



# Universidade de Évora

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Applications for Admission to the Ph.D. Program in  
Philosophy  
Academic year 2023/2024

### 1. The program is promoted by:

Universidade de Évora - Instituto de Investigação e Formação Avançada

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### 3. Program description:

This program aims to develop abilities, skills and methods in the field of philosophy; conceive, design and develop research in philosophy respecting standards of academic quality. To be able to develop independent work that represent an original contribution to the general state of knowledge in a given field of philosophy and could be disseminated in refereed publications; develop communication skills with the other members of the philosophical community and with society in general within the specialization domain of philosophy, promoting the ability to put these competences at the service of a knowledge-based society, contributing to a critical reflection on the personal and collective implications of technological progress and cultural development, or to undertake the public application of knowledge at the level of professional intervention.

### 4. Career opportunities:

Teaching, research, consulting in the fields of publishing and public opinion; Ethics commissions; public and local administration; international relations; philosophical counseling and existential psychotherapy.

### 5. Number of registration at DGES:

R/A-Ef 1797/2011/AL01

### 6. Number of accreditation process by A3ES:

ACEF/1516/13172

## 7. Program Creation Norm:

Diário da República n.º204 de 23 de outubro, Aviso n.º 15238/2018

## 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

None.

## 9. Selection Process:

- Academic qualifications: 60%
  - Area of qualifications: 30%
  - Average grade in the highest qualification: 30%
  - Weighted average (1st cycle and 2nd cycle ECTS, weighting based on ECTS completed in each cycle): 20%
  - Level of qualifications: 20%
- Curriculum analysis: 40%
  - Teaching experience in training programs in the area of the program: 30%
  - Professional Experience in the area of the program or related fields: 30%
  - Training in transversal competences: 20%
  - Professional Training in the area of the program or related fields: 20%

### Observations regarding the selection process:

Submission of a motivation letter that responds to three orders of reason: 1) the interest in Philosophy; 2) the choice of this course; 3) what you would like to investigate.

## 10. Maximum number of admissions

- Maximum number of admissions for candidates with nationality of European Union countries: 3
- Maximum number of admissions for candidates without nationality of countries of the European Union: 2

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 €

In the admission year, all students with international student status who have a grade C higher or equal to 16 ( $C = 0.6 \times \text{undergraduate average} + 0.4 \times \text{masters average}$ , both averages on the scale 0-20), benefit from the tuition fee for international students with merit scholarship and all students from PALOP countries benefit from the tuition fee for international students with cooperation and development scholarship. In the following years, to keep the merit or cooperation and development scholarship, the student has to meet the conditions stipulated in article 22 of the Academic Regulations of the University of Évora and the results are published until October 31 of each academic year, without the need to apply for the scholarship

## 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):**  
66

## 13. 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 410 (Filosofia) 3.º Ciclo do Ensino Básico e Ensino Secundário

## 14. Language (s) of teaching:

- English
- Spanish
- Portuguese

## 15. Learning Type: Presential

## 16. Schedule Type: Mixed

## 17. Classes schedule (week days and schedule)

Friday and Saturday

**18. Program starting date: September of 2023**

February 13, 2023  
The Rector

Hermínia Vasconcelos Vilar