



John D. Calandra
Italian American Institute
Queens College/CUNY

Faculty Fellowship Program – Spring 2025

CUNY faculty members are invited to apply to the John D. Calandra Italian American Institute Faculty Fellowship Program.

PURPOSE: The Faculty Fellowship Program awards one to three faculty members (budget pending) to spend up to six months and/or one semester on research and/or curriculum development in any field related to Italian-American and/or Italian diaspora studies, from the social sciences to the arts and humanities.

ELIGIBILITY: Applicants must be full-time, faculty members of any of the twenty-five (25) Colleges and Special Schools of The City University of New York; they should hold a tenured position or be in their second triennial of a tenure-track position. The successful applicant(s) will receive full reassigned time from their college teaching duties and have the opportunity to work out of the John D. Calandra Italian American Institute, located in mid-town Manhattan, for the length of the award.

NOMINATION: Nominations should come from CUNY College provosts and/or presidents/deans. Applicants should communicate their interest in the program first to their department chair and then to their provost and/or president. Letters of nomination should include the following: a current *curriculum vitae*; a 500- to 1,000-word description of the project with a two-page bibliography; and two letters of recommendation that speak to the validity of the project and to the applicant(s)' ability to successfully complete it. Applications will be reviewed by a committee of CUNY professors and at least two members of the Calandra Institute research staff.

REQUIREMENTS: Faculty fellows will be expected to be in partial residence at the Calandra Institute; s/he will also deliver one public lecture. A completed manuscript or detailed report of the fellow's progress will be required thirty (30) days after the end of the award period.

The Calandra Institute is the publisher of the *Italian American Review* and *Voices in Italian Americana* it is also home to Bordighera Press and Calandra Institute Imprints. All venues may consider completed projects for either journal or book-length studies.

The submission deadline is September 16, 2024, 5 PM. Awards will be announced no later than October 15, 2024. All questions and nominations should be sent to:

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