



Universidade de Évora

Open call rules

Applications for Admission: Mestrado em Psicologia (Psychology)
Academic Year 2025/2026

1. The program is promoted by

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2. Course Committee

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3. Program description

The master's in psychology follows the first cycle of training and aims to: a) Deepen the knowledge in the scientific area of Psychology; b) The development of competencies of evaluation, analysis, and psychological intervention; c) The development of personal and interpersonal skills indispensable for the professional exercise. This second cycle lasts two academic years, including completing a curricular internship and a dissertation in the second year. Thus, following the EuroPsy (European Certificate in Psychology), which regulates and recognizes the training of psychologists in Europe, this 2nd cycle completes the training obtained in the first cycle and is a context of scientific, professional, and personal development that allows the construction of knowledge and skills required for work and research in the field of Psychology.

The master's in psychology at the University of Évora has three areas: Clinical Psychology, Educational Psychology, and Social, Work, and Organizational Psychology.

4. Specialization areas

- Clinical Psychology (**available**)
- Educational Psychology (**available**)
- Work, Organizational and Social Psychology (**available**)

5. Career opportunities

Where can psychologists work? After completion of the professional internship and certification by the Order of Portuguese Psychologists, psychologists may work in public or private Services, Institutions, and Organizations that enable psychological intervention promoting the development and well-being of individuals, groups, and organizations: Health (hospitals, health centers, emergency services, etc.); Education, Training, and Research (schools, special education institutions, vocational training services, teaching and research, etc.); Support and Social Solidarity (nursing homes, associations of social and community intervention, non-governmental organizations, environmental organizations, etc.); Justice and Social Reintegration (courts, prisons, shelters, etc.); Business organizations, public administration, local authority organizations; Private practice.

6. Number of registration at DGES

R/A-Ef 1778/2011/AL02

7. Number of accreditation process by A3ES

ACEF/1819/0109097

8. Program Creation Norm

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9. General conditions of access and admission

i Legal conditions for access to the cycle of studies leading to the master degree

Those who meet the following conditions may apply to the cycle of studies that leads to the master degree:

- Holders of the bachelor degree or legal equivalent;
- Holders of a foreign academic degree duly recognised as satisfying the objectives identical to the bachelor degree by the relevant scientific body of the higher education institution they wish to be admitted to;
- Holders of an academic, scientific or professional curriculum vitae that is recognized as attesting to the capacity to carry out this cycle of studies by the relevant scientific body of the higher education institution they wish to be admitted to.

ii Conditions of access to the cycle of studies at the Universidade de Évora

On the application date, the undergraduate students must satisfy conditions that guarantee the conclusion of their undergraduate degree until the 30th of October of the admission year. The admission and enrollment of these students is conditioned on the conclusion of the degree until this date, and the enrollment is canceled if the student does not complete the degree within that period

During the first application phase, students who have a maximum of 6 curricular units or 36 ECTS missing for conclusion of their degree can apply for the 2nd cycle; in the 2nd application phase students can apply if they have at most 3 curricular units missing and in the 3rd application phase if they have at most one curricular unit missing

The previous condition does not apply to students with a curriculum that reveals professional or scientific experience, which can be recognized by the competent scientific body, as attesting the students ability to carry out the masters degree/post-graduation, provided that the student required that recognition in the application process

iii **Specific admission conditions**

Bachelor's degree (1st cycle) or legal equivalent in the scientific area of Psychology

10. Selection Process

- Academic Qualifications: 70%
 - Level of qualifications: 15%
 - Average grade in the highest qualification: 85%
- Curriculum Analysis: 30%
 - Scientific and technical activities and publications: 25%
 - Professional Training in the area of the program or related fields: 20%
 - Training in transversal competences: 15%
 - Participation in conferences and similar activities: 15%
 - Importance of positions held: 15%
 - Volunteering: 10%

11. Maximum number of admissions

- Maximum number of admissions for candidates with nationality of European Union countries:
 - Clinical Psychology: 16
 - Educational Psychology: 16
 - Work, Organizational and Social Psychology: 16
- Maximum number of admissions for candidates without nationality of European Union countries:
 - Clinical Psychology: 2
 - Educational Psychology: 2
 - Work, Organizational and Social Psychology: 2

Depending on the number of applications, there may be transfer of vacancies from the international students applications to the European Union students applications or vice-versa.

12. Minimum number of students

Minimum number of students:

- Clinical Psychology: 8
- Educational Psychology: 8
- Work, Organizational and Social Psychology: 8

13. Tuition fee

- Candidates with nationality of European Union countries: 697,00 €
- Candidates without nationality of European Union countries: 2 500,00 €
 - Annual Tuition fee for international students with merit scholarship: 1 050,00 €
 - Annual Tuition fee for international students with cooperation and development scholarship: 1 250,00 €

In the admission year, all students with international student status who have an undergraduate average of 15 or above (on a 0-20 scale) benefit from the international student merit scholarship tuition fee and all students from PALOP countries benefit from the tuition fee for international students with cooperation and development scholarship.

In the following years, to keep the merit or cooperation and development scholarship, the student has to meet the conditions stipulated in article 22 of the Academic Regulations of the University of Évora and the results are published until October 31 of each academic year, without the need to apply for the scholarship.

14. Organization / Duration

- a. **Duration of the program:** 4 semesters
- b. **Number of ECTS to obtain the degree:** 120
- c. **Number of ECTS to obtain the master's course (conclusion of the curricular part):** 120

15. Language(s) of teaching

- Portuguese

Although the course is taught in Portuguese, students whose mother tongue is not Portuguese can have tutorial sessions in English and access to work materials in English.

16. Learning Type

Presencial

17. Schedule type

Labor

18. Classes schedule (week days and schedule)

From Monday to Friday during office hours.

19. Program starting date

September de 2025

February 26, 2025
The Rector

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