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**CALL FOR A RESEARCH FELLOWSHIP**  
**Reference of Fellowship IMM/BI/59-2019**

The Instituto de Medicina Molecular João Lobo Antunes (iMM João Lobo Antunes) opens a call for a Research Fellowship funded by the European Research Council, under the project “*SynapticMitochondria – Quality Control and Maintenance of Synaptic Mitochondria*” (ERC-StG-2015 - ERC Starting Grant – GA 679168), coordinated by Vanessa Morais.

**Work Plan and Goals**

- To perform in vivo and in vitro mitochondria functional assays
- To support Laboratory management

**Scientific Area:** Molecular and Cellular Biology; Biochemistry

**Candidate's Profile**

- Master Degree in Biology and related areas (degree obtained within the last 12 months);
- Experience with cell culture and cell transfection;
- Experience with Microscopy techniques;
- Excellent knowledge of English, written and spoken (mandatory);
- High sense of responsibility and laboratory organizational skills;
- Pro-active personality with a critical mind and a team spirit

**Duration of Fellowship:** 6 (six) months on an exclusive basis and eventually renewable for equal periods, **not exceeding the eligible period of the project.**

**Law and Regulation:** Research Fellowship Statute (Law nr 40/2004, from August 18th, republished in attach to Decree-Law nr 202/2012, from August 27th), iMM João Lobo Antunes Regulation Fellowship, Career By-Law and Assessment Regulations.

*The iMM Lisboa undertakes to ensure compliance with the principles of non-discrimination and equality and to that extent, provides that no candidate can be privileged, benefited, harmed or deprived of any right or exempted from any duty due in particular ancestry, age, gender, sexual orientation, marital status, family status, economic status, education, social origin or condition, genetic heritage, reduced working capacity, disability, chronic disease, nationality, ethnic origin or race, place of origin, language, religion, political or ideological convictions and trade union membership.*

**Predicted Start Date:** November or December 2019

**WorkPlace and Scientific Orientation:** The work will be developed at VMORAIS Lab at iMM João Lobo Antunes under the supervision of Vanessa A. Morais.

**Fellow Monitoring Centre:** The monitoring centre works on Tuesday (09:00AM to 01:00PM / 02:00PM to 06:00PM) and Thursday (02:00PM to 06:00PM), at Human Resources of iMM João Lobo Antunes.

**Monthly Remuneration:** 989,70€, in accordance with the applicable regulation. The amount will be paid through bank transfer.

**Necessary Documents for Applications:** - Motivation Letter; - Detailed CV; - MSc Degree Certificate; - 2 references Letters.

***The non-compliance with these requirements determines the immediate rejection of the application.***

**Evaluation:** Applications will be evaluated by a jury composed by Vanessa Morais, Sérgio de Almeida and Cláudio Franco (all PhD's).

**Selection Method:** The selection will be made based on CV 50%, Motivation Letter 20% and Reference Letters 5%; and Interview 25%.

**Deadlines and Submission of Applications:** The call will be open for 10 working days, **from 21<sup>st</sup> October until 4<sup>th</sup> November 2019.**

Applications should be sent to iMM Human Resources through the email [imm-hr@medicina.ulisboa.pt](mailto:imm-hr@medicina.ulisboa.pt), indicating the reference of fellowship (mandatory). ***The non-compliance with these requirements determines the immediate rejection of the application.***

**Communication of Results:** The results will be published at <https://imm.medicina.ulisboa.pt/en/job-opportunities/results/> and posted at the entrance lobby of the Institute.

Lisbon, 4<sup>th</sup> October 2019

The Executive Director of iMM João Lobo Antunes  
Professor Maria Manuel Dias da Mota, PhD