



Research Management Fellowship Grant

The Centre for Social Studies (CES) – Associate Laboratory - University of Coimbra (Portugal), opens a call for applications for one (1) research manager fellowship in the project **CROME – Crossed Memories, Politics of Silence: The Colonial-Liberation Wars in Postcolonial Times** (Grant agreement no.: 715593), funded by the European Research Council, and coordinated by Miguel Cardina.

a. Project Description:

CROME will develop a history of memory of the colonial-liberation wars fought by the Portuguese state and pro-independence African movements. The project is divided into two big strands. The first one looks at the role played by the states under consideration in generating selective historical representations. The second one analyses dynamics between social memories and individual memories. The approach chosen is simultaneously diachronic and comparative, examining how wars, colonial pasts and anticolonial legacies have been remembered and silenced in Portugal, Angola, Mozambique, Guinea-Bissau, Cape Verde and São Tomé and Príncipe.

b. Scientific Field:

Humanities and Social Sciences

c. Description of the required profile:

Applicants are expected to have research management experience that shows flexibility, initiative and teamwork skills. English fluency is essential.

d. Admission requirements and criteria, and their evaluation weighting:

1. BA or Master degree in Social Sciences or Humanities (10%);
2. Previous research management experience (25%);
3. Proved interest in the project's thematic area (25%);
4. Knowledge about the legal framework and administrative procedures of European research funding (15%);
5. Proficiency in English and Portuguese (15%);
6. Autonomy, critical awareness and enthusiasm in integrating multidisciplinary teams (10%).

e. Work plan:

The selected candidate is expected to contribute to the implementation of the project's scientific tasks, as well as to support any activities associated with the project's general goals. Particularly, the research manager will work closely with the PI, assisting the team in a) monitoring and

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reporting on financial and administrative related issues; b) observing different deadlines and milestones (e.g. organizing scientific events; planning the research in the different fieldworks, etc.); c) updating CROME's website and implementing the communication strategy; d) evaluation and risk management and e)

f. Applicable Legislation and Regulations:

Portuguese Law nº 40/2004, of 18 August (Scientific Research Fellow Statute) and successive amendments, FCT's (National Agency for Science and Technology) Regulations for Advanced Training and Qualification of Human Resources 2015, and Regulations for Fellowships at the Centre for Social Studies.

g. Work place:

Tasks will be performed at the Centre for Social Studies (Coimbra, Portugal) facilities or in other locations when necessary for the good implementation of the work plan, under the scientific supervision of the Principal Investigator, Miguel Cardina.

h. Duration of the fellowship contract:

The fellowship will last 12 months. It will start with the beginning of the project (indicative date February 1, 2017). The contract may be extended for equal or different time periods, until the end of the project, depending on the good performance (as defined in the work plan), and on the Principal Investigator's assessment.

i. Monthly allowance:

The monthly stipend will be determined accordingly to the candidate's academic degree, varying from 1,200 Euro to 1,400 Euro. The payment of the Voluntary Social Insurance and the Personal Accident Insurance adds up to this amount.

j. Selection process:

Applicants will be selected based on their curricular evaluation. In case of equivalent curricular evaluations, the strongest applications will compose a short-list to be evaluated through an interview, conducted in Portuguese, meant to assess the applicants' potential in integrating the project scientific dynamic.

The jury reserves to right not to award the grant if none of the candidates fits the required profile.

k. Selection panel:

- Miguel Cardina (President)
- Ana Cristina Santos (Permanent Member)
- Bruno Sena Martins (Permanent Member)

l. Results publication:

All candidates will receive the results by email.

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m. Application deadline:

November 9, 2016

n. Application process:

Applications must include:

- a) a letter of motivation in Portuguese;
- b) the detailed Curriculum Vitae;
- c) copy of degree certificates and other relevant documents for eligibility purposes.

Applications should be sent by electronic mail to crome@ces.uc.pt, handed in person at CES' facilities, or sent by postal mail with the stamp due until the final deadline. Whichever the case, applications must include a clear indication to the reference of this call.

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