

Public Notice 245/2017

Associate Professor

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Competition for Associate Professor in the scientific area of the 2nd group – Private Law, for NOVA Law School of the NOVA University Lisbon.

Deadline: 11/07/2017

António Manuel Bensabat Rendas, Rector of NOVA University Lisbon, declares open this international competition for a period of 30 business days from the day this notice is published in "Diário da República", for the position of 1 (one) Associate Professor in the scientific area of the 2nd Group – Private Law, for NOVA Law School (Public Notice No 345/2017, published in "Diário da República", Series II, of 26/05/2017). This is an international application procedure and follows the guidelines stated in article 37 et seq. of the University Teacher Career Statutes (ECDU) approved by Decree-Law 448/79 of 13th November with the new amendment introduced by Decree-Law 205/2009, 31st of August, amended by Law 8/2010 of the 13th May and the UNL University Teacher Career Application Regulations, number 3012/2015, published in "Diário da República" number 58, series II, 24th of March.

Subject: Contest for Associate Professor in the area of the 2nd Group – Private Law, for NOVA Law School of the NOVA University Lisbon.

I. Admission Requirements: Regarding the above-mentioned statutes, this application procedure has the following requirements, in accordance with article 41 of ECDU:

- a) Hold a doctorate degree (Ph.D) for more than five years.

Candidates should hold a doctoral degree in the competition's scientific area.

II. Submission of Applications: Candidates must submit their application, either in digital format or hard copy. The application can be handed in at the Rectory of NOVA University Lisbon, Academic Services, located at Campus de Campolide, 1099-085 Lisboa, or be sent by post, with a written application form, available at the Rectory's Academic Division or on-line at: <http://www.unl.pt/en/nova/faculty>.

1. The application process must include the following documentation:

- a) Documents proving the fulfillment of the Admission Requirements demanded in section I.;
- b) 9 copies of the Candidate's Curriculum Vitae, in digital format (Pen Drives USB) or hard copies;
- c) 9 copies, in digital format (Pen Drives USB) or hard copies, of each work published and mentioned in the Curriculum Vitae, preferably in digital format, including the most representative with regard to his/her contribution to the development and evolution of the scientific area for which the present call is open;
- d) Scientific and educational development project (research and pedagogical statement) that the applicant proposes to adopt in the future.

2. The documents proving that the candidate meets the general mandatory requirements for recruitment in public functions can be replaced by a statement in the application form, referred in section II (submission of applications), available at the Academic Division of the Rectory and online at <http://www.unl.pt/en/nova/faculty>.

3. The candidates should present within the period mentioned in the preamble of this public notice, the form and the required documentation.
4. The lack of any documentary evidence will determine the rejection of the application.
5. Candidates must organize their curriculum vitae according to the systematics of section II of this notice.

III. Evaluation criteria: The criteria and weightings for the evaluation of admitted candidates approved by the committee are:

1. Scientific Performance - 45%:

- 1.1. Publication of scientific articles and books;
- 1.2. Coordination and participation in research projects;
- 1.3. Management and coordination of research units;
- 1.4. Presentations at scientific conferences and colloquiums;
- 1.5. Member of scientific magazines and scientific awards boards;
- 1.6. Take part in scientific commissions, organizations or networks;
- 1.7. Awards and distinctions.

2. Pedagogical Capacity - 45%

- 2.1. Coordination and teaching of curricular units, taking into account the diversity (subjects and cycles of studies), the pedagogical practice and the number of students;
- 2.2. The publication of lessons and other pedagogical material;
- 2.3. Supervision of doctoral thesis;
- 2.4. Active participation on academic examinations committees and competitions for teaching and research careers;
- 2.5. Awards and distinctions.

3. Other relevant activities - 10%

- 3.1 Community service provision, patenting and spin-off creation, scientific outreach and training activities.
- 3.2 Positions held in University bodies and Organic Units, coordination of departments, sections and courses or other positions and temporary tasks.

IV Committee:

President: José João Gordo Nunes Abrantes, Pro-Rector of NOVA University Lisbon, by delegation of the UNL's Rector.

Members:

António Joaquim de Matos Pinto Monteiro, Full Professor, Faculdade de Direito da Universidade de Coimbra;

Rui Manuel Gens Moura Ramos, Full Professor, Faculdade de Direito da Universidade de Coimbra;

Pedro Nuno Tavares Romano e Soares Martinez, Full Professor, Faculdade de Direito da Universidade de Lisboa;

Ana Paula Mota da Costa e Silva, Full Professor, Faculdade de Direito da Universidade de Lisboa;

Maria do Rosário Valente Rebelo Pinto Palma Ramalho, Full Professor, Faculdade de Direito da Universidade de Lisboa;

José João Gordo Nunes Abrantes, Full Professor, Faculdade de Direito da Universidade Nova de Lisboa.

V - Selection Process

1. Finishing the applications' deadline, the committee meets for assessing and ranking the candidates.
2. After the answers of the excluded candidates and respective decision, or the admission of all candidates, the Committee will evaluate and order the candidates according to the criteria mentioned in III. The Committee will admit the candidates with final grade, in absolute merit equal or greater than 50, or will exclude them, when they have a final grade below 50.
3. Each committee member will issue a written document with the final ordering of the admitted applicants.
4. In case of exclusion, the candidate will be notified of the preliminary hearing, according to article 121.º et seq. of the Administrative Procedure Code.
5. The ranking order of the selected applicants is made by vote of the committee members, respecting the order presented in the preceding paragraph III and in accordance with article 16, number 11, subparagraphs a) to f) of the University Teacher Career Application Regulations.

VI – Regarding subparagraph h) of the article 9 of the Portuguese Constitution, the Portuguese Public Administration, as an employer, actively promotes a policy of equal opportunities among men and women in the access to employment and career development, and takes scrupulous measures to avoid every form of discrimination.

Rectory of New University of Lisbon, May 11, 2017, Prof. António Manuel Bensabat Rendas, Rector.