



## INTERNATIONAL CREDIT MOBILITY

### CALL FOR APPLICATIONS

#### What is International Credit Mobility?

For over 25 years, Europe has been funding the Erasmus programme allowing more than three million students to have taken part of their studies at another higher education institution (HEI) in Europe. Erasmus+ has been, continuously, bringing these and many other opportunities, allowing for mobility to expand to other continents (between the so-called "Programme Countries" and "Partner Countries").

Erasmus+ now offers the opportunity for students to study and for staff to teach or train in HEIs beyond Europe. Likewise, students and staff from non-European countries are also offered the same opportunity - to engage in an exchange mobility in European HEIs. This is known as International Credit Mobility - an activity under KA1: Learning Mobility of Individuals.

"O Consórcio Amigo", consists of the Portuguese HEIs which are part of the network *Rede de Estudos Ambientais dos Países de Língua Portuguesa (REALP)*, namely Universidade de Évora, Universidade Nova de Lisboa, Universidade de Aveiro, Instituto Politécnico de Tomar and Universidade de Lisboa.

#### How to apply

The application for staff (both teaching and training) must be done by email. The applicant should send it to: [internacional@ciencias.ulisboa.pt](mailto:internacional@ciencias.ulisboa.pt)

Applicants will have to apply with a proper application form, which is available on the following website: <https://ciencias.ulisboa.pt/pt/icm-consorcio-amigo>

All communication with the applicant will be done by email therefore it is very important that a valid email address is presented on the application. All applicants are asked to submit the application before the deadline of the Application Process.

With the application form the following documents must be attached:

- a) Staff (teaching and training)

**b1) Incoming mobility - from third countries to Universidade de Lisboa, Faculdade de Ciências**

- *Curriculum Vitae*;
- Copy of Passport or other identification document;
- Proof of affiliation to the sending University (HEI);
- Motivation letter, stating any experience in previous exchange/mobility programmes and explaining how the application is going to benefit the research work and how it can contribute to an improvement of procedures in the applicant's country and institution. Such can be in terms of teaching and learning methods, of research methodologies (joint research) and the procedures of academic management and/or administration, always in terms of international quality assurance and cooperation;
- Letter(s) of recommendation;
- Diplomas or Qualification Certificates.

**b2) Outgoing mobility - from Universidade de Lisboa, Faculdade de Ciências to third countries**

- *Curriculum Vitae*;
- Copy of Passport or other identification document;
- Motivation letter, stating any experience in previous exchange/mobility programmes and explaining how the application is going to benefit the research work and how it can contribute to an improvement of procedures in the applicant's country and institution. Such can be in terms of teaching and learning methods, of research methodologies (joint research) and the procedures of academic management and/or administration, always in terms of international quality assurance and cooperation;
- Superior authorization to carry out the mobility;
- Diplomas or Qualification Certificates;
- Work plan (including the activities' chronogram).

**Application deadline**

The application process will be open until midnight (Portuguese time) of **Monday, 6th January 2020**. Late or incomplete applications will not be considered.

The total number of grants is 6. Application results (selected and on hold applicants) will be available at: <https://ciencias.ulisboa.pt/pt/icm-consorcio-amigo>

### Grants available (OUT)

Type of mobility	University and country of Origin	Country of Destination	Number of flows	Duration of mobility	Grant per participant (€)	Level
Staff mobility for Teaching	Universidade de Lisboa-Portugal	Algeria	1	9 days	1620	N/A
Staff mobility for Training	Universidade de Lisboa-Portugal	Algeria	1	6 days	1080	N/A
Staff mobility for Training	Universidade de Lisboa-Portugal	Morocco	1	7 days	1260	N/A
Staff mobility for Teaching	Universidade de Lisboa-Portugal	Tunisia	1	7 days	1260	N/A

### Grants available (IN)

Type of mobility	Country of Origin	University and country of Destination	Number of flows	Duration of mobility	Grant per participant (€)	Level
Staff mobility for Teaching	Morocco	Universidade de Lisboa-Portugal	1	14 days	2352	N/A
Staff mobility for Teaching	Tunisia	Universidade de Lisboa-Portugal	1	14 days	2464	N/A

**Travel:** The project funds, for each fellow, a two way trip according to the following table:

From Portugal to Algeria	275 €
From Morocco to Portugal	275 €
From Portugal to Morocco	275 €
From Portugal to Tunisia	275 €
From Tunisia to Portugal	275 €

### Selection criteria

#### To teaching and training staff:

Motivation; work plan and its adequacy to the host universities' interests and reality.

### **Eligible Scientific Areas**

The Scientific areas eligible for application are:

- Environment and Sustainability

Application results are expected to be disseminated until 6<sup>th</sup> February 2020.

For further information, please contact the coordinator of the project at Universidade de Lisboa, Professor Cristina Branquinho through [cmbranquinho@ciencias.ulisboa.pt](mailto:cmbranquinho@ciencias.ulisboa.pt)