

# Universidade de Évora Edital

Applications for Admission to the Ph.D. Program in Landscape Arts and Techniques
Academic year 2020/2021

# 1. The program is promoted by:

Universidade de Évora - Instituto de Investigação e Formação Avançada

# 2. Program Coordination:

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# 3. Program description:

This Doctoral Program follows principles aimed at the training of researchers with a strong scientific background, highly qualified in solving problems, endowed with a high sense of scientific integrity, with the capacity to communicate with an entrepreneurial spirit, with a high degree of autonomy and ability of continuous learning. In addition to carrying out the research work leading to the preparation of the thesis (162 ECTS), the doctorate must obtain 18 ECTS in optional curricular units. They can also attend Seminars, Short Courses and others that are of interest to complete their training and participate in scientific meetings in the area of Landscape Arts and Techniques in which they are expected to submit work. The aim is to encourage and increase the skills of doctoral students and all the skills and abilities required of a candidate for a doctoral degree. These will be evaluated throughout the Program, culminating in the presentation and public discussion of the doctoral thesis, which will be done and evaluated according to the aforementioned regulation for the award of the doctorate degree by the University of Évora.

The aim is to strengthen scientific research in order to obtain researchers with ecological, ethical and aesthetic sense, rigor and scientific integrity prepared to design, carry out and evaluate scientific research projects.

#### 4. Career opportunities:

Central and local government agencies. Private companies Research Institutes Universities

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# 5. Number of registration at DGES:

R/A-Ef 1786/2011/AL01

# 6. Number of accreditation process by A3ES:

ACEF/1415/13262

#### 7. Program Creation Norm:

Diário da República n.º 147 de 1 de agosto, Aviso n.º 8567/2017

#### 8. General conditions of access and admission:

# i Legal conditions for access to the cycle of studies leading to the «Doutor» degree (Ph.D. degree)

The following individuals can apply for a cycle of studies to the «Doutor» degree (Ph.D. degree):

- holders of a Portuguese Mestre degree (Master degree) or legal equivalent;;
- holders of an undergraduate degree holding a specially relevant academic or scientific curriculum, which is recognized as attesting capacity to carry out this cycle by the competent scientific committee of the higher education institution where they wish to be admitted;
- holders of an academic, scientific or professional curriculum that is recognized as attesting the
  ability to carry out this cycle of studies by the competent scientific committee of the higher
  education institution where they wish to be admitted.

### ii Specific admission conditions

Can apply for this cycle of studies: - Holders of Master's Degree in Landscape Architecture - Holders of a school, scientific or professional curriculum in the area of Landscape Architecture that is recognized as attesting capacity to carry out this cycle of studies by the Scientific Council

#### 9. Selection Process:

- Academic qualifications: 40%
  - Area of qualifications: 30%
  - Average grade in the highest qualification: 25%
  - Weighted average (1st cycle and 2nd cycle ECTS, weighting based on ECTS completed in each cycle): 20%
  - Level of qualifications: 25%
- Curriculum analysis: 60%
  - Conference Communications: 10%
  - Artistic Experience or Portfolio / Artistic Dossier in the area of the program: 10%
  - Teaching experience in higher education: 10%
  - Professional Experience in the area of the program or related fields: 30%
  - Professional Training in the area of the program or related fields: 30%
  - Participation in research projects: 10%

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#### 10. Maximum number of admissions

- Maximum number of admissions for candidates with nationality of European Union countries: 5
- Maximum number of admissions for candidates without nationality of countries of the European Union: 3

Depending on the number of applications, there may be transfer of vacancies from the international students applications to the European Union students applications or vice-versa.

### 11. Tuition fee

- Candidates with nationality of European Union countries: 1250.00 €
- Candidates without nationality of countries of the European Union: 2500.00 €
  - Annual Tuition fee for international students with merit scholarship: 1250.00 €
  - Annual Tuition fee for international students with cooperation and development scholarship:
     1450.00 €

All students with international student status who have a weighted average grade with a weight of 60% to the undergraduate degree grade and a weight of 40% to the master degree grade, which is equal to or higher than 16 (in a scale of 0-20), will have a reduced tuition fee in the first year of the program due to the merit scholarship. To maintain this reduced tuition fee in the following years, the student has to pass all curricular units and have an average grade equal or above the minimum merit grade. All students with international student status from PALOP countries, will have a reduced tuition fee in the first year of the program due to the cooperation and development scholarship. To maintain this reduced tuition fee in the remaining years the student has obtain a minimum academic performance.

# 12. Organization / duration:

a. Duration of the program: 6 semesters

b. Number of ECTS to obtain the degree: 180

c. Number of ECTS to obtain the doctorate course (conclusion of the curricular part):

# 13. Language (s) of teaching:

- Portuguese
- English
- French
- Spanish

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14. Learning Type: Presential

15. Schedule type: Mixed

16. Classes schedule (week days and schedule)

Wednesday

17. Program starting date: September of 2020

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