



Universidade de Évora

Open call rules

Applications for Admission: Pós-Graduação em Inspeção da Educação (Education Inspection)

Academic Year 2025/2026

1. The program is promoted by

Universidade de Évora - Escola de Ciências Sociais

2. Course Committee

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3. Program description

The Postgraduate Program in Education Inspection aims to provide advanced training for teachers and higher education technicians in coordination with the professional performance profile of education inspectors.

The course is oriented towards the following objectives: a) Qualify inspectors and other education professionals (pedagogical supervisors, teachers, principals, and other professionals involved in the quality control of educational institutions and educators) for the performance of inspection functions and other related activities related to the quality control of education; b) Contribute to an integrated vision of inspection functions in the areas of control, auditing, evaluation, monitoring, and oversight of the educational system's operation; c) Promote understanding of the institutional, procedural, and relational dimensions of inspection functions in different areas of intervention; d) Develop professionalizing attitudes, reconciling human, scientific, technical (pedagogical, disciplinary, administrative, and financial), and socio-cultural dimensions; e) Deepen understanding of the relationship between regulation and the dynamics of inspection action aimed at improving educational action.

The curriculum includes four mandatory modules from the Master's program in Education Sciences - Administration and Regulation of Educational Policies (MARPE) at the University of Évora and two optional modules that can be chosen from a predominantly MARPE curriculum, creating a training pathway with this master's program.

4. Career opportunities

The holder of this postgraduate diploma will have privileged conditions in competitions for a career in Education Inspection or other forms of recruitment for roles in Education Inspection.

5. Program Creation Norm

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6. General conditions of access and admission

i Conditions for access to the post-graduate program

Those who meet the following conditions may apply to the post-graduate program:

- Holders of the bachelor degree or legal equivalent;
- Holders of a foreign academic degree fully 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 post-graduate program at 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

Candidates eligible to enroll in the current study cycle include:

Applicants holding a bachelor's degree or equivalent qualification in the field of education;

Applicants with an academic, scientific, or professional background are recognized as demonstrating the capacity to undertake this study cycle.

7. Selection Process

- Academic Qualifications: 50%
 - Average grade in the highest qualification: 50%
 - Level of qualifications: 50%
- Curriculum Analysis: 50%
 - Teaching experience in primary and secondary education: 40%
 - Professional Experience in the area of the program or related fields: 30%
 - Professional Training in the area of the program or related fields: 30%

8. Maximum number of admissions

- Maximum number of admissions for candidates with nationality of European Union countries: 20
- Maximum number of admissions for candidates without nationality of European Union countries: 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.

9. Minimum number of students

Minimum number of students: 17

10. Tuition fee

- Candidates with nationality of European Union countries: 1 500,00 €
- Candidates without nationality of European Union countries: 2 000,00 €

11. Organization / Duration

- a. **Duration of the program:** 2 semesters
- b. **Number of ECTS to obtain the degree:** 60

12. Language(s) of teaching

- Portuguese

13. Learning Type

Presencial

14. Schedule type

Mixed

15. Classes schedule (week days and schedule)

Friday: 3:00pm-6:00pm and 6:00pm-9:00pm

Saturday: 9:00-12:00 and 14:00-17:00 (on some Saturdays it may only be open in the morning)

16. Program Dates

- 1st Phase
 - Program Start Date: September 19, 2025
 - Program End Date: July 31, 2026
- 2nd Phase
 - Program Start Date: September 19, 2025
 - Program End Date: July 31, 2026
- 3rd Phase
 - Program Start Date: September 19, 2025
 - Program End Date: July 31, 2026

17. Application Dates

- 1st Phase
 - Applications Start Date: February 27, 2025
 - Applications End Date: March 20, 2025
 - Announcement of Results (until): April 17, 2025
 - Enrollments Start Date: April 17, 2025
 - Enrollments End Date: April 22, 2025
- 2nd Phase
 - Applications Start Date: May 14, 2025
 - Applications End Date: June 18, 2025
 - Announcement of Results (until): July 22, 2025
 - Enrollments Start Date: July 22, 2025
 - Enrollments End Date: July 25, 2025
- 3rd Phase
 - Applications Start Date: August 19, 2025
 - Applications End Date: September 2, 2025
 - Announcement of Results (until): September 17, 2025
 - Enrollments Start Date: September 17, 2025
 - Enrollments End Date: September 19, 2025

February 26, 2025
The Rector

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