INFORMATION FOR APPLICATIONS

Cycle of Studies		Second Cycle	Ciclo de Estudo	
Innovation and Technological Entrepreneurship			Inovação e Empreendedorismo Tecnológico	
Organic Unit	**Organic Units/Partner Universities**		**Place of CS edition for 2023/2024**	
FEUP	FEP		FEUP	
Functioning			**Teaching Language**	
Daytime			Fully in English	
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Places

Places	TOTAL	1st Phase	2nd Phase	3rd Phase
1. Number of places	27	22	4	1
Does it include leftover places from the previous phase?			Yes	Yes

Minimum number of students for the functioning of the cycle of studies	20

Applications Calendar

	1st Phase		2nd Phase		3rd Phase	
	Beginning	End	Beginning	End	Beginning	End
Submission of applications	16-01-2023	23-02-2023	24-02-2023	27-04-2023	28-04-2023	08-08-2023
	Beginning	End	Beginning	End	Beginning	End
Application review	24-02-2023	09-03-2023	28-04-2023	16-05-2023	09-08-2023	04-09-2023
Posting of provisional results	10-03-2023		17-05-2023			
	Beginning	End	Beginning	End	Beginning	End
Prior hearing	13-03-2023	24-03-2023	18-05-2023	31-05-2023		
Posting of final results	30-03-2023		07-06-2023		04-09-2023	
	Beginning	End	Beginning	End	Beginning	End
Submission of complaints	31-03-2023	21-04-2023	09-06-2023	29-06-2023	05-09-2023	25-09-2023
Publication of decision about complaints	28-04-2023		06-07-2023		03-10-2023	
	Beginning	End	Beginning	End	Beginning	End
Online enrolment	04-04-2023	12-04-2023	13-06-2023	21-07-2023	06-09-2023	18-09-2023
	Beginning	End	Beginning	End	Beginning	End
Admission of non-placed applicants	18-04-2023	02-05-2023	25-07-2023	02-08-2023	20-09-2023	02-10-2023
Publication of leftover places	10-05-2023		04-08-2023			

Notification of applicants

Method of notifying applicants
Applicants will be notified via e-mail to the address provided in application form.

Credit transfer regarding training and work experience

Deadlines for credit transfer regarding training and work experience			
	1st Phase	**2nd Phase**	**3rd Phase**
Request of credit transfer regarding prior training/work experience	On application and on enrolment	On application and on enrolment	On application and on enrolment
Publication of credit transfer results	Up to 15 working days after the end of the enrolment period or the end of the credit transfer process	Up to 15 working days after the end of the enrolment period or the end of the credit transfer process	Up to 15 working days after the end of the enrolment period or the end of the credit transfer process
Change of the registration in result of the credit transfer process	Up to 10 working days after the publication of the credit transfer results	Up to 10 working days after the publication of the credit transfer results	Up to 10 working days after the publication of the credit transfer results

Calendar for the academic year

	1st Semester	**2nd Semester**
Beginning of the academic year at U. Porto	**11-09-2023**	**05-02-2024**
Beginning of the lecturing activity in the Cycle of Studies	**11-09-2023**	**05-02-2024**
End of the lecturing activity in the Cycle of Studies	**15-12-2023**	**24-05-2024**
Deadline for completion of evaluation	**02-02-2024**	**05-07-2024**
Dealine for the completion of evaluation in the Cycle of Studies	**02-02-2024**	**03-07-2024**

Specific conditions to access the Cycle of Studies

The following may apply for this Cycle of Studies:
a) Holders of a Bachelor's Degree or legal equivalent.
b) Holders of a foreign academic degree granted as result of the completion of a first cycle of studies structured in accordance with the principles of the Bologna Process by a country adhering to this Process;
c) Holders of a foreign academic degree that is recognized as meeting the objectives of a first cycle degree by the competent scientific body of the higher education institution where they wish to be admitted to.
d) Holders of an academic, scientific or professional curriculum recognized as attesting to their ability to carry out this Cycle of Studies by the competent scientific body of the higher education institution where they wish to be admitted to.

Knowledge of English, spoken and written.

Criteria and subcriteria for selection and ranking of applicants

Test 1) Document Analysis:	20%
European CV (including level of English Proficiency) (20%) (see notes 2 and 3)	
Motivation letter* and Custom CV (50%) (written in English) (see notes 2 and 3)	
Letter of recommendation (1 or more) (30%)	
Test 2) Group test evaluated by two or more MIETE teachers or members of the MIETE Scientific Committee: Personal presentation of 5 minutes each, in groups of eight candidates (maximum), plus 1 to 2 minutes of questions from colleagues. (To assess, for example: English fluency, attitude, clarity of ideas and of discourse, empathy, reaction under pressure of questions, ability to correctly articulate questions.)	30%
Test 3) Individual interviews* evaluated by two or more MIETE teachers or members of the MIETE Scientific Committee. (To assess, for example: motivation, professional and personal availability, alignment of expectations.)	50%
Successful applicants cannot have a rating below 50% in any of the tests.	
Notes: 1. The test 2 and test 3 may be carried out by videoconference (SKYPE, Zoom or other) or telephone (call made by the applicant). 2. Keeping in mind what Steve Blank says "(...) There's nothing about a business that isn't rocket science to understand well enough within a certain period of time. I'm not asking you to become a heart surgeon, but it's not that hard to understand the tools a heart surgeon might need. (...) ". The admission procedure will give preference to a candidate that is the inventor, or the aspiring entrepreneur whose academic background, professional or personal experience fosters some fluency in the interaction with the inventor. Mastery of this process will be developed during the Mastes. Further info: http://www.fe.up.pt/miete. 3. As a ranking criteria, preference will be given to applicants with an academic CV that reveals training in technological areas corresponding to a minimum of 6 ECTS credits. The following are considered technological areas: 01 Health sciences; 03 Natural sciences; 04 Physical sciences; 06 Technological sciences.	
Obs.: In the 1st and 2nd phases, only applicants with a ranking grade equal to, or higher than, 140 (on a scale from 0 to 200) will be admitted.	
* The interview will be scheduled by e-mail sent to the e-mail address provided in the application.	

Tie-breaking criterion

Tie-breaking criterion is based on the result of Test 3.