



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

One Master Fellowship in one of the following areas: Physical Oceanography, Meteorology or Geophysics.

One Master Fellowship is open at the **Fundação da Faculdade de Ciências da Universidade de Lisboa** for the project “Mechanisms of Mediterranean Water transport and dispersion in the subtropical North-East Atlantic - MEDTRANS” (PTDC/MAR/117265/2010), financed by national funds by FCT under the programme for R&D Projects in All Scientific Domains, under the following conditions:

1. **Scientific Area:** Physical Oceanography
 2. **Requirements for admission:** Master degree in one of the following areas: Physical Oceanography, Meteorology or Geophysics
 3. **Work plan:** Study of major pathways and life histories of Mediterranean water eddies (meddies) and estimation of their role in the overall salt transport in the Atlantic Ocean
 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; Fundação para a Ciência e a Tecnologia, I.P. Fellowships Regulation of 2012.
 5. **Place of work:** The work will be developed at Centro de Oceanografia of Faculdade de Ciências da Universidade de Lisboa under the scientific guidance of Dr. Igor Bashmachnikov (Centre of Oceanography of the University of Lisbon, Portugal) and Prof. Xavier Carton (Université de la Bretagne Occidentale, Brest, France).
 6. **Fellowship duration:** This position is initially opened for 3 months and will begin on July 2013. The grant contract may be renewed to more 16 months, until one total duration the 19 months.
 7. **Monthly allowance:** The fellowship amounts to € 980,00, according to table values of the scholarships awarded directly by the FCT, IP. (<http://www.fct.pt/apoios/bolsas/valores>).
The grant 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 scholarships will be paid monthly by bank transfer
- Selection method:** Candidates will be assessed by the quality of their CV (90%) and an interview (possible via skype) (10%)
8. **Selection Committee:** Dr. Igor Bashmachnikov (Centre of Oceanography), Prof. Xavier Carton (Université de la Bretagne Occidentale), Prof. Isabel Ambar (Centre of Oceanography)
 10. **Publication/notification of results:** The final results of the evaluation will become public, through an 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 28 of June to 8 of July 2013



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12. **Application:** Applications may be sent via e-mail to Dr. Igor Bashmachnikov (igorb@fc.ul.pt), by attaching the following documents: motivation letter, detailed CV (including address and telephone number), Certificate of Master degree and preferably one reference letter.

Applications may also be sent by mail to Dr. Igor Bashmachnikov, Centro de Oceanografia, Faculdade de Ciências da Universidade de Lisboa, Campo Grande, 1749-016 Lisboa, Portugal.