

**ANNOUNCEMENT FOR THE AWARD OF 2 RESEARCH SCHOLARSHIP, REF. No.:
E2S/CiIL/BI/2024/11**

Applications are open for the award of 2 Research Scholarship within the scope of the Center for Research and Intervention in Reading, Escola Superior de Saúde, of the Instituto Politécnico do Porto funded by internal resources, under the following conditions:

1. SCIENTIFIC AREA**Psychology or Speech Therapy****2. ELEGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS****General requirements**

- a) Hold a master's degree and be enrolled, on the date of contracting the scholarship, in a course that does not lead to an academic degree at a Higher Education Institution, developed in association or cooperation with one or more RGD units;
- b) Do not exceed, with the conclusion of the scholarship contract in question, including possible renewals, an accumulated period of two years in this type of scholarship, consecutive or interpolated.

In the qualification granted by a foreign higher education institution, it must be recognized by a Portuguese higher education institution, including the conversion of their final grade to the Portuguese grading scale, in accordance with Decree-Law No. 66/2018, of August 16, and any formalities established there must be completed by the deadline for the application.

Specific requirements:

All individuals who meet the following documented requirements can apply for this scholarship:

- a) Academic Training: Bachelor and Master in Psychology or Bachelor and Master in Speech Therapy;
- b) Master's GPA of 14 or higher.

Preferred Factors:

Preference will be given to candidates with experience and skills in:

- a) Experience in Projects related to Learning to Read;
- b) Good knowledge of English;
- c) Competence in statistical analysis software;
- d) Immediate availability to start the scholarship (to be mentioned in the motivation letter).

3. WORK PLAN

The researcher will collaborate on CiiL's work plan of the Center for Research and Intervention in Reading, namely:

- a) In current management support tasks, acquisition of goods and services;
- b) Support for ongoing research activities in projects under development.

4. APPLICABLE LEGISLATION AND REGULATIONS

- Law no. 40/2004, of August 18, amended by Decree-law no. 202/2012, of August 27, by Decree-law no. 233/2012, of October 29, by Law no. 12/2013, of 29 January, by Decree-Law no. 89/2013, of July 9, by Decree-Law No. 123/2019, of August 28 and by Decree-Law no. 65/2024, of October 1.
- P.PORTO Research Grants Regulations (P.PORTO/P-001/2020), approved by Order P.PORTO-P-015-2020.
- FCT Research Grants Regulation, I. P., no. 950/2019, of December 16, and amended by Regulation no. 643/2021, published in the 2nd Series of the Diário da República no. 135/2021, of July 14.

5. SCIENTIFIC ORIENTATION AND WORKPLACE

The work will be developed at the Center for Research and Intervention in Reading, School of Health (E2S) at the Polytechnic Institute of Porto and in schools in Porto Metropolitan Area, under the scientific guidance of Professor Ana Sucena Santos.

6. DURATION AND ACTIVITY REGIME

The scholarship contract is for 12 months, possibly renewable for an additional 12 months, up to the maximum period, on an exclusive basis, in accordance with applicable regulations.

7. AMOUNT OF THE MONTHLY MAINTENANCE ALLOWANCE

The amount of the scholarship corresponds to €1.259,64, in accordance with the FCT value table in force, paid monthly, plus the reimbursement of voluntary social insurance, in accordance with the regulations, and in accordance with the Expense Authorization Request -ESS6053.

8. METHOD OF SELECTION AND COMPOSITION OF THE JURY

The selection method to be used will be in accordance with the following selection criteria and respective valuations:

- a) Assessment of the Curriculum Vitae and suitability of the candidate's profile for the position, with valuation from 0 to 20 (weighting 50%);
- b) Interview. The interview will only be carried out with the ten candidates with the best classification obtained in paragraph a), who will be immediately called via email. Your performance will again be evaluated on a scale of 0 to 20 (50% weighting).

The selected candidate will be the one who achieved the best final classification, taking into account the following percentage weighting: 50% for the curriculum assessment and suitability of the candidate's profile and 50% for the interview.

Candidates may be excluded from the competition on the following grounds:

- a) Because they do not meet the mandatory requirements set out in the competition notice (point 2.);
- b) Candidates who obtain a rating lower than 9.5 in any of the evaluation components are considered excluded from the competition procedure and will not be evaluated in the following component(s);
- c) The failure of the candidate to attend the interview or the unavailability of the candidate to provide any additional clarifications requested, is equivalent to withdrawal from the competition.

Composition of the Selection Jury:

Jury President – Professor Ana Sucena Santos, Adjunct Professor at E2S|P.PORTO

Jury Members:

Professor Diana Patrícia Leal Tavares, Coordinating Professor at E2S|P.PORTO, who replaces the president in absences and impediments;

Professor Rui da Assunção Esteves Pimenta, Main Coordinating Professor at E2S|P.PORTO.

Jury Substitute:

Professor Sandra Maria Ferreira Alves, Adjunct Professor at E2S|P.PORTO.

9. METHOD OF PUBLICATION/NOTIFICATION OF RESULTS

The results of the competition will be communicated to candidates electronically, through the electronic platform available at <https://domus.ipp.pt/concursos/ess/pessoal/>, in accordance with the deadlines set out in the P.PORTO Research Grant Regulations.

10. APPLICATION DEADLINE AND FORM OF SUBMISSION OF APPLICATIONS

The application period is open for a period of 10 working days, from December 6 to December 19, 2024.

Applications must be formalized by completing the electronic application form, which is available at <https://www.ess.ipp.pt/ess/recrutamento/bolsas-de-investigacao/bolsas-de-investigacao> and submitting it by the end of the deadline set together with the following documents:

- 1) Curriculum Vitae;
- 2) Degree Certificates;
- 3) Proof of enrolment in a non-degree-awarding course, if you are not a P.PORTO student;
- 4) Declaration, under oath of honour, that
 - a) Is aware of the P.PORTO Research Grants Regulation (P.PORTO/P-001/2020), approved by Order P.PORTO-P-015-2020, and undertakes to comply with it;
 - b) Do not exceed, with the conclusion of the scholarship contract in question, including possible renewals, an accumulated period of two years in this type of scholarship, consecutive or interpolated.
- 5) Other documents that the candidate considers relevant.

Notes:

- The supporting documents referred to with number 2, of the ownership of academic degrees and diplomas, or of their recognition when they have been awarded by foreign higher education institutions, may be dispensed with during the application phase, being replaced by the candidate's declaration of honour. This condition is only verified during the scholarship contracting phase.
- The proof referred to with number 3 may not be delivered, with the granting of a scholarship being conditional on the existence of a valid registration within a period of six months from the date of communication of approval in the scientific evaluation.
- Applications sent via email or any other electronic means other than those specified will not be accepted.

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December 5, 2024. — Presidente of the School of Health at the Polytechnic Institute of Porto, *Maria Cristina Prudêncio Pereira Soares*