

RESEARCH GRANT (1 vacancy)

EASME/EMFF/2017/1.2.1.12/S2/02/SI2.789121

Reference: NET-TAG/BM/2018-108

A competition is open for the attribution of 1 research grant in the framework of the project NetTag - Tagging fishing gears and enhancing on board best-practices to promote waste free fisheries, with reference EASME/EMFF/2017/1.2.1.12/S2/02/SI2.789121, within the R&D Institution CIIMAR (Interdisciplinary Centre of Marine and Environmental Research), supported by EMFF - European Maritime and Fisheries Fund e EMFF Work Programme 2017, according to the following conditions:

1. Scientific area: Environmental Sciences

2. Admission requirements

The candidates must hold a degree in Environmental Sciences or related field with classification equal or higher than 14 values (in 20) and a Master in the field of Environment Sciences or related fields with classification equal to or higher than 17 values (in 20).

Laboratory working experience with microbiological and analytical techniques, experience in samples preparation, experience with manipulation of environmental samples, and experience in growing, maintaining and preserving bacterial cultures, is mandatory.

Experience in the development of hands-on activities for project dissemination and on the use of social media is required

Whenever the degree was awarded by a foreign higher education institution, said degree must comply with the provisions of Decree-Law no. 66/2018 of 16th August until the signature of the contract.

3. Work plan:

The research plan will include the following tasks:

- Compilation of the available published environmental chemical and microbiological data;
- Participation in the planning of the sampling campaigns;
- Treatment, processing or storage and analysis of the various samples;
- Discussion of the results obtained and production of respective reports.



- Project dissemination activities

4. Legislation and official rules:

Law nº. 40/2004, 18th August (Research Fellowship and Studentship Regulation) and amended by Law No. 202/2012, 27th August; Regulations for Studentships and Fellowships of the Fundação para a Ciência e a Tecnologia, I.P. and CIIMAR Grants Regulation.

5. Work place:

The work will be carried out at CIIMAR, Laboratory EcoBioTec, under the scientific supervision of Dr. Marisa Almeida.

6. Duration of the contract:

Duration of twelve (12) months, starting in March 2019, under the regime of exclusive dedication, eventually renewable according to legal terms.

7. Monthly salary:

The monthly maintenance allowance is €980 (nine hundred and eighty Euros – Tax Free), in agreement with the monthly maintenance stipend table of the grants directly attributed by FCT, I.P. within the country (<http://www.fct.pt/apoios/bolsas/valores.phtml.en>).

The payment will be made by bank transfer. The scholarship has included personal accident insurance.

8. Selection methods:

The ranking of candidates will be performed by a global evaluation based on the Curriculum Vitae according to the following criteria:

- The Degree and Master grades plus scientific area: 50%;
- Experience in the research field: 50%.

If necessary an interview will be done to a maximum of three top candidates, after which a final ranking will be performed based on:

- CV evaluation: 50%;



- Interview: 50%

If the candidates do not show up in the interview it will be considered as a withdrawal of application, being those candidates excluded from the competition.

The jury reserves the right to not assign the research grant if none of the candidates meets all requirements and match the desired profile.

9. Composition of the jury selection:

President of the jury: Dr. Marisa Almeida

Vogal: Dr. Ana Paula Mucha

Vogal: Dr. Sandra Ramos

10. Form of Advertising/notification of results:

The final results of the evaluation will be published through a list sorting the candidates according to their attributed mark, on the CIIMAR website and by e-mail; in case of disagreement, the candidates have a 10-working day term to contest the decision, if he/she so wishes, as provided for in the Código do Procedimento Administrativo in a preliminary hearing setting. Based on the final list, a reserve list will be established, which will be used for the eventual attribution of new research grants under this project.

11. Deadline for application and presentation of applications:

The competition is open from **13 until 26 February 2019**. The applications must be formalized, compulsorily, by sending the following documents:

- detailed Curriculum vitae including e-mail address and phone number, and mentioning clearly the academic grades and the relevant research experience
- copy of the eligibility certificates
- motivation letter
- reference contact information of current and past supervisors
- indication of the reference of the competition (as indicated in this announcement)

The applications must be sent by e-mail to: secretariado@ciimar.up.pt. The applications that **do not include all** the elements previously indicated will **not be considered**.

