



**School of Sport, Tourism  
and Hospitality Management**

**POST-DOCTORAL FELLOW POSITION  
ON TOURISM AND HOSPITALITY MANAGEMENT**

The U.S.-Asia Center for Tourism & Hospitality Research in the School of Sport, Tourism and Hospitality Management at Temple University invites applications for one post-doctoral fellow position on tourism and hospitality management. Temple University's U.S.-Asia Center for Tourism & Hospitality Research was recently established to be a leading brain trust that advances the development of the US and Asian tourism and hospitality industries, education, and research. It aims to establish and enhance connections between government, industry, and other public entities in the tourism and hospitality areas. Members of the Center are STHM faculty with national and international recognition, and come from broad disciplinary and industry backgrounds. We are seeking candidates that have a record of scholarship who have the potential to work in an interdisciplinary team to publish in premier journals. Below is more detailed information about the position:

**Position:** Postdoctoral Fellow (Non-Tenure Track); Full Time; 12 months; One year appointment, with possibility of renewal

**Institution:** The U.S.-Asia Center for Tourism & Hospitality Research, Temple University

**Location:** Philadelphia PA, USA

**Application Timeline:** Review of applications will begin immediately and continue until the position is filled.

**Start Date:** Negotiable with mid-August preferred

**Compensation:** Salary is very competitive and commensurate with experience

***Qualifications:***

Candidates may come from different backgrounds, such as management, marketing, economics, geography, sociology, or a related field. Candidates should possess a minimum of a Ph.D. and have training or equivalent research skill, subject knowledge, and expertise and experience with a record of publication in peer-reviewed scientific journals. Preference will be given to candidates with (1) strong communication skills in team work; (2) excellent quantitative analytics skills; and (3) past project experiences on research grants.

***Duties:***

Perform research required by the Center director to a high standard, work with both academics and industry partners to initiate and engage in various research projects, and play an active role in ongoing projects within the Center. The post-doctoral fellow is expected to collaborate with faculty at the Center, but can also pursue his/her own independent research agenda.

***Application Information:***

The selection process will begin immediately upon receipt of applications. An application should include: a) cover letter, b) statement of proposed research, c) CV, and d) contact details of at least two references. Please email application to the Center Director, Dr. Xiang (Robert) Li, at [robertli@temple.edu](mailto:robertli@temple.edu). Only electronic submissions will be reviewed; please do not send paper applications.

***Conditions:***

The postdoctoral fellow must provide a transcript and/or diploma certifying that he/she has received his/her degrees. Candidates who have completed all of their requirements for the advanced degrees, but have not yet received their degrees, should provide documentation certifying that all requirements for the degree have been completed.

***About the University, School, and city:***

Temple University of the Pennsylvania Commonwealth System of Higher Education serves nearly 39,000 students around the globe, and is one of the three major state-related, research universities in Pennsylvania. The School of Sport, Tourism and Hospitality Management (STHM) at Temple University is the largest provider of sport, recreation, tourism, and hospitality education in the Philadelphia region, and an international model for innovative teaching and research. STHM is widely recognized as one of the top- providers of tourism and hospitality management education in the U.S. and the world.

Philadelphia is the fifth largest city in the United States and is a major cultural center with a high concentration of dining and other attractions, as well as easy international access. Housing and living costs in Philadelphia are among the lowest of major U.S. cities. Philadelphia also has a significant presence of IT, financial services, pharmaceutical and other industries, providing opportunities for interaction with businesses and research.

Temple University is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity employer.  
Women and minorities are encouraged to apply.