How to Obtain an Individual Taxpayer ID (CPF) in Brazil

How to obtain your Cadastro de Pessoa Física (CPF) in Brazil It is obligatory that every student and international researcher at UFMG do the Cadastro de Pessoa Física (CPF). This document is necessary to complete your enrollment, as well as having access to other services in Brazil such as opening a bank account, acquiring a SIM Card (with a Brazilian phone number) and getting access to the university facilities.

The steps to obtain a CPF in Brazil are:

1) Go to a Banco do Brasil or a Post Office. Speak to a customer service representative, request your CPF, pay the approximate fee of R$10.00, and obtain the payment receipt. **It is essential that you bring your passport or Migration Registration Card (CRNM).**

2) Go to the Federal Revenue Service's Taxpayer Service Center (CAC) in Belo Horizonte. It is located at Avenida Olegário Maciel, 2360, in the Santo Agostinho neighborhood, and request your CPF. Landmark: at the corner of Avenida do Contorno.

   The Federal Revenue Service will request the following documents:

   - Original Identification document (passport or National Migration Registry Card).
   - Proof of payment of the CPF fee.