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

1 (one) Research Fellowship (BI) for a PhD Student or a Master enrolled in a non-degree course
Ref.: 775.4 – 1 BI M LAIfeBlood

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 "LAIfeBlood - Artificial Intelligence for Blood Management", "DSAIPA/AI/0033/2019", funded by the Fundação para a Ciência e a Tecnologia, I.P./MCTES through national funds (PIDDAC) under the programme DSAIPA (Data Science and AI in Public Administration) call, under the following conditions:

1.   **Scientific Area**: Informatics/Data Science.

2.   **Requirements for admission**: MSc degree completed.

3.   **Additional optional skills and qualifications**: MSc in Computer Science and Engineering. Solid knowledge and experience in network science.

4.   **Contracting requirements**: Presentation of the academic qualifications and/or diplomas. Enrolment in PhD degree in Informatics, or a non-degree course developed in association or cooperation between a High Education Institution and one or multiple research units.

5.   **Work plan**: The Fellowship holder will work in task 3 and will have the following goals: 1) develop unsupervised learning based on network science to identify groups of entities relevant to the project context; 2) apply the developed techniques to project data and problems.

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 LASIGE, Department of Informatics of the Faculty of Sciences of the University of Lisbon under the scientific supervision of Professor Andreia Sofia Teixeira and Pedro Monteiro.

8.   **Fellowship duration**: This position is initially opened for 3 months due to start in February 2023. The fellowship contract may be potentially renewed for 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.

9.   **Monthly allowance**: The fellowship amounts to € 1144,64, 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 CV valuation (70%); experience in network science (30%).
Applicants whose application is scored with a final classification of less than 75 points are not eligible for granting a fellowship.

11.   **Selection Committee**: President of the jury: Andreia Sofia Teixeira; Members: Sara C. Madeira, Pedro Monteiro; Alternate members: Helena Aidos, Rui Henriques.

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 29/12/2022 to 12/01/2023 .

14.   **Application:** Applications should be sent via e-mail to lasige-candidaturas@listas.di.ciencias.ulisboa.pt, indicating - otherwise it will not be considered eligible - in the "Subject": Ref. 775.4 - 1 BI M LAIfeBlood, by attaching the following documents:
   a.   Curriculum vitae **- CV may be provided in PDF or 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.