



## Statistical and Narrative Report

**Program:** Portuguese Master's and PhD Students

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**FY:** 2016

**Officer in charge:** Paula Lemos

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### Contents

#### 1. Brief description of the Program

**Grant:** Fulbright Grant for Masters and PhD – all fields of study.

#### 2. Brief analysis of how the promotion, competition and selection process took place (planning, outreach, media, calendars, pool of evaluators, etc).

Competitions opened on February 1<sup>st</sup> and ended on March 31<sup>st</sup>.

On February 12 we offered a webinar for applicants to this grant and to the Fulbright/Fundação Carmona e Costa Grant. The webinar consisted of a full explanation of the grants conditions and of the application form.

From the 50 applications received, one was incomplete and two were ineligible. The TOELF or IELTS scores of 6 applicants were lower than the minimum required. The remaining 41 applications were grouped in 22 panels:

- Animal Science
- Anthropology
- Architecture
- Biomedical Engineering
- Biological Sciences
- Communications
- Computer Science
- Design
- Economics
- Education
- Engineering
- Environmental Sciences
- History

- International Relations and Political Science
- Law
- Literature
- Medical Sciences
- Museum Studies
- Physiology
- Public Health
- Public Policy
- Psychology

These applications were reviewed by former Fulbright grantees in the correspondent fields of study.

Evaluators who did the first review of the applications were:

**Adriana Nogueira**, Universidade do Algarve  
**Afonso Cavaco**, Universidade de Lisboa  
**Alexandre Abrantes**, Universidade Nova de Lisboa  
**Alfredo Pereira**, Universidade do Minho  
**Alfredo Soeiro**, Universidade do Porto  
**Ana Cristina Fonseca**, chemical engineer  
**Ana Isabel Xavier**, Universidade Nova de Lisboa  
**Carla Pimentel**, Universidade de Lisboa  
**Cecília Parrula**, Pfizer, Inc.  
**Dulce Scott**, Anderson University  
**Eleanor Miller**, University of Vermont  
**Elsa Lechner**, Universidade de Coimbra  
**Elsa Rocha**, Universidade do Porto  
**Filipe Calvão**, Graduate Institute of Geneva, Switzerland  
**Filipe Rocha da Silva**, Universidade de Évora  
**Joana Cunha Leal**, Universidade Nova de Lisboa  
**João Gata**, Universidade de Lisboa  
**João Ramalho Santos**, Universidade de Coimbra  
**José Pires**, Institut National de la Recherche Agronomique, France  
**Julieta Almeida Rodrigues**, writer  
**Luís Lobo Fernandes**, Universidade do Minho  
**Manuel Mota**, Universidade de Évora  
**Manuel Mota**, Universidade do Minho  
**Manuela Ribeiro Sanches**, Universidade de Lisboa  
**Maria Helena Guimarães**, Universidade do Minho  
**Maria Luís Rovisco**, York St. John University, UK  
**Mário Ferreira**, Universidade de Lisboa  
**Mário Marques Mendes**, attorney of law  
**Michael Maynard**, Colorado State University  
**Miguel Moura e Silva**, Universidade de Lisboa  
**Miguel Tamen**, Universidade de Lisboa

**Paula Videira**, Universidade Nova de Lisboa  
**Patrícia Carvalho**, Universidade de Lisboa  
**Paulo Vasconcelos**, Universidade do Porto  
**Rita Tomás**, medical doctor  
**Sílvia Correia**, Universidade Federal do Rio de Janeiro  
**Susana Mingote**, Columbia University  
**Teresa Patrício**, ISCTE-IUL  
**Tiago Castela**, Universidade de Coimbra  
**Victor Regnier**, University of Southern California  
**Vítor Sousa**, Universidade de Lisboa

10 candidates were not selected for interview. 4 other candidates withdrew their applications.

