

i3S Fundraising Cancer Short-term fellowship by Quinta do Estanho

1. Scope

The i3S Fundraising team awards a **Short-term** Fellowship, sponsored by Quinta do Estanho, for i3S researchers working in the field of **Cancer**. This grant aims to cover travel and/or accommodation expenses in short-stay (of up to 3 months) visits to institutions abroad, particularly to promote scientific collaboration, advanced training and to apply new techniques or methodologies that are unavailable in the applicant's laboratory.

2. Eligibility

Applicants must be i3S members, PhD students or PhDs.

3. Coverage

Visits to international institutions and research groups, namely with expertise in a particular methodology or technology of interest for both the candidate and the i3S community. The maximum covered value is **1700** €.

4. Deadlines

Applications will be open from **15th September to 15th October 2019**. The Fellowship will be awarded to support **exchanges that will take place during the year of 2020**. If the person fails to secure the visit until the end of this period, he/she must notify the organization and the grant will be attributed to the candidate ranking 2nd place.

5. Evaluation of the applications

The applications will be evaluated individually by the jury considering the following parameters:

- Work to be developed;

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- Candidate's CV (max. 2 pages)

- Motivation statement describing the importance of the visit and the impact that it will bring to the candidate's career and to i3S community.

- Referral letter (max. 1 page)

Global evaluation will take into account the career stage of the candidate (PhD student vs PhDs).

6. Communication of the results

Results will be communicated by email until the 30th November. The jury may decide not to award the i3S Fundraising Cancer Short-term Fellowship.

7. Submission of application

Application must be submitted through the i3S platform: (available on September 15th)

8. Judging panel

The winner will be selected by a judging panel consisting of 4 elements (internal to i3S).

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