

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

One Research Fellowship for Master

1 Research Fellowship(s) (BI) is(are) open at the **FCiências.ID – Associação para a Investigação e Desenvolvimento de Ciências**, for the project/R&D institution Valorização de solos em áreas de minas abandonadas combinando a fitoremediação com biochar numa abordagem de economia circular, 02/SAICT/2017 ,PTDC/CTA-AMB/31863/2017, LISBOA-01-0145-FEDER-031863, financed by national funds by FCT / MCTES (PIDDAC) under the programme Programa Operacional Regional de Lisboa and FEDER, under the following conditions:

1. **Scientific Area:** Earth and Related Environmental Sciences
2. **Requirements for admission:** Master in Biology, Environment or Biochemistry.
3. **Additional optional skills and qualifications:** Laboratory experience, namely regarding the determination of heavy metals.
4. **Contracting requirements:** Presentation of the academic qualifications and/or diplomas. Enrolment in Doctoral Programme or in a course non-granting an academic degree integrated in the educational project of a Higher Education Institution and developed in association or cooperation with one or several R&D Units.
5. **Work plan:** The main objective of the work plan is to assess the photochemical stress of plants in situ when exposed to different organic treatments, as well as their biomarkers of oxidative stress, relating them with the bioavailability of the elements present in the soils.
6. **Legislation framework:** Research Fellowship Holder Statute, in accordance with Law 40/2004, of 18 August, in its current version and the FCT Regulation for Research Studentships and Fellowships, in its current version (Reg. 950/2019 published in DR on 16th December: <https://dre.pt/application/file/a/127230968>, or at the FCT website: <https://www.fct.pt/apoios/bolsas/regulamento.phtml.pt>), and FCiências.ID Fellowship Regulation, as approved on 12th May 2020 (available at [Regulamento de Bolsas de Investigação Científica da FCiências.ID](#)).
7. **Place of work:** The work will be developed at the MARE, Faculdade de Ciências da Universidade de Lisboa under the scientific supervision of Professor Isabel Caçador e Bernardo Duarte.
8. **Fellowship duration:** This position is initially opened for 3 months and will begin on August 2021. The fellowship contract may be potentially renewed for additional 9 months, in accordance with the provisions of Regulation of Research Fellowships from the Foundation for Science and Technology, I.P.
9. **Monthly allowance:** The fellowship amounts to € 1 104,64 ,according to [table values](#) of the fellowships awarded directly by the FCT, IP. The fellowship holder will have a personal accident insurance and can ensure the right to social security through adherence to the voluntary social insurance scheme, if not covered by any other social protection 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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10. **Evaluation and selection process:** Candidates will be assessed by the quality of their CV (50%) and Interview (50%).
11. **Selection Committee:** Isabel Caçador (President), Bernardo Duarte, Vanessa Fonseca and Isabel Domingos (Substitute).
12. **Publication/notification of results:** All the candidates will be notified by e-mail, sent by the call holder, with the selection meeting minutes enclosed.
13. **Deadlines:** This call for applications is open from 05/07/21 to 16/07/2021.
14. **Application:** Applications should be sent via e-mail to micacador@fc.ul.pt, by attaching the following documents:
 - a. Curriculum vitae - **should provide the CV through the CIÊNCIAVITAE system;**
 - b. Certificate of completion of previous degree;
 - c. and other documents considered relevant.
15. **Time limits for the appeal procedure:** In case of negative decision, the candidates have 10 business days, after the date of announcement of the results of the candidates' evaluation, to pronounce their disagreement in accordance with the *Código do Procedimento Administrativo*. Appeals against the final decision may be submitted to the Administration Board of FCiências.ID (fciencias.id@fciencias-id.pt) within 15 business days after the notification date

Note 1: The documents that prove the entitlement of the academic qualifications and diplomas, or the proof of registration in the academic degree or diploma requested on the call, can be dismissed during the application period and replaced by a declaration on their honour from the applicant. Their delivery is mandatory for the fellowship contractualization.

NOTE 2: Please note that - higher education degrees and diplomas awarded by foreign higher education institutions need to be recognized by a Portuguese higher education institution, pursuant to the [Decree-Law nr. 66/2018](#) (August 16) and the [Ministerial Order nr. 33/2019](#) (January 25). The presentation of the recognition certificate is mandatory for contract signature. More information can be obtained at: <https://www.dges.gov.pt/en/pagina/degree-and-diploma-recognition>.