Evaluators who did the interviews were:

**Carla Pimentel**, Universidade de Lisboa  
**Elsa Lechner**, Universidade de Coimbra  
**João Gata**, Universidade de Lisboa  
**Luís Lobo Fernandes**, Universidade do Minho  
**Manuel Mota**, Universidade de Évora  
**Maria Helena Guimarães**, Universidade do Minho  
**Mário Marques Mendes**, attorney of law  
**Paulo Vasconcelos**, Universidade do Porto  
**Tiago Castela**, Universidade de Coimbra  
**Curtis Stewart**, Board Member  
**John Huffstot**, Board Member  
**Meg Young**, Board Member  
**Dwayne Cline**, American Embassy  
**Greg Macris**, American Embassy  
**Elliot Repko**, American Embassy  
**William Nguyen**, American Embassy

From the interviews phase, 6 candidates were not recommended for selection, and the other 21 were evaluated by the Board of Directors who made the selection of 12 candidates, 8 for PhD (one of them as alternate) and 4 for Master's (one of them alternate).

### 3. Statistics

<b>Applicants</b>	50
<b>Grantees</b>	12
<b>Success Rate</b>	24%

- By home institution (*Licenciatura* degree)

Applicants		
Home Institution	Number	%
U Lisboa	10	20%
U Porto	7	14%
UNL	6	12%
U Católica Portuguesa	4	8%
UTL	4	8%
U Coimbra	3	6%
ESAD	2	4%
ISCTE	2	4%
U Algarve	2	4%
U Lusófona	2	4%
U Nottingham, UK	2	4%
Instituto Politécnico de Beja	1	2%
Instituto Politécnico de Lisboa	1	2%
ISLA	1	2%
U Évora	1	2%
University College, UK	1	2%
U St Andrews, UK	1	2%
No Licenciatura degree	1	2%
<b>Total</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>100%</b>

1 of the candidates had 2 Licenciatura degrees

Grantees		
Home Institution	Number	%
U Lisboa	4	33%
U Porto		
UNL		
U Católica Portuguesa	1	8%
UTL	3	25%
U Coimbra	2	17%
ESAD	1	8%
ISCTE	1	8%
U Algarve		
U Lusófona		
U Nottingham, UK		
Instituto Politécnico de Beja		
Instituto Politécnico de Lisboa		
ISLA		
U Évora		
University College, UK		
U St Andrews, UK		
No Licenciatura degree		
<b>Total</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>100%</b>

Success Rates	
Home Institution	%
U Lisboa	40%
U Porto	
UNL	
U Católica Portuguesa	25%
UTL	75%
U Coimbra	67%
ESAD	50%
ISCTE	50%
U Algarve	
U Lusófona	
U Nottingham, UK	
Instituto Politécnico de Beja	
Instituto Politécnico de Lisboa	
ISLA	
U Évora	
University College, UK	
U St Andrews, UK	
No Licenciatura degree	
<b>Total</b>	<b>24%</b>

- By home institution (Master's degree)

Applicants		
Home Institution	Number	%
Do not hold a Master's degree	22	44%
U Lisboa	10	20%
U Porto	5	10%
UNL	4	8%
U Coimbra	2	4%
U Católica Portuguesa	1	2%
UTL	1	2%
King's College London, UK	1	2%
New York University	1	2%
U Leeds, UK	1	2%
U West of England	1	2%
Universität für angewandte Kunst Wien, Austria	1	2%
<b>Total</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>100%</b>

Grantees		
Home Institution	Number	%
Do not hold a Master's degree	5	42%
U Lisboa	4	33%
U Porto		
UNL	1	8%
U Coimbra	1	8%
U Católica Portuguesa		
UTL		
King's College London, UK	1	8%
New York University		
U Leeds, UK		
U West of England		
Universität für angewandte Kunst Wien, Austria		
<b>Total</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>100%</b>

Success Rates	
Home Institution	%
Do not hold a Master's degree	23%
U Lisboa	40%
U Porto	
UNL	24%
U Coimbra	50%
U Católica Portuguesa	
UTL	
King's College London, UK	24%
New York University	
U Leeds, UK	
U West of England	
Universität für angewandte Kunst Wien, Austria	
<b>Total</b>	<b>24%</b>

