

Public Policy Monitoring Unit (UMPP) of the University of Évora Research Scholarship for Bachelor – 3 positions

January 26, 2022

A call for tenders is open for three Research Scholarships (BI Graduation) within the scope of the project called "Recovery Monitoring - Proposal for a conceptual model and methodology for monitoring Portugal's economic and social recovery in a COVID-19 and post-pandemic context", with reference POAT-01-6177-FEDER-000049 co-financed by the European Regional Development Fund (ERDF) through PORTUGAL 2020, and specifically through the Technical Assistance Operational Program (POAT), under the following conditions:

Scientific area: Economics.

Admission requirements: Scholarships are intended for Graduates. These grants are preferably aimed at graduates in Economics, but applications from graduates in International Relations, Political Science, Public Administration, Sociology and other scientific areas relevant to the Project will also be accepted.

As set forth FCT Research Scholarship Regulation No. 950/2019 of December 16, 2019, article 3 and 6, candidates for "BI" must comply as a rule condition for the award of the scholarship, the effective inclusion in study cycles leading to the attribution of academic degrees or in courses not leading to an academic degree. Courses that do not confer an academic degree correspond to the courses provided for in subparagraph e) of paragraph 3 of article 4 of Decree-Law No. 74/2006 of 24 March and must be developed in a higher education institution in association with at least one R&D unit, including a course plan in one or several research areas of the unit.

Work plan: Participation in the research project "Recovery Monitoring - Proposal for a conceptual model and methodology for monitoring Portugal's economic and social recovery in a COVID-19 and post-pandemic context", in particular in activities related to the construction of the respective indicator system.

Applicable legislation and regulations: The granting of the Research Scholarship will be carried out upon the signing of a contract between the University of Évora and the scholarship holder, as set in the template https://www.fct.pt/apoios/Minuta_Contrato_Bolsa.docx, pursuant to the Research Scholarship Statute (Law No. 40/2004 of August 18 and Decree-Law No. 123/2019 of August 28) and in accordance with the legislation and Regulation of Research

Grants of the Foundation for Science and Technology, IP in force, regulation nº950/2019 of December 16, 2019: <u>https://www.fct.pt/apoios/bolsas/regulamento.phtml.pt</u> and other applicable rules.

Place of work: The work will be developed at Public Policy Monitoring Unit (UMPP) of the University of Évora, under the scientific guidance of the Prof. Doctor Paulo Alexandre Neves Martinho Neto.

Duration of the scholarships: The scholarships will have a duration of 6 months, starting on April of 2022. The scholarships contract may be renewed, for additional periods, until the end of the funding project's budget allocation.

Amount of monthly maintenance allowance: The amount of the scholarship corresponds to €875,98, according to the table of scholarships awarded directly by FCT, I.P. in Portugal (<u>http://fct.pt/apoios/bolsas/valores</u>), payments being made monthly, by check or bank transfer.

Selection methods: The selection of candidates will be based on the respective curricular evaluation and will take into account the merit of the candidates, considering the academic background, the degree average, the curricular profile, and the experience in scientific research relevant to the Project in question.

The selection of candidates will be based on the following weighting:

1. Academic qualifications: 70%

- 1.1. Degree average: 50%
- 1.2. Degree area: 25%
- 1.3. Other academic qualifications not awarding a degree: 25%
- 2. Curricular analysis: 30%
- 2.1. Professional experience in the Project area or related areas: 70%
- 2.2. Experience of participating in research projects and activities: 20%
- 2.3. Professional training in the Project area or related areas: 10%

Composition of the Selection Jury:

President: Prof. Doctor Paulo Alexandre Neves Martinho Neto 1st Member – Prof. Doctor Adão António Nunes de Carvalho 2nd Member – Prof. Doctor Elsa Cristina Vaz 1st Alternate – Prof. Doctor José Manuel Martins Caetano 2nd Alternate – Prof. Doctor Gertrudes Saúde Guerreiro

Advertising/notification of results: The final results of the evaluation will be publicized, through an ordered list by final grade obtained posted in a visible and public place namely on the website of the Public Policy Monitoring Unit (UMPP) of the University of Évora, at

https://www.umpp.uevora.pt/ and more specifically at https://www.umpp.uevora.pt/Atividades/Projeto-Monitorizacao-da-Recuperacao, being the candidate (a) approved notified through email.

To ensure the right of prior hearing of interested parties, the Final Classification project will be announced by any written means to all interested parties.

After communicating the provisional list of the results of the evaluation, candidates have a period of 10 working days to express their opinion in a preliminary hearing of interested parties.

Application deadline and submission of applications: The tender is open from February 1, 2022 to March 15, 2022 and the results of the selection will be published by April 4, 2022.

Applications must be formalized, obligatorily, by sending, by email, an application letter with the following documents: Curriculum Vitae, certificate of qualifications, reference or recommendation letters and other supporting documents considered relevant.

For the purposes of application, the evidence may be replaced by a declaration of honor signed by the candidate, but the failure to demonstrate that evidence, in the contracting phase, possession of the required degree on the deadline for application or the nonpresentation of proof of enrollment in the study cycle or non-degree course, for scholarships with this component, imply the cancellation of the candidate's application.

Academic degrees obtained in foreign countries require registration by a Portuguese Institution in accordance with Decree-Law no. 66/2018, of August 16 and Ordinance No. 33/2019, of January 25th.

The presentation of the certificate is mandatory for the signing of the contract. More information can be obtained at: https://www.dges.gov.pt/pt/pagina/recognition?plid=374

Applications must be sent by email to:

Prof. Doutor Paulo Alexandre Neves Martinho Neto

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