

## OFFER DESCRIPTION

### 1 Master Research Fellowship

The National School of Public Health/Escola Nacional de Saúde Pública of the Universidade NOVA de Lisboa (ENSP/UNL) opened a competition for the attribution of 1 research fellowship for Master, within the Comprehensive Health Research Centre (CHRC), financed by national funds through the Fundação para a Ciência e a Tecnologia – FCT/MCTES, Pluriannual Financing of R&D Units 2020-2023, with the reference **Bolsa Métodos Quantitativos - UIDP/04923/2020**, under the following conditions:

**Scientific Area:** Statistics, health/epidemiology, or related fields.

**Recipients:** Master's degree holders enrolled in a degree awarding course or in a non-academic degree course integrated in the educational project of a higher education institution, developed in association or cooperation with one or more R&D units.

#### Admission requirements:

- § Skills in design, organization, and implementation of research studies.
- § Experience in collecting, validating, and analyzing quantitative data, using advanced statistical or epidemiological methodologies.
- § Ability to communicate and express written and oral expression in Portuguese and English, including scientific writing.
- § Attend a course that confers or does not confer an academic degree.

#### Preferred factors:

- § Experience in scientific research on public health issues or social sciences applied to health.
- § Experience in carrying out studies based on analysis of quantitative data through advanced statistical or epidemiological methodologies.
- § Experience in projects with multidisciplinary teams and with an integrated approach.
- § Co-authorship of scientific publications, especially articles in indexed journals, and communications at scientific events.
- § Organizational capacity and autonomy.
- § Immediate availability.

#### Work plan:

- Support in the design, coordination, and implementation of quantitative studies for CHRC researchers.
- Support in the collection, validation, and analysis of quantitative data to CHRC researchers, CHRC researchers.
- Support in writing and reviewing reports and scientific articles for CHRC researchers.

**Applicable legislation and regulations:**

Statute of Scientific Research Fellows (EBIC), approved by Law No. 40/2004, of August 18, amended and published by Decree-Law No. 202/2012, of August 27, amended by Decree-Law No. 233/2012, of October 29, by Law No. 12/2013, of January 29, by Decree-Law No. 89/2013, of July 9 and by Decree-Law No. 123/2019, of August 28, available at:

<https://www.fct.pt/apoios/bolsas/estatutobolseiro.phtml.pt>

Regulation of scientific research grants of the Foundation for Science and Technology, I.P. in force: <https://www.fct.pt/apoios/bolsas/regulamento.phtml.pt>

**Workplace and scientific orientation:**

The work will be carried out at the National School of Public Health of the Universidade NOVA de Lisboa (Avenida Padre Cruz, 1600-560 Lisbon), under the scientific supervision of Prof. Paulo Nogueira.

**Duration of the fellowship:** The fellowship contract, scheduled to start in December 2022, will last for 12 months, eventually renewable for 06 months.

**Amount of monthly maintenance subsidy:** The amount of the monthly subsidy is €1.144,64.

According to the table of monthly maintenance subsidies, contained in the FCT Scientific Research Scholarship Regulation, I.P., available at: <https://www.fct.pt/apoios/bolsas/valores.phtml.pt>

To this amount is added the payment of the Personal Accident Insurance and the payment of voluntary social security.

**Selection Methods:**

The selection method to be used will be curriculum assessment (100%) in case there is no need for an interview. If an interview is considered necessary, the weighting of both components will be curriculum assessment (70%) and interview (30%).

**Composition of the Selection Jury:**

President of the jury: Prof. Paulo Nogueira; Members: Prof. André Peralta-Santos; Prof. Julian Perelman; and Dra. Andreia Leite.

**Application deadline and form of submission of applications:**

The contest is open from **04<sup>th</sup> to the 18<sup>th</sup> of November 2022**.

Applications must be formalized by email to [gaidi@ensp.unl.pt](mailto:gaidi@ensp.unl.pt); with the **reference Bolsa Métodos Quantitativos - UIDP/04923/2020**, in the subject, including the following documents:

1. Motivation letter.
2. Curriculum Vitae detailed of the candidate, dated, and signed.
3. Documents proving that the candidate meets the conditions required for the award of the scholarship, namely a copy of the qualification certificates of all the academic degrees obtained, with a final grade and proof of enrollment in academic course or a non-academic degree-granting course.
4. For academic degrees awarded by a foreign higher education institution, it is mandatory to present the registration of the recognition of the academic degree and the conversion of the final classification to the Portuguese scale (process regulated by Decree-Law No. 341/2007, of 12 of October), or alternatively, obtaining equivalence/recognition of academic degrees (process regulated by Decree-Law no. 283/83, of 21 June); or the acceptance of enrollment in a course that confers or does not confer an academic degree.

**Disclosure of Results:**

The results of the evaluation will be published on the ENSP website: <https://www.ensp.unl.pt/>, up to 90 working days after the final date of application submission.

Candidates will be notified by email, within 10 working days, in the absence of any response from them, the ranking list of candidates will become definitive. From the final decision, candidates may file a complaint within 15 working days, or appeal to the highest executive body of the

funding entity within 30 working days after notification of the final decision, in accordance with the provisions of article 12 of the Regulation of Foundation for Science and Technology Research Grants.

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