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NOTICE OF OPENING N.º 182/GA/GAI

Faculty of Sciences and Technology Academic Year 2019/2020 2nd Cycle Course

2nd cycle

Master in Teaching of Biology and Geology in the 3rd cycle of Basic and Secondary Education

1. Number of places:

2nd call: 19 places

3rd call: 1 place + remaining places

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

3. Application deadlines:

2nd call: 1st April to 15th July 2019

3rd call: 19th August to 6th September 2019

4. Admission requirements:

- 1. In accordance with D.L. 79/2014, applicants must meet all of the following conditions:
- a) Hold a bachelor's degree or one of the qualifications referred to in points a) to c) of no. 1 of art. 17 of D.L. 65/2018;
- b) Have completed at least 120 credits (ECTS) in the two disciplinary areas (Biology and Geology) and in none of them less than 50 credits in bachelor's degree or in other higher education degrees;
- c) Have obtained approval in a written and oral exam aimed at verifying the command of the Portuguese language and the capacity for logical and critical argumentation.
- 2. Besides meeting the requirements of 1a) and 1c) but not 1b), have obtained 75% of the required credits in teaching of these two subjects.
- 3. Besides meeting the requirements of 1b) and 1c) but not of 1a), hold a school, scientific or professional curriculum that is recognized as attesting to the capacity to carry out this cycle of

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studies.

NOTE: Access to Teaching Masters requires a Portuguese test, see the test dates at http://www.uc.pt/candidatos/escola/fluc/prova_portugues.

5. Selection criteria:

- A. Quality of the academic and professional background (4/6 Weighting);
- B. Commitment to the new course, (1/6 Weighting);
- C. Duration of studies at the University of Coimbra (1/6 Weighting).

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:

- Workload and programmes of curricular units if credits are to be requested (MANDATORY, unless the course of origin is taught at the University of Coimbra under the Bologna Process after 2007/2008);
- Motivation Letter; (MANDATORY);
- Certificate of degree with final classification obtained (diploma). If credits are to be requested, a certificate indicating all curricular units completed and the classification obtained on each of the curricular units must be included (MANDATORY, except if the primary course is a course taught at the University of Coimbra);
- Curriculum Vitae, Europass format (http://europass.cefop.europa.eu/) (MANDATORY);
- Official document, issued by the institution that awarded the degree, with certified grade (weighted average), (MANDATORY only for foreign candidates);
- Copy of identification document (MANDATORY only for foreign applicants).

NOTE: Admitted candidates who register and enroll in the course are required to present the original documents until the 31st of December in order to complete their individual student file.

The documents mentioned above must be certified by the local Portuguese consulate and / or legalized by the Apostille system under the Convention on Abolishing the Requirement of Legalization for Foreign Public Documents (better known as the Hague Convention), signed at The Hague, October 5, 1961, with the exception of documents issued by European Union Member-States. However, in case of doubt about the documentation presented, the aforementioned certification or submission of additional documentation may be requested to any applicant. If the above-mentioned documents are in a foreign language other than Spanish, French or English, a translation must be presented. Translations must be duly certified by the competent authorities.

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7. Tuition fee:

- National Student or equivalent: 1,063,4 EUR (Fee amount subject to amendment by the General Council);
- International student: 7,000 EUR (annual fee).
- **8. Part-time registration:** Allowed.

9. Assessment committee:

- Pedro Miguel Callapez Tonicher.

10. Other information:

- Application is subject to the payment of a fee in the amount of $50.00 \in$, non-refundable, including in cases of invalidation of application, non-placement or when the study cycle does not open due to the lack of the minimum number of enrollees.
- Registration and enrollment of International Students is only confirmed after a single payment corresponding to 30% of the total tuition fee (payment of 3 months of tuition), plus the application fee.
- Applications are submitted online at: https://inforestudante.uc.pt/nonio/security/candidaturas.do;
- More information at https://www.uc.pt/academicos;
- Contacts: e-mail: http://www.uc.pt/academicos/e-mail; phone (00351) 239 24 71 95; in person at the support centres of the Academic Management Service, in the hours available at http://www.uc.pt/en/academicos/contactos/atendimento.

University of Coimbra, on 17th January 2019.

The Vice-Rector,

Madalena Alarção