(BL259/2025-IST-ID)

Research Studentships (PhD students)

Applications are open for 1 Research Studentship (PHD) within the framework of project LA/P/0083/2020 - ITI - IST-ID/CC931101, financed by national funds through FCT/MCTES (PIDDAC), under the following conditions:

Scientific Area: Design de Comunicação

Admission Requirements: To be enrolled at a PhD.

Workplan: The workplan will explore participatory and speculative design to integrate environmental, social, and digital data in coastal governance. Through co-creation workshops, sensor-based interventions, and critical data storytelling, the research will prototype inclusive data assemblages that reflect more-than-human perspectives, fostering sustainable stewardship. Outputs will include speculative prototypes, policy recommendations, and interactive public engagements, aligning with the NEB values of sustainability, inclusivity, and aesthetics.

Legislation and Regulations: Statute of Scientific Research Fellow, approved by Law nr. 40/2004, of August 18, as worded by Decree-Law nr. 123/2019, of August 28; FCT Regulation for Research Studentships and Fellowships, available on https://www.fct.pt/apoios/bolsas/docs/RegulamentoBolsasFCT2019.pdf and https://dre.pt/application/file/a/127230968.

Workplace: The work will be developed at Interactive Technologies Institute/Larsys of Instituto Superior Técnico de Lisboa under the scientific supervision of Professor Nuno Jardim Nunes.

Duration: The research fellowship will last 9 months and will be *renewable*. It's expected to begin in January 2026 and may eventually be renewed up to the number of months corresponding to the project's duration.

Monthly maintenance allowance: According to the values for Research Fellowships awarded by FCT in Portugal (https://www.fct.pt/fct-atualizou-o-valor-das-bolsas-para-2025/), the amount of the monthly maintenance allowance is €1 309.64, being the payment method an option of the Fellow by Wire Transfer/Check.

Selection methods: The selection methods will be the following: Curricular Evaluation: 60%; Inteview: 30%; Motivation Letter: 10%

Composition of the selection Jury: Nuno Jardim Nunes (Professor Catedrático, IST); Valentina Nisi (Professora Catedrática IST) & Augusto Esteves (Professor IST)

Announcement/ notification of the results: The final evaluation results will be communicated to all applicants by email.

Deadlines and procedures of complaint and appeal. A complaint may be lodged from the final decision within 15 working days, or an appeal to the Executive Board of IST-ID within 30 working days, both counted from the respective notification

Application deadline and formalization: The call is open from 10 until November 21, 2025.

It is mandatory to formalize applications with the submission of the following documents: i) B1 Form — Fellowship application (https://ist-id.pt/recursos-humanos/bolseiros/#documentos-relacionados); ii) Curriculum Vitae; iii) academic degree certificate, where applicable; iv) proof of enrollment at an academic degree course (PhD); v) motivation letter;

Applications must be submitted to the emails: susana.nobrega@tecnico.ulisboa.pt e nunojnunes@tecnico.ulisboa.pt.

