

# Universidade de Évora Edital

Applications for Admission to the Ph.D. Program in Linguistics Academic year 2021/2022

# 1. The program is promoted by:

Universidade de Évora - Instituto de Investigação e Formação Avançada

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# 3. Program description:

This Programme aims to contribute to the advanced training of researchers and to the production of knowledge in specific areas of Linguistics. Grounded on research lines of two R&D Centers (CEL-UE and CIDEHUS-UÉ), both accredited by the Portuguese Foundation for Science and Technology (FCT), it provides students with close supervision of their research work (a supervisor or a supervisory team is assigned to each of them), also encouraging them to actively participate in several scientific events. By the end of this programme, therefore, students will have developed the ability to think critically, to design and carry out an original and relevant research topic in Linguistics, being responsible for all their academic work and complying with research integrity and good practice, and to transfer knowledge to the academic community and society at large.

# 4. Career opportunities:

Researcher or teacher (of Portuguese or foreign languages) in public and private Higher Education Institutions; 2nd and 3rd cycles of basic and secondary education.

# 5. Number of registration at DGES:

R/B-CR-203/2009

# 6. Number of accreditation process by A3ES:

ACEF/1516/13207

# 7. Program Creation Norm:

Diário da República n.º 73 de 15 de Abril de 2010, Despacho n.º 6734/2010

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

# i Legal conditions for access to the cycle of studies leading to the $\ll Doutor \gg$ 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

#### 9. Program's alternative options/branches:

- Curso de Doutoramento (**not available**)
- Tutorial (available)

#### **10. Selection Process:**

- Academic qualifications: 40%
  - Level of qualifications: 60%
  - Average grade in the highest qualification: 20%
  - Area of qualifications: 20%
- Curriculum analysis: 40%
  - Conference Communications: 15%
  - Teaching experience in higher education: 30%
  - Scientific publications: 15%
  - Teaching experince in training programs in the area of the program: 20%
  - Professional Experience in the area of the program or related fields: 10%
  - Participation in research projects: 10%
- Interview: 20%
  - Understanding the objectives and professional exits of the program: 25%
  - Ability to understand: 25%
  - Ability to Communicate: 20%
  - Motivation and commitment: 20%

- Knowledge of English: 10%

#### Observations regarding the selection process:

Foreign applicants whose first language is not Portuguese are required to submit evidence that they have achieved level B2 in this language. Evidence is only accepted if a test has been taken in the two years before the start of the course of study.

#### 11. Maximum number of admissions

- Maximum number of admissions for candidates with nationality of European Union countries: 8
- Maximum number of admissions for candidates without nationality of countries of the European Union: 12

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.

#### 12. Tuition fee

- Candidates with nationality of European Union countries: 1250.00  $\in$
- Candidates without nationality of countries of the European Union: 2500.00  $\in$ 
  - Annual Tuition fee for international students with merit scholarship: 1250.00  $\in$
  - − 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.

# 13. 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): 60

# 14. Recognition of the course for progression in the teaching career of child educators and teachers in basic and high schools

According to article 54 of the Statute of the Teaching Career and the Ministerial Order no. 344/2008, of April 30th, this Ph.D's degree is recognized by the Ministry of Education for career progression of:

Grupo de recrutamento 200 (Português e Estudos Sociais/História) e 210 (Português e Francês) e 220 (Português e Inglês) do 2.º ciclo do Ensino Básico

Grupo de recrutamento 300 (Português), 310 (Latim e Grego), 320 (Francês), 330 (Inglês) e 350 (Espanhol) do 3.º ciclo do Ensino Básico e Ensino Secundário

# 15. Language (s) of teaching:

- Portuguese
- English
- French
- Spanish

The PhD programme in Linguistics being delivered through a tutorial scheme, the regular meetings with the supervisor or the supervisory team can be carried out in either Portuguese, English, French or Spanish.

# 16. Learning Type: Presential

# 17. Schedule type: Mixed

# 18. Classes schedule (week days and schedule)

Not applicable.

# **19.** Program starting date: September of 2021

January 5, 2021 The Rector

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