

**NOTICE OF OPENING N.º 599/SGA/DOFAE**

**Faculty of Sciences and Technology**

**Academic Year 2026/2027**

**2nd Cycle Course**

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**Master in Environmental Engineering and Sustainability**

**1. Number of places:**

2nd call: 40 places

3rd call: 5 places + remaining places

**2. Minimum number of students for course opening:** Not applicable.

**3. Application deadlines:**

2nd call: 1st June to 15th July 2026

3rd call: 1st to 11th September 2026

**4. Admission requirements:**

1. Applicants to the cycle of studies leading to this Master's degree must be:

- a) Holders of a Bachelor's degree or a legal equivalent degree in Environmental Engineering or similar fields, namely in the fields of Civil Engineering, Mechanical Engineering, Chemical Engineering, Agronomic Engineering, and Forestry Engineering.
- b) Holders of a foreign higher education degree awarded following a 1st cycle of studies in Environmental Engineering or related fields, organized according to the Bologna Process by a State signatory to this Process;
- c) Holders of a higher education academic degree obtained abroad that is recognized as meeting the objectives of the degree of bachelor in one of the areas mentioned under the previous points by the Scientific Committee of FCTUC;
- d) In duly justified cases, holders of a school, scientific and professional curriculum relevant for completing this cycle of studies as recognized by the Scientific Committee of FCTUC, having a CV

assessment of 12 out of 20 or higher.

2. The recognition referred to in sub-paragraphs b) to d) of paragraph 1 merely provides access to the study cycle leading to the degree of master and does not confer on its holder the equivalence to the degree of bachelor or the recognition of that degree.

## **5. Selection criteria:**

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- A. Quality of the academic and professional course, [70/100 Weighting];
- B. Interest in the new course, [10/100 Weighting];
- C. Duration of formation on University of Coimbra, [20/100 Weighting].

### **2nd Cycle - Application based on Subparagraph d)**

i) Academic curriculum, [100/100 Weighting].

- Curriculum assessment, taking into consideration the academic curriculum and the final grade of the course s) carried out by the applicant, the relevance of the courses completed by the applicant to the scientific field of the cycle of studies to which he/she is applying, as well as the scientific curriculum, such as the applicant's participation in congresses, seminars, research projects, the number and scientific quality of publications (monographs, book chapters, articles in periodical journals), awards and similar elements, provided that they are activities carried out within the scientific field of this cycle of studies, and/or the professional curriculum, such as the duration and type of the professional functions performed within the scientific field of this cycle of studies.

**NOTE:** Assessed applications that have a grade lower than 9.5 in one of the evaluation criteria will automatically become non-approved.

## **6. Required documentation:**

- Certificate of Bachelor's degree with final course classification (diploma). A certificate proving approval in the curricular units carried out must be included, with respective classifications (school transcript). (MANDATORY, except if the primary course is a course taught at the University of Coimbra);
- Curriculum Vitae; (MANDATORY);
- Identification document (MANDATORY only for foreign applicants);
- Motivation Letter; (MANDATORY);
- Official declaration of course outlines and hourly course loads with classification of each course unit of courses previously taken (transcript), in case of equivalence credits request (MANDATORY, except in degrees awarded by the University of Coimbra under the Bologna

Process - after 2007/2008);

- Official document certifying qualifications, issued by the institution awarding the degree, indicating the weighted average and the grading scale. (MANDATORY only for holders of a degree obtained abroad that does not contain the average).

**NOTE:** If the documents mentioned above are written in a foreign language other than Spanish, French, and English, it is mandatory to present a translation to Portuguese undertaken by a translator recognised by the Portuguese diplomatic representation.

The submission of the authenticated original documents is mandatory to the applicants admitted who enrol and register and must be done as soon as possible in order to complete their personal file. Further information at: <https://www.uc.pt/en/academic-services/submit-docs/>.

#### **7. Tuition fee:**

- National Student or equivalent: 1,063,47 EUR (annual fee);
- International student: 7,000 EUR (annual fee).

#### **8. Part-time registration:** Allowed.

#### **9. Assessment committee:**

- Aldina Maria da Cruz Santiago;
- António Alberto Santos Correia;
- Maria Isabel Mendes Leal Pereira Pedroso de Lima.

#### **10. Other information:**

- Application is subject to the payment of a 50.00 € fee, which is non-refundable, even in case of invalidation of application and of non-placement.
- Applications are submitted online at: <https://inforestudante.uc.pt/nonio/security/candidaturas.do>.
- Applicants who do not have the documents attesting the required qualifications or other documents until the end of the deadline for applications may apply conditionally. If they do not submit the required documents until the new deadline provided, their application will become "Not Admitted". Then, they can move their application onto the following call for applications without any additional charges.
- In applications definitively considered valid, and after the evaluation period has started, it is not possible to add or replace the documents presented. To add new documentation, a new application must be submitted in the next phase, if any.
- After the last phase of applications, and if there are still places available, applicants may submit their application by means of a request, beyond the deadline, which will be duly appraised by the

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coordination of the Course /Organisational Unit.

- Further information about academic issues, including the academic calendar, is available at:

<https://www.uc.pt/en/academic-services/>

- Contacts: E-mail: <https://apps.uc.pt/forms/view/sga/en>

Telephone:(00351) 239 247 195

In person assistance: at the Student Hub of the University of Coimbra. Schedules for assistance may be consulted at: <https://www.uc.pt/en/academic-services/location-contacts/in-person/>

University of Coimbra, on 28th May 2026.

Head of Division,