

Announcement of a Post-Doc scholarship within the framework of the project: "SMARTAgriFor", 664599— H2020-WIDESPREAD-2014-2015/H2020

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A call is open for a Post-Doc Research Scholarship within the European project *"SMARTAgriFor", 664599— H2020-WIDESPREAD-2014-2015/H2020,* financed by the European Commission 2015-2016.

Scientific domain: Science and Research Management in Agriculture and Forestry

Requirements for admission: The candidates should have a PhD in Agricultural or Forestry Sciences, or equivalent. They should have experience in research projects, preferably European projects, and experience in science and research management, within the domain of agricultural and environmental sciences. Fluency in Portuguese and English is required.

Work Plan: The project SmartAgriFor is coordinated by the FCT (Fundação para a Ciência e Tecnologia), and the University of Évora is a partner in the Portuguese consortium working in the project. The work to be developed until 31st May 2016 aims at the preparation of the business plan for a National Centre of Excellence in the domain of Agriculture and Forestry, to be submitted to the 2nd phase evaluation within the Horizon 2020 TEAMING program, in June 2016.

The University of Evora is involved in several WPs, and is coordinating WP2, Stakeholder Engagement, as well as W5, Communication, Knowledge Management and Internationalization. The Post-Doc researcher will be dedicating part of his/her time to WP2 and part to WP5, namely to contacts with stakeholders, elaboration of a stakeholder engagement plan, workshop organizations, and communication management and marketing strategy. Part of the activities of the Post-Doc researcher will be also dedicated to supporting the team coordinator in all tasks related with SMARTAgriFor. The researcher is expected to develop independent work. The research is to be developed at the University of Evora, ICAAM (Institute for Mediterranean Agrarian and Environmental Sciences.

Relevant legislation and regulation: The scholarship will run for 10 months, starting 1st August 2015, in exclusivity regime, according to the Regulation for Research Scholarships in the University of Évora (Ordem de Serviço nº1/2011), the Statutes of Scientific Research Fellow (Lei nº40/2004 de 18 de Agosto e Decreto-Lei nº 202/2012 de 27 de Agosto) and in accordance with the legislation and regulation "Formação Avançada e Qualificação de Recursos Humanos", from FCT (www.fct.pt/apoios/bolsas/regulamento.phtml.pt).

The attribution of the scholarship will be object of a contract in-between the University of Évora and the person selected, respecting the Regulation for Research Scholarships in the University of Évora, the Statutes of Scientific Research Fellow, and the relevant legislation.

Place of work: The work is to be developed at the ICAAM, Polo da Mitra of the University of Evora, under the scientific coordination of Teresa Pinto-Correia

Length of the scholarship: The scholarship will last for 10 months.

Payment: According to the scholarship values applied by the Portuguese Research Foundation (<u>http://wwwfct.pt/apoios/bolsas/valores</u>): the monthly payment is of 1450 Euros, not subject to taxes, and the contribution to the national social-medical insurance is paid by the project.

Selection: The selection procedure is based on the analysis of the CV and other documents considered relevant by the candidate. However, candidates may be invited to an interview in case there are equally ranked CV evaluations. In case the candidate is not able to come to Evora, the interview may be undertaken using *skype*.

Selection Comitee: Teresa Pinto Correia (President), Fátima Baptista (1º vogal), Nuno Almeida Ribeiro (2º vogal) Gottlieb Basch (1ºsuplente), Miguel Elias (2º suplente)

Announcement of results: The final results of the selection will be announced, through a ranking list according to the classification, displayed at ICAAM, and sent to all candidates by email.

Period for the call and presentation of application: Only application received from <u>30 June to</u> <u>13 July 2015</u> will be considered. The selection and information about results will be done until the 17 July 2015.

Applications should be sent by e-mail, including a motivation letter, the *curriculum vitae* of the candidate, a copy of the Master and PhD certificates, and two recommendation letters, to:

Teresa Pinto Correia ICAAM, Universidade de Évora e-mail: <u>mtpc@uevora.pt</u>



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