

Research Studentship for MSc student

Applications are open for 1 (one) Research Studentship for MSc student, within the scope of the R&D Unit CiTUA - Centre for Innovation in Territory, Urbanism and Architecture, ref. UIDP/05703/2020, with the financial support of FCT/MCTES through national funds, under the following conditions:

Scientific Area: Architecture

Admission Requirements: The scholarship is aimed at Master's students in the scientific field of Architecture. The candidate should preferably have: (1) experience in the field of post-occupancy evaluation methodologies (architecture); (2) knowledge of using computer programmes for word processing (such as MS Word), data processing and geographic data (such as MS Excel), Computer Aided Design and BIM tools, and graphic editing; (3) Portuguese (spoken and written, advanced - eliminatory factor) and English (spoken and written – very good, preferential factor).

Workplan: The work plan to be developed is part of the research project “THE (RE)DESIGN OF THE LEARNING ENVIRONMENT. What is changing?”. The research activities include: (1) support to the theoretical and methodological framework; (2) fieldwork to identify and survey case studies and workshops; (3) application of post-occupancy assessment methodologies, and participatory and collaborative approaches; (4) support to the dissemination of project results: periodic debates with guests, public seminar, academic activities, publications and communications.

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 CiTUA - Centre for Innovation in Territory, Urbanism and Architecture, Department of Civil Engineering, Architecture and Environment, Instituto Superior Técnico, under the scientific supervision of Professors Alexandra Alegre e Teresa Heitor.

Duration: The research fellowship(s) will have the duration of 3 months. It's expected to begin in February 2024, and may be eventually renewed up to the end of the project.

Monthly maintenance allowance: According to the values for Research Fellowships awarded by FCT in Portugal (https://www.fct.pt/wp-content/uploads/2023/02/Tabela-de-Valores-SMM_2023.pdf), the amount of the monthly maintenance allowance is €930,98, being the payment method by Wire Transfer.

Selection methods: The selection methods will be the following:

1. Curriculum evaluation (80%);
2. Experience in research (20%);
3. Individual interview (optional in case of a tie).

Composition of the selection Jury: Prof. Alexandra Alegre, Prof. Teresa Heitor, Prof. Patricia Lourenço.

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 January 24 until February 6, 2024.

It is mandatory to formalize applications with the submission of the following documents: i) B1 Form – Fellowship application (<https://ist-id.pt/concursos/bolsas/>); ii) *Curriculum Vitae*; iii) academic degree certificate; iv) proof of enrollment at an academic degree course (PhD); v) motivation letter.

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