



CALL FOR AWARDING RESEARCH FELLOWSHIPS WITHIN PROJECT GRANTS AND R&D INSTITUTIONS

ONE POST-DOCTORAL FELLOWSHIP

1 Post-Doctoral Fellowship is open at the **Fundação da Faculdade de Ciências da Universidade de Lisboa**, for the project/R&D institution **Argumentation and Scientific Change: a Case Study of How Ibn al-Haytham's al-Shukuk Changed the Course of Astronomy Forever**, PTDC/MHC-FIL/4904/2012, financed by national funds by FCT / MEC (PIDDAC) under the programme All Scientific Domains, under the following conditions:

1. **Scientific Area:** Philosophy of Science and/or History of Science.
2. **Requirements for admission:** The candidates should have a PhD degree, or to hold a PhD degree by the closing date of the call, in Philosophy of Science and/or History of Science. Experience is required in research Arabic science and Arabic language. Preference will be given to candidates worked on Arabic astronomy and showing translation works.
3. **Work plan:** One of his main tasks consists in assisting the principal investigator by preparing the basic material on which the research team can efficiently work. The assistance of the able researcher should have a very good knowledge of Arabic, history of science (preference astronomy) and logic/argumentation. Besides providing and preparing suitable materials to be studied, he or she should and highly motivated to work in collaboration and undertake high-level scientific research.
4. **Legislation framework:** A fellowship contract will be celebrated according to the regulations defined by FCT "Regulations for Advanced Training and Qualification of Human Resources", in accordance with Law 40/2004, of 18 August, as amended and republished by Decree-Law No. 202/2012 of 27 August, and as amended by Decree-Law No. 233/2012 of 29 October and by Law No. 12/2013, of January 29, and Decree-Law No. 89/2013 of 9 July. And also by the FCT, I.P. Fellowships Regulation of 2013 approved by Regulation No. 234/2012, of June 25, as amended by Regulation No 326/2013 of 27 August 2013, in force (www.fct.pt/apoios/bolsas/regulamento.phtml).
5. **Place of work:** The work will be developed at the Centre of Philosophy of Science of the University of Lisbon of the Faculty of Sciences of the University of Lisbon under the scientific guidance of Dr Hassan Tahiri.
6. **Fellowship duration:** This position is initially opened for 6 months and will begin on April 2014. The fellowship contract may be renewed for equal periods or eventually until the end date of the project, in accordance with the provisions of Regulation of Research Fellowships from the Foundation for Science and Technology, I.P. - 2013.
7. **Monthly allowance:** The fellowship amounts to € 1.495,00, according to table values of the fellowships awarded directly by the FCT, IP. (<http://www.fct.pt/apoios/bolsas/valores>).
The fellowship holder will have a personal accident insurance and, if not covered by any social protection scheme can ensure the right to social security through adherence to the voluntary social insurance scheme, pursuant to Código dos Regimes Contributivos do Sistema Previdencial de Segurança Social.
The fellowship will be paid monthly by bank transfer.
(add, where applicable, other financial components, periodicity and method of payment of fellowship (fellowships)).
8. **Selection method:** Candidates will be assessed by the quality of their CV (50%), letter of motivation (20%) and letter(s) of recommendation (30%).
9. **Selection Committee:** Dr Hassan Tahiri (President of the Jury, CFCUL, Portugal), Professor Shahid Rahman (Université Lille-3, France) and Professor Roshdi Rashed (Université Paris-7, CNRS-France).



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10. **Publication/notification of results:** The final results of the evaluation will become public, through e-mail ordered list by final grade obtained which will be posted at the entrance hall of the **Fundação da Faculdade de Ciências da Universidade de Lisboa**, located at the Faculdade de Ciências da Universidade de Lisboa, C1 bldg – 3rd floor, Campo Grande, 1749-016 Lisboa, and the selected candidate will be notified by e-mail.
11. **Deadlines:** This call for applications is open from 11th March to 24th March 2014.
12. **Application:** Applications may be sent via e-mail to hassan.tahiri@yahoo.fr, by attaching the following documents: Detailed curriculum vitae, motivation letter, letter(s) of recommendation, certificate of PhD degree, and other documents considered relevant.
- Applications may also be sent by mail to Centro de Filosofia das Ciências da Universidade de Lisboa, A/C Dr Hassan Tahiri, Campo Grande, C4.3.24, 1749-016 Lisboa, Portugal.