

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

One Science Management Fellowship (s) for Genomics; Biological Sciences/ Bioinformatics

One Science Management Fellowship for a technical MSc or PhD collaborator is open at the **FCiências.ID – Associação para a Investigação e Desenvolvimento de Ciências**, for BioISI – Biosystems & Integrative Sciences Institute, UID/Multi/04046/2019, financed by national funds by FCT / MCTES (PIDDAC), under the following conditions:

1. **Scientific Area: Biological Sciences/ Bioinformatics**
2. **Requirements for admission:** Candidates should be holders of a MSc (Mestrado) or PhD Degree (Doutoramento) in Biological Sciences, Bioinformatics, Systems Biology, Computer Engineering, Computer Science, or similar
3. **Factors preferred:** Preference will be given to candidates with previous experience in one or more of the following points: 1) Modelling genomics data and scripting; 2) Development of information systems for genomics data; 3) Data mining techniques; 4) ability to organize and maintain databases. All candidates must be/have relevant experience in multidisciplinary projects as a team player; must absolutely have solid knowledge of English language (both in writing and oral skills); ability to organize and maintain detailed documentation; strong communication skills, positive attitude and ability to work in a team; highly motivated, ethic, creative and devoted to project goals.
4. **Work plan:** The successful candidate will work on BioISI's Genomics facility, being responsible for: i) Development and maintenance of an analytical framework for large-scale genomics data (Nanopore). ii) Planning, management and maintenance of bioinformatic development activities related to the BioISI Genomics facility. iii) Interconnection with internal and external users of the facility.
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 (<https://www.fct.pt/apoios/bolsas/docs/RegulamentoBolsasFCT.pdf>) and **FCiências.ID** Fellowship Regulation, as approved on 23rd February 2017.
6. **Place of work:** The work will be developed at the Genomics facility of BioISI – Biosystems & Integrative Sciences Institute, Campo Grande, Lisboa, Portugal, under the scientific guidance of Doutor Ricardo Dias and Professor Margarida G. Carvalho.
7. **Fellowship duration:** The fellowship is due to start in February 2019. The first term of the contract end on June 30, and it may be renewed until the end 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 from € 980 to 1495€, 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.

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9. **Selection method:** Candidates will be assessed by:
- the quality of their CV as assessed by scientific publications and/or demonstrated skills in the above preference areas (65%)
 - Assessment of the references provided by the candidate (5 %)
 - a face-to-face interview (30%) or through Skype in cases where is not possible to do it in person.
10. **Selection Committee:** Professor Doutor Margarida Amaral (President), Professor Rui Malhó (1st “Vogal”), Doutor Ricardo Dias (2nd “Vogal”) and Professor Doutora Margarida Gama Carvalho (3rd “Vogal”). Substitutes: Professor Doutor Rogério Tenreiro and Professor Doutor Luis Correia.
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 February 11th to 22nd 2019
13. **Application:** Application: Applications may be sent via e-mail to bioisidirector@fc.ul.pt (e-mail) with the following reference “BioISIGenomics-Aplicant_name” by attaching the following documents: 1) a motivation letter highlighting the relevant experience (see preferential points described above in nr.3) and also indicating the availability to start working; 2) CV with description of expertise relevant to the preferential selection points (see above nr.3); 3) degree certificates 4) two reference letters of people well acquainted with the work of the candidate and 5) for applicants with MSc/doctoral degrees obtained in foreign countries, proof of equivalence, recognition and registration of the doctoral degree with date prior to deadline for submission of applications. Failure in sending any of these elements disqualifies the application.

NOTE: Please note that Degrees obtained in foreign countries need a Portuguese Recognition certificate issued by a Portuguese high degree Institution, according to the [Decree-Law nr. 66/2018](#), of august 16th and the [Ministerial Order nr. 33/2019](#), of january 25th. The presentation of such certificates is mandatory for contract signature. More information can be obtained in: <https://www.dges.gov.pt/en/pagina/degree-and-diploma-recognition>.