

## JOINT RECTORAL RESOLUTION OF 18 OF JULY 2012

**CALL FOR THE RECRUITMENT OF YOUNG DOCTORS WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK OF THE INTERNATIONAL EXCELLENCE CAMPUS, MONCLOA CAMPUS, AS PART OF THE PROGRAMME FOR INTERNATIONAL TALENT RECRUITMENT (PICATA), FUNDED BY THE COMPLUTENSE UNIVERSITY OF MADRID AND THE TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY DE MADRID.**

### **PREAMBLE**

In accordance with the Strategic Plan of the Complutense University of Madrid, the Technical University of Madrid, and the various additional participants, Research is one of the four strategic pillars at the Moncloa Campus.

This pillar is contained within the specific sub-programme of Grants for the Recruitment of Young Doctors, as part of the Programme for International Talent Recruitment (PICATA) funded by the CEI2009 and successive offers by the Ministry of Education. Its Regulations have been ratified by way of the Rectoral Resolution dated on on the 18 of July 2012.

Within this operational framework,

### **WE HEREBY RESOLVE AS FOLLOWS:**

To order the publication of the third call for Young Doctors, who are to perform their activities at the six Moncloa Campus Clusters: **Global Change and New Energies; Materials for the Future; Agri-Food and Health; Innovative Medicine; Heritage, and Sustainable Mobility.**

### **1. ORGANIZATION AND NUMBER OF GRANTS**

A maximum of 10 positions are to be offered, managed by the Complutense University of Madrid and the Technical University of Madrid. It is envisaged that the 10 positions will be distributed as follows: 3 for the Food, Agriculture and Health Cluster, 2 for the Heritage Cluster, 1 for the Sustainable Mobility and 4 seats to be distributed among the best applications regardless is the receptor cluster, among the six Moncloa Campus. Any left over positions may be re-allocated to another Cluster.

## **2. REQUIREMENTS CANDIDATE RESEARCHERS MUST MEET AND SPECIFIC CONDITIONS OF THE OFFER**

Those researchers who, as at the date the offer closes, meet one of the requirements set forth at Article 1 of the Regulations for the Recruitment of Young Doctors as part of the Programme for International Talent Recruitment (PICATA) of the Moncloa Campus (Rectoral Resolution of 18 of July 2012), may consider themselves to be candidates:

- Researchers who meet the Marie Curie Programme mobility conditions under the current European Commission Framework Programmes.
- Researchers of non-Spanish nationality who have obtained their doctorate outside of Spain.
- Researchers of any nationality who have carried out their research in a country other than that of their nationality for at least 2 years. In the case of Heritage Cluster will be considered at least 1 year.

Young Doctors research projects shall be supervised by researchers from one UCM research group and one UPM research group, and both supervisors shall belong to the research groups that have expressed an interest in participating in the Moncloa Campus thematic clusters. The project may furthermore have supervisors from the associate institutions at the Campus.

The selection process shall be carried out in accordance with the provisions of Article 4 of the Regulations. No research supervisors may back more than one application.

The annual gross remuneration for each contract shall be €33,250. Furthermore, the employees shall have the same welfare benefits as those enjoyed by the teaching and research staff at UCM or UPM.

Likewise, beneficiaries may execute contracts and receive remuneration deriving from those research tasks that are directly related to the aim of their research and contracts executed in accordance with Article 83 of Organic Law 6/2001 of 21 December (Official State Gazette of 24 December), on Universities, and Law 13/1986 of 14 April (Official State Gazette of 18 April), on the General Promotion and Co-ordination of Scientific and Technical Research.

## **3. FILING APPLICATIONS**

- 3.1. Applications should be filled out and submitted (either in English or Spanish) exclusively through the electronic form set up for this purpose, which may be found here: <http://www.campusmoncloa.es/es/offers/picata.php>.
- 3.2. The following documents must be attached electronically to the said form:
  - a) Candidate's curriculum vitae.

- b)** A photocopy of your Spanish National Identity Document (DNI), Foreign-National Identification Number (NIE), or Passport.
- c)** Photocopy of the PhD qualification or academic certificate, expressly stating the date on which the doctorate was obtained.
- d)** Photocopy of the merits that prove compliance with the mobility requirements.
- e)** Common record of the project supervisors' research groups for the previous five years.
- f)** Project supervisors' curriculum vitae. The Inter-ministerial Science and Technology Commission standardized model shall be used.
- g)** Written paper on the research project you hope to perform at the corresponding cluster (maximum 8,000 characters).
- h)** Report on the viability of the proposal drawn up by the Moncloa Campus clusters research groups which the young doctors would join.
- i)** Report on the acceptance of the candidate by the Directors of the Research Department, Centre, or Institute.

Once you have completed your application, you must validate it and submit it electronically, following which an application form shall be generated.

3.3. The application form generated on the basis of the electronic application must be filed in person or by post at one of the following two addresses:

Registro General de la University Complutense (UCM)  
Rectorado  
Avda. de Séneca, 2, planta baja  
28040 Madrid

Registro General de la Politécnica University of Madrid (UPM)  
Rectorado A  
C/ Ramiro de Maeztu nº 7  
28040 Madrid

#### **4. CALENDAR FOR THE PROCESS**

The expected calendar is as follows:

- a)** Filing of applications: 3<sup>th</sup> September to 5<sup>th</sup> October 2012
- b)** Selection process: as from 6<sup>th</sup> October 2012
- c)** Rectoral Award Resolution expected: November 2012
- d)** Candidates' admission date: January, 1<sup>st</sup>, 2013

The admission date stated in the offer may not be postponed except in cases where proper justification is provided, and only where the reasons relied on correspond to the research activity being performed by the candidate at his/her institution of origin, following prior

authorization by the Executive Committee of the Campus, and with a loss of grant equivalent to the number of months' delay authorized.

## **5. APPEALS**

An appeal may be filed against the procedural acts of this offer in accordance with the provisions of Article 11 of the Regulations governing this Programme.

Madrid, on the 18 day of July 2012

THE RECTORS

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