









Doctoral Degree in Cognitive Science2021/2022

The Doctoral Program in Cognitive Science of the University of Lisbon has as its primary goal the training of a new generation of experts who can combine its various disciplines into an integrated science of cognition, mind and brain, as well as explore the application of the knowledge generated in this domain. To fulfil this goal, the program counts on the contribution of professors and researchers from Neuroscience (Faculty of Medicine), Cognitive Psychology (Faculty of Psychology), Computer Science (Faculty of Sciences), Linguistics (Faculty of Letters), and Philosophy of Mind and Cognition (Faculty of Letters).

1. Number of vacancies

10 vacancies

2. Admission requirements:

Admissible candidates are:

- a) Candidates holding a Master degree or equivalent in any area of knowledge.
- b) Exceptionally, candidates holding a Bachelor degree and an academic or professional curriculum that is considered as relevant and outstanding by the Scientific Committee of the course may also apply.

3. Admission procedure

3.1. For foreign students, the application must be submitted online at the applications platform of the Faculty of Sciences

https://ciencias.ulisboa.pt/en/node/6586











3.2. The application must include the following items:

- a) Documents certifying that the applicant meets the admission requirements mentioned above.
- b) *Curriculum vitae*, together with copy of the documents referred therein.
- c) Statement of research, specifying a research domain and the general intended attainable goals, integrating more than one of the disciplines contributing to Cognitive Science.
- d) Copy of citizen id card or passport.
- e) Receipt of application fee payment.
- f) Explicit indication that it is a "conditional application" in case the applicant foresees to hold the certificates referred to in a) above after the deadline for submission, that is after August 13, 2021, and until the when enrolment starts, that is September 10, 2021.

4. Selection Criteria

- **4.1.** The applicants are selected through the analysis of the elements mentioned in 3.2. above.
- **4.2.** The Scientific Committee of the Program, or those appointed by them, may interview the applicants.
- **4.3.** The applicants are chosen according to the score obtained in the selection process.

5. Deadlines

- 5.1. Period of applications: from July 1 to August 13, 2021
- 5.2. Schedule for eventual interviews: September 3, 2021
- 5.3. Interviews (if they will be scheduled): September 6, 2021
- 5.4. Publications of results: September 8, 2021
- 5.5. Period of appeal: September 9, 2021
- 5.6. Publication of final results: September 10, 2021











- 5.7. Registration: Starts September 10, 2021
- 5.8. Estimated beginning of classes: September 13, 2021
- N.B.: For the academic year 2021/2022, this is the only period of applications. There will not be a second period of applications.

6. Fees

- 6.1. The application fee will be announced at https://ciencias.ulisboa.pt/en/tuition-fees-and-related-fees Indicatively, for foreign candidates, last year 2020/2021, each applicant had to pay an application fee of 60 euros (non-refundable).
- 6.2. The annual fee will be announced at https://ciencias.ulisboa.pt/en/tuition-fees-and-related-fees As a mere indication, last year 2020/2021, the amount of the annual fee was 2750,00 euros in the first year, and 1500,00 euros in the remainder years. The Management Council of FCUL did not fix yet the possible number of instalments for 2021/2022 indicatively, we inform that in past year this amount could be fully paid on enrollment time or gradually paid in nine instalments along the academic year (the first of which at enrollment time).
- 6.3. The fee is paid via ATM references provided by the academic portal of the Faculty of Sciences or at the Serviços Financeiros of the Faculty of Sciences (Alameda da Universidade, 1600-548 Lisboa) during office hours.

7. Further Information

Further information is available at

http://www.dout ciencia cognitiva.ul.pt/paginas/en/index en.html

Lisbon, May 4, 2021

The President of the Scientific Committee of the course

Prof. Doutor António Branco