminar (ARTS) is currently looking for six engaged postdoctoral or early career researchers in psychology to become team leaders for ARTS 2026

WHAT IS ARTS?

The ARTS involves capacity-building workshops that take place every four years in conjunction with the International Congresses of Applied Psychology (ICAP). ARTS promotes excellence in research skills and facilitates exchange and dialogue amongst early-career scientists. ARTS is organized by the International Association of Applied Psychology (IAAP).

HOW DOES ARTS WORK?

ARTS has several components:

1. *Research* – Team leaders define and lead the research projects. ARTS participants work on one of these projects with their team leader and peers in groups of three to five people.
2. *Feedback* – Participants will also have the opportunity to present their own research through an oral presentation (or poster) and receive feedback from their peers, team leaders and the ARTS committee.
3. *Presentations* – Teams will present their team project at the symposium organized by IAAP and will have the opportunity to receive feedback from renowned experts.

TEAM LEADER RESPONSIBILITIES

- Formulate a research project that your team will work on
- Guide your team through this project
- Facilitate team interactions and coordinate team activities (e.g., meetings) throughout your research project
- Provide your team members with support and feedback on their work
- Aim to prepare and submit a research article about your team's research project
- Commit to a 12-month project, starting in October 1st 2025 and ending in October 1st 2026.

BENEFITS

- Collaborate on a research topic of your interest
- Network and work with peers from around the world
- Gain experience working in a leadership and supervisory role
- Potential for academic outputs (e.g., research articles) in your field of research
- Meet leading scholars and renowned experts
- Free participation to ARTS
- Free accommodation and meals during the ARTS meeting in Florence from the 17th of July to the 20th of July, 2026.
- Possibility to apply for a travel bursary
- IAAP one-year membership



HOW TO APPLY

To apply for the position of ARTS Team Leader, you must be:

- A postdoctoral/Ph.D. student about to graduate or an early career academic specializing in any sub-discipline or research field of applied psychology
- Able to commit to a 12-month-long project
- Be willing to travel to and attend the ARTS 2026 Program in Florence from the 17th of July to the 20th of July, 2026.

Please click [here](#) to apply. The application should be accompanied with the following documents:

- Cover letter with a statement of how the ARTS program relates to your career objectives
- CV/Resume
- Brief description of the research project you are proposing (about 500 words)

Please include all your documents in the application or send to this email:

operationscenter@iaapsy.org

Subject line: ARTS Application 2026_Your Name

Deadline for submitting applications is **March 15th, 2025**.

Acceptances and rejections will be sent out shortly after the deadline.