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Applications for Admission to the Ph.D. Program in
Sociology: Knowledge for Open and Inclusive Societies - Inter-University PhD
Programme OpenSoc
Academic year 2023/2024

1. The program is promoted by:

Universidade de Évora - Instituto de Investigação e Formação Avançada
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2. Study program in Consortium:

- a. **Type of Consortium:** National
- b. **Type of Consortium:** Diploma to be awarded jointly by all the partner institutions, under the terms of article 42 of Decree-Law no. 74/2006, dated March 24 in its current republication
- c. **Type of Agreement:** Rotative (administrative and financial management of the institution responsible for the edition)
- d. **Coordinator Institution:** Universidade Nova de Lisboa - Faculdade de Ciências Sociais e Humanas
- e. **Partner Institutions:**
 - Universidade de Évora
 - Universidade Nova de Lisboa - Faculdade de Ciências Sociais e Humanas
 - Universidade de Lisboa - Instituto Superior de Ciências Sociais e Políticas
 - Universidade de Lisboa - Instituto Superior de Economia e Gestão
 - Universidade de Lisboa - Instituto de Ciências Sociais
 - Universidade do Algarve - Faculdade de Economia
- f. **Host Institution:** Universidade de Lisboa - Instituto Superior de Economia e Gestão
 - **Applications:** Lisbon School of Economics and Management (ISEG) Secretariat for Masters and Doctorates. tel: +351 213 925 900 (Monday to Friday, from 2 pm to 4 pm) e-Mail: smd@iseg.ulisboa.pt Website: <https://opensoc.pt/en>
- g. **Executive Program Committee:**

Professora Doutora Maria João Nicolau Santos (ISEG-ULisboa) (Presidente)
Professor Doutor José de São José (FE-UALGARVE)
Professora Doutora Maria da Saudade Baltazar (IIFA-UÉvora)
Professora Doutora Paula Campos Pinto (ISCSP-ULisboa)
Professor Doutor Rui Santos (NOVA FCSH)
Doutor Vítor Sérgio Ferreira (ICS-ULisboa)

3. Program description:

This study cycle is considered by the group of participating institutions to provide a coherent response to the demands of qualified (fundamental and applied) sociological? knowledge, mobilising an extended body of lecturers and researchers who are open to the multiple dimensions of analysis, diverse theoretical paradigms and methodological approaches. Furthermore, the programme is open to contributions from neighbouring social sciences. In this sense, besides the aim of providing postgraduate training, within the mission of contributing towards the development of sociological knowledge and skills, it is equally

important to highlight the participating institutions? mission and acquired experience in relation to the diffusion, dissemination and transference towards society of the knowledge produced within the scope of the doctoral theses. And their commitment to broaden students? employability and qualified trajectories in a global world.

4. Career opportunities:

The target population include two different professional profiles. On the one hand, the programme wants to attract young students who have recently concluded their 2nd cycle or integrated masters. On the other hand, it wants to integrate older students, already active in the labour market and wishing to return to University, either to improve and refresh their knowledge, or to acquire competences to intervene in their respective work fields.

5. Number of registration at DGES:

R/A -Cr 33/2014

6. Number of accreditation process by A3ES:

ACEF/1920/1300236

7. Program Creation Norm:

Diário da República Despacho nº 12450/2015, DR, 2ª Série, nº 216 de 4 de janeiro

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

Admitted as candidates: a) Holders of master's degree or legal equivalent in Sociology or any area of social and human sciences; b) Exceptionally, holders of a bachelor's degree or legal equivalent, with relevant academic or scientific curriculum in the above-mentioned? area, recognized by the Doctorate Program Committee, attesting to the capacity to carry out the study cycle; c) Exceptionally, holders of an academic or scientific curriculum recognized by the Doctorate Program Commission as attesting the capacity to carry out this cycle of studies.

Candidates will be classified according to the final classifications awarded by the Selection Jury, based on individual merit, and expressed in the scale of 0 to 20 values, taking into account their academic and scientific curricula, their professional experience, their project and motivations to follow the PhD Program.

9. Observations regarding the selection process

The candidates will be ranked according to the final classifications assigned to the applications by the Selection Board, based on individual merit and expressed on a scale of 0 to 20, taking into account their academic, scientific and professional curricula, their projects and their motivations for pursuing the Doctoral Programme. The following criteria are considered:

1. Applicants holding a Master's degree, or legal equivalent, in Sociology or any area of the social sciences and humanities:
 - a) The Master's academic classification/note (10%);
 - b) A bachelor's degree classification/note (10%);
 - c) The overall assessment of the academic, scientific and professional curriculum (20%);
 - d) The evaluation of a proposal of a research project or topic, as well as a letter of intent detailing your motivations for pursuing the Doctoral Programme (30%);
 - e) The evaluation of an interview (30%).
2. Applicants holding a bachelor's degree or legal equivalent
 - a) The undergraduate academic classification/note (10%);
 - b) The overall assessment of the academic, scientific and professional curriculum vitae (30%);
 - c) The evaluation of a proposal of a research project or topic, as well as a letter of intent detailing the motivations for pursuing the Doctoral Programme (30%);
 - d) The evaluation of the interview (30%).
3. Applicants who do not hold a Higher Education degree or legal equivalent
 - a) Overall assessment of the academic, scientific and professional curriculum (40%);
 - b) The evaluation of a proposal of a research project or topic, as well as a letter of intent, detailing motivations for pursuing the Doctoral Programme (30%);
 - c) The evaluation of the interview (30%).

10. Maximum number of admissions

- Maximum number for admission: 15

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

- Tuition fee: 1375.00 €
- Candidates without nationality of countries of the European Union: 2500.00 €

12. Organization / duration:

- a. **Duration of the program:** 8 semesters
- b. **Number of ECTS to obtain the degree:** 240
- c. **Number of ECTS to obtain the doctorate course (conclusion of the curricular part):**
60

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 510 (Física e Química) do 3.º ciclo do Ensino Básico e Ensino Secundário

14. Language (s) of teaching:

- Portuguese

Classes will be held in Portuguese. Non Portuguese-speaking students are advised to take a Portuguese language course before attending. Tutorials may be held in English and most readings will be in English. Student assignment papers and the thesis may be written in English and some other EU languages as well.

15. Learning Type: Presential

16. Schedule Type: Post-labor hours

17. Classes schedule (week days and schedule)

2 or 3 days a week after 6 PM

18. Program starting date: October of 2023

February 13, 2023
The Rector

Hermínia Vasconcelos Vilar