

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

One Research Fellowship

One Research Fellowship (BI - Bolsa de Investigação) for BSc is open at the **FCiências.ID – Associação para a Investigação e Desenvolvimento de Ciências**, for the project HIT-CF, GA 755021, financed by the European Union under the Horizon 2020 Programme , , under the following conditions:

1. **Scientific Area:** Cell and Molecular Biology
2. **Requirements for admission:** should be holders of a BSc degree in Biochemistry, Cell or Molecular Biology or related areas.
3. **Factors preferred:** Candidates with skills in cell culture and microscopy will be favoured; they should have an interest in learning/ establishing innovative techniques and enjoy working in an international stimulating research environment.
4. **Work plan:** Work will support research using cell culture, primary cultures of organoids from patients' materias in particular. The successful candidate will work in an international dynamic and enthusiastic team aiming to elucidate the molecular mechanisms underlying the genetic disease Cystic Fibrosis (CF) and the search for novel therapeutic compounds.
5. **Legislation framework:** Statute of the Scientific Research Fellowship, 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, in force (<http://www.fct.pt/apoios/bolsas/docs/RegulamentoBolsasFCT2015.pdf>) and **FCiências.ID** Fellowship Regulation, as approved on 23rd February 2017.
6. **Place of work:** The work will be developed at BioISI – Biosystems & Integrative Sciences Institute, under the scientific guidance of Professor Margarida Amaral.
7. **Fellowship duration:** This position is initially opened for 6 months and will begin in April 2018. The fellowship contract may be renewed to more 6 months, and possibly extended 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.
8. **Monthly allowance:** The fellowship amounts to € 745, 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.
9. **Selection method:** Candidates will be assessed by the quality of their CV (50%), experience in the required methodologies (30%) and interview, in case of need (20%).
10. **Selection Committee:** Prof. Margarida Amaral (President), FCUL; Prof. Rui Malhó, FCUL ("Vogal"); Prof. Carlos Farinha, FCUL ("Voagel"). (Substitutes "Vogais": Prof. Rogério Tenreiro, FCUL; Prof. Margarida Gama-Carvalho, FCUL;)



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11. **Publication/notification of results:** The final results of the evaluation will become public, through ordered list *final grade obtained* which will be posted at the entrance hall of the **FCiências.ID**, 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*.
12. **Deadlines:** This call for applications is open from March 15th to March 23th.
13. **Application:** Applications may be sent via e-mail to bioisidirector@fc.ul.pt, with the reference “BioISI-BI-Cells-Applicant_name” and by attaching the following documents: 1) a motivation letter highlighting the relevant experience and also indicating the availability to start working; 2) CV with description of expertise relevant to the preferential selection points; 3) two reference letters of people well acquainted with the work of the candidate. Failure in sending any of these elements disqualifies the application; 4) degree certificate
Applications may also be sent by mail to Margarida Amaral, Faculty of Sciences of the University of Lisboa, C8 bldg room 8.2.41, 1749-016 Campo Grande.

