

## Notice for Call to hire a MSc Researchers (Ref. BIOREF-20)

BIOREF Association - Collaborative Laboratory for Biorefineries, with funding from the regional operational programme (ROP) Centro 2020, thematic area of Competitiveness and Employment, through the European Social Fund (ESF), has launched a call for tenders for the hiring of Highly Qualified Human Resources for a Masters, according to the procedures listed below.

### 1. Admission Requirements

Candidates must hold a Master degree in chemical engineering, biological engineering, mechanical engineering, environmental engineering, chemistry, biology, biotechnology or related areas. The spoken and written command of the English language is a necessary condition for admission.

Applicants should have knowledge in the areas of chemical and biological technologies for value-added bioproducts biorefining.

### 2. Functions/activities to be performed

- Execution of R&I project activities;
- Support to the technical-scientific activities of the work team;
- Support in the submission of applications and/or in the development of new R&I projects/programs;

### 3. Selection method

The applications received will be ranked on the basis of an evaluation of the scientific and curricular path. Applicants with a suitable curriculum profile for the duties/activities to be carried out may be called for selection tests, including a curricular and motivational assessment interview.

### 4. Application submission

The application must indicate the reference BIOREF-20 and include the following documents:

- a. motivation letter;
- b. detailed curriculum vitae with a copy of the qualification certificates and a copy of other relevant supporting documents;
- c. recommendation letter (optional);

The application should be sent to the following e-mail address: [geral@bioref-colab.pt](mailto:geral@bioref-colab.pt)

### 5. Deadline for submission of applications

The competition will take place for 10 working days after the publication of this notice.

### 6. Selection jury

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### 7. Notification of results

The final result of the evaluation will be sent to all applicants via e-mail. The BIOREF Association is free to fill the position or not, and may suspend or terminate the process at any time, simply by informing all candidates.

### 8. Remuneration

The gross monthly remuneration associated to the work to be performed will correspond to an amount between 1,510.43 € (TRU 21) and 2,025.35 € (TRU 31), being the amount adjusted to the concrete profile of the candidate to be admitted. (TRU - Single Remuneration Table, approved by Order in Council no. 1553-C/2008, pursuant to the provisions of no. 1 of article 15 of Decree-Law no. 57/2016, of 29 August, and article 2 of Regulatory Decree no. 11A/2017).

### **9. Place of Work**

The work will be carried out at associate's facilities in Portugal Centre Region, where ongoing activities of BIOREF take place or at BIOREF's Centre hub (Aveiro, Portugal).

### **10. Legislation applicable at the conclusion of the contract**

Employment contract for an uncertain term under the terms of Labor Code Law No. 7/2009 of February 12 (and subsequent amendments).

### **11. Data protection**

In accordance with the RGPD - General Data Protection Regulation, the data collected will be processed exclusively for the purpose of processing the application.

### **12. Other information**

See website: [www.bioref-colab.pt](http://www.bioref-colab.pt)