

MIT Portugal Program

2008-2009 Academic Year

The MIT Portugal Program announces its **call for applications for the 2008-09** academic year.

Applications are open for **Bio-Engineering Systems**.

The specific emerging technologies targeted to complement and enhance the existing Portuguese biosciences and technology excellence include education and research in: tissue engineering, biomaterials, computational and synthetic biosystems, drug development, neuroscience, biomedical devices and technologies, health and environmental systems, and innovation and leadership for future bioengineers.

Many top MIT faculty/researchers are involved including faculty from MIT's School of Engineering, the Sloan School of Management, the School of Science, and the School of Humanities Arts and Social Sciences as well as excellent Portuguese faculty from Instituto Superior Tecnico da Universidade Tecnica de Lisboa (IST), Faculdade de Ciencias e Tecnologia da Universidade Nova de Lisboa (FCT-UNL), Escola de Engenharia da Universidade do Minho (UMINHO), Faculdade de Ciencias e Tecnologia da Universidade de Coimbra (FCT-UC) and CNC.

All submissions of candidacy will be through the MIT Portugal Program website [application form](#).

Additionally, a degree certificate and official transcripts should be submitted by email to the following email address: apply@mitportugal.org. This e-mail address is being protected from spam bots, you need JavaScript enabled to view it

Closing date of applications: 15 April 2008

Candidacy Requirements:

- Fluency in English: All MIT Portugal programs are conducted in English
- Master's degree or equivalent (for PhD)
- Submission of results from the GRE General Exam will constitute a factor of preference in the evaluation process
- Evaluation of candidates may involve an interview in English, which may take place in person or via videoconference
- Statement of interest in English (See details below)
- Two letters of reference in English
- Proof of prior academic achievement
- Standard biographical details

Academic Programs

Bioengineering Systems:

- PhD program in Bioengineering
- Advanced Studies Diploma in Bioengineering (Bologna 3rd Cycle) (DEA)

Awarded in association by UTL (IST), UNL (FCT-UNL), UC (FCT-UC), and UM
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Further information regarding the program as well as the researchers involved might be obtained through the website: <http://www.deb.uminho.pt/bioengineering/>