## **Jury Meeting Minute**

IMM/CT/72-2021

Instituto de Medicina Molecular João Lobo Antunes (iMM) opened a call to hire a Postdoctoral Researcher correspondent to the initial level according to the Applicable Regulation, under an <u>Unfixed-term contract</u>, with the funding support from National Funds (FCT) within the project <u>PTDC/MED-OUT/4301/2020</u>—"Decoding the Role of Break-Induced Transcription in Ageing".

During the period of the call, University of Lisbon network to which iMM is daily connected for work purposes suffered a cyber-attack that resulted in the shutdown of email server from 30<sup>th</sup> of October to 7<sup>th</sup> of November 2021. During this period, it was not possible for iMM to receive and send emails.

Additionally, iMM still doesn't have access to the mailbox that existed prior to the cyber-attack for which applications were sent and received. Thus, to be fair to all applicants (those who applied before the cyber- attack and those who tried to apply and couldn't) iMM decided to nullify this recruitment & selection process and will launch a new call soon.

This decision is signed by the three members of the jury and also validated by the Heads of the Institution.

Lisbon, 9th of November 2021

Sérgio Almeida

(President of the Jury and Responsible for the Project)

Claus Maria Azzalin

Robert Martin

Validation by the Heads of the Institution

Professor Maria-Carmo Fonseca

President of iMM

Professor Maria M. Mota

**Executive Director**