- major academic discipline

**Applicants**

Major Academic Discipline	Number	%
Biological Sciences	5	10%
Medical Sciences	4	8%
Architecture	3	6%
Economics	3	6%
Psychology	3	6%
Animal Science	2	4%
Anthropology	2	4%
Communications	2	4%
Computer Science	2	4%
Law	2	4%
Museum Studies	2	4%
Physiology	2	4%
Political Science	2	4%
Biomedical Engineering	1	2%
Design	1	2%
Education	1	2%
Engineering	1	2%
Environmental Sciences	1	2%
Film Studies	1	2%
Fine Arts	1	2%
History	1	2%
Information Sciences	1	2%
International Relations	1	2%
Literature	1	2%
Marketing	1	2%
Neuroscience	1	2%
Public Health	1	2%
Public Policy	1	2%
Veterinary Medicine	1	2%
<b>Total</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>100%</b>

**Grantees**

Major Academic Discipline	Number	%
Biological Sciences		
Medical Sciences	1	8%
Architecture	1	8%
Economics	1	8%
Psychology		
Animal Science		
Anthropology	1	8%
Communications	1	8%
Computer Science		
Law		
Museum Studies	1	8%
Physiology		
Political Science	1	8%
Biomedical Engineering		
Design	1	8%
Education	1	8%
Engineering		
Environmental Sciences	1	8%
Film Studies		
Fine Arts		
History		
Information Sciences		
International Relations	1	8%
Literature		
Marketing		
Neuroscience		
Public Health	1	8%
Public Policy		
Veterinary Medicine		
<b>Total</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>100%</b>

**Success Rates**

Major Academic Discipline	%
Biological Sciences	
Medical Sciences	25%
Architecture	33%
Economics	33%
Psychology	
Animal Science	
Anthropology	50%
Communications	50%
Computer Science	
Law	
Museum Studies	50%
Physiology	
Political Science	50%
Biomedical Engineering	
Design	100%
Education	100%
Engineering	
Environmental Sciences	100%
Film Studies	
Fine Arts	
History	
Information Sciences	
International Relations	100%
Literature	
Marketing	
Neuroscience	
Public Health	100%
Public Policy	
Veterinary Medicine	
<b>Total</b>	<b>24%</b>

- geographical area of residence

**Applicants**

Geographic area of residence	Number	%
Lisbon	28	56%
Porto	10	20%
Setúbal	4	8%
Évora	2	4%
Faro	2	4%
Aveiro	1	2%
Portalegre	1	2%
Santarém	1	2%
Belgium	1	2%
<b>Total</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>100%</b>

**Grantees**

Geographic area of residence	Number	%
Lisbon	10	83%
Porto	1	8%
Setúbal	1	8%
Évora		
Faro		
Aveiro		
Portalegre		
Santarém		
Belgium		
<b>Total</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>100%</b>

**Success Rates**

Geographic area of residence	%
Lisbon	36%
Porto	10%
Setúbal	25%
Évora	
Faro	
Aveiro	
Portalegre	
Santarém	
Belgium	
<b>Total</b>	<b>24%</b>

- gender

**Applicants**

Gender	Number	%
Female	26	52%
Male	24	48%
<b>Total</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>100%</b>

**Grantees**

Gender	Number	%
Female	5	42%
Male	7	58%
<b>Total</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>100%</b>

**Success Rates**

Gender	%
Female	19%
Male	29%
<b>Total</b>	<b>24%</b>

- objective

**Applicants**

Degree Objective	Number	%
Master's	20	40%
Ph.D.	30	60%
<b>Total</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>100%</b>

**Grantees**

Degree Objective	Number	%
Master's	4	33%
Ph.D.	8	67%
<b>Total</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>100%</b>

**Success Rates**

Degree Objective	%
Master's	20%
Ph.D.	27%
<b>Total</b>	<b>24%</b>

- age

**Applicants**

Age	Number	%
20-24	10	20%
25-29	31	62%
30-34	4	8%
35-39	4	8%
40-44	1	2%
<b>Total</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>100%</b>

**Grantees**

Age	Number	%
20-24	2	17%
25-29	7	58%
30-34	1	8%
35-39	2	17%
40-44		
<b>Total</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>100%</b>

**Success Rates**

Age	%
20-24	20%
25-29	23%
30-34	25%
35-39	50%
40-44	
<b>Total</b>	<b>24%</b>