(BL288/2025-IST-ID)

Research Studentships (for students of a course that does not award an academic degree)

Applications are open for 1 Studentship, within the framework of project I&D FOMO-HODOR/ISR/IST-ID, Refª 2024.14126.UTA, financed by national funds through FCT/MCTES, under the following conditions:

Scientific Area: Automation, Control, and Robotics

Admission Requirements: *to hold a bachelor or master degree and be enrolled at a course that does not award an academic degree and it is integrated in the educational project of a higher education institution, performed in association or cooperation with one or several R&D units;*

Workplan: Research on humanoid robots interacting with humans

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://dre.pt/application/file/a/127230968 .

Workplace: The work will be carried out at ISR-Lisbon/LARSyS, IST-ID, under the scientific supervision of Professor/Doctor Pedro Manuel Urbano de Almeida Lima.

Duration: The scholarship will last for 9 months, starting in January 2026. The scholarship contract cannot be renewed.

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 € 1309,64, being the payment method by Wire Transfer.

 Selection methods: The selection methods to be used will be as follows: curriculum evaluation, taking into account previous experience in the research topic, with a respective weighting of 100%.

Composition of the selection Jury: Pedro U. Lima, Luís Custódio and Bruno Martins (IST Professors).

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 December 23, 2025 until January 8, 2026.

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 in a course that does not award an academic degree; v) motivation letter; vi) declaration on honor that the applicant does not exceed with this contract an accumulated period of two years in this type of studentship, continuously or with interruptions.

Applications must be submitted via the following link https://isr.tecnico.ulisboa.pt/scholarships/ .