

(BL37/2026-IST-ID)

Research Studentships (Master or Integrated Master students)

Applications are open for 2 Research Studentship(s), within the framework of project/R&D institution (Demonstration and modelling of NBS to enhance the resilience of Mediterranean agro-silvo-pastoral ecosystems and landscapes/CERENA), (1801P.01395.1.01) DRYAD_101156076 - IST-ID), financed by HORIZON-MISS-2023-CLIMA-01-01, under the following conditions:

Scientific Area: Materials engineering

Admission Requirements: *To be enrolled at an integrated master or a master.*

Workplan: To support the preparation of reports and scientific publications addressing NbS to enhance the resilience of Mediterranean agrosilvopastoral ecosystems against the impacts of climate change.

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; IST Regulation of Scientific Research Fellowships, available on https://drh.tecnico.ulisboa.pt/files/sites/45/despacho_8532_regulamento_bolsas.pdf

Workplace: The work will be developed at of CERENA, on the ALAMEDA CAMPUS, under the scientific supervision of Maria Paula Mendes

Duration: The research fellowship(s) will have the duration of 12 months. It is expected to begin in March 2026, and may be eventually renewed up to the maximum of 12 months, including the duration of the initial contract.

Monthly maintenance allowance: the amount of the monthly maintenance allowance is 1.040,98€, being the payment method an option of the Fellow by Wire Transfer/Check.

Selection methods: The selection will consist of a curriculum evaluation and an individual interview. Knowledge of both spoken and written Portuguese and English is mandatory. The weighting assigned to each method will be as follows: i) Curriculum evaluation – 75%; ii) Individual interview – 25%. In the event of a tie between candidates, the interview will be used as the tiebreaker criterion.

Composition of the selection Jury: Doctor Maria Paula Mendes, Prof^a Inês Flores-Colen, Prof. Manuel Francisco Pereira

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

Deadlines and procedures of complaint and appeal. After notification of the provisional list of evaluation results, candidates have a period of 10 working days to, if they wish, make a statement at a preliminary hearing of interested parties, in accordance with Articles 121 et seq. of the Code of Administrative Procedure. The final decision will be made after analyzing the statements presented at the preliminary hearing of interested parties. The final decision may be appealed to the competition jury or to the President of IST-ID within 15 working days of notification.

Application deadline and formalization: The call is open from March 9 until March 13, 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 at an academic degree course (Master, Integrated Master); v) motivation letter;

Applications must be submitted to the email: mpaulamendes@tecnico.ulisboa.pt

