

DISTINGUISHED VISITING PROFESSORSHIP 2022-23

The UCL Faculty of Laws invites outstanding academics in any field of law to apply for a **Distinguished Visiting Professorship** for between six and twelve months of the **2022-23** academic year. Applicants must hold a post equivalent to a full professorship in the UK. Successful applicants are expected to spend at least six months at UCL, typically on sabbatical leave from their home institution. The visit should cover at least one UCL term (see [here](#) for details of UCL's term dates).

The Distinguished Visiting Professor will spend most of their stay conducting research on a particular project. They will be asked to present their ongoing research to the Faculty and to participate in the academic life of the Faculty.

Selection Criteria:

Selection will primarily be based on the strength of the applicant's research proposal, their overall contribution to their area of expertise, how much they will benefit from visiting the UCL Faculty of Laws, and how much they might contribute to the research environment at UCL Laws. Applicants must state clearly in their application the research they plan to undertake while at UCL.

Financial Support and Benefits:

The Distinguished Visiting Professor will receive a housing allowance of **£10,000** for a full year visit (*pro rata* for shorter periods). They will be given office space (with computer and telephone) in Bentham House, the Faculty's historic building, which has just undergone a magnificent [renovation](#). The Distinguished Visiting Professor will be able to participate in the Faculty's [events](#), such as staff seminars, workshops, conferences, public lectures etc. They will have access to the UCL library and the library of the Institute of Advanced Legal Studies (IALS).

Queries about the post should be addressed to [Professor Kimberley Trapp](#) (Vice-Dean (International)).

Application Process and Deadlines:

Applicants must send the following:

- A statement explaining their interest in the post
- A curriculum vitae (including list of publications)
- A research proposal of no more than 3000 words, detailing the research they propose to undertake while at UCL *and* two recent publications

Applications should be addressed to lawshr@ucl.ac.uk – please quote “Distinguished Visiting Professorship 2022-23” in the email subject line when submitting your application.

The deadline for submission is **February 11, 2022**. Applicants will be notified of the outcome of their application by the end of February.

COVID-19: Visits will be subject to developments around covid-19, including any travel restrictions and building capacity restrictions at Bentham House. We will keep the successful applicant appraised of developments as they emerge and work with them to realise the visit as fully as possible within legal and practical constraints.