**Postdoctoral Fellowship opportunity in transformations for sustainability  
Call for proposals by FAPESP/Brazil and Belmont Forum, at**

**UNICAMP (NEPAM, Center for Environmental Studies and Research), and** **USP Centre for Responsible Mining (NAP.Mineração/USP)**

**São Paulo, BRAZIL**

**Agência FAPESP** – As part of the project *Sustainability Transformations in Artisanal and Small-Scale Gold Mining: A Multi-Actor and Trans-Regional Perspective* we are pleased to announce a call for **two** **(2)** Postdoctoral Fellowships with FAPESP/Brazil and the Belmont Forum. The deadline to apply is **march 4th, 2019 at 5:00pm (BRT or GMT-3)**. The successful candidates will work at the UNICAMP (University of Campinas, NEPAM, Center for Environmental Studies and Research and USP Centre for Responsible Mining (NAP.Mineracao/USP) under the supervision of professors Lúcia da Costa Ferreira and. Giorgio de Tomi, respectively.

The postdoctoral fellows will carry out interdisciplinary studies and transactional cooperation with the aim of developing a transformation approach towards sustainability. The focus of the research is artisanal and small-scale gold mining (ASGM).

Although ASGM has a significant potential to support the subsistence of millions of people in developing countries and to contribute towards social and environmental sustainability, its negative impacts in conjunction with institutional instability, create barriers to its sustainable development.

**Position (1): social sciences or in related subject areas**

The call is open to applicants with a PhD degree in social sciences or in related subject areas, with experience in the interdisciplinary and transnational teams, as well as experience of long-term in field research in Amazon. Will be prioritized domain of techniques of interview, direct observation and situational analysis

All applicants must submit a summary CV and a cover letter in both Portuguese and English to [luciacf@unicamp.br](mailto:luciacf@unicamp.br) with a copy to [neusatre@gmail.com](mailto:neusatre@gmail.com).

**Position (2): mineral or geological engineering**

The call is open to applicants with a PhD degree in mineral or geological engineering with proven experience in the management of interdisciplinary and transnational teams. Long-term practical experience in the Amazon, mine management skills and hands-on experience with multi-stakeholder discussions for the coexistence between large-scale mining and artisanal mining are also required. Fluency in Portuguese, English and Spanish is a requisite. The applicants must have availability for long-term field trips to the study areas both in Brazil and overseas.

All applicants must submit a summary CV and a cover letter in both Portuguese and English to [gdetomi@usp.br](mailto:gdetomi@usp.br) with a copy to [luciacf@unicamp.br](mailto:luciacf@unicamp.br), [neusatre@gmail.com](mailto:neusatre@gmail.com) and [m.de.theije@vu.nl](mailto:m.de.theije@vu.nl)

**TAKE NOTE**: **The application deadline is March, 4th,2019. We look forward to receiving your application!**