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| <b>Job Title</b>            | INESC TEC   Research Initiation Grant (AE2024-0329)   |
| <b>Department</b>           | CRIIS   |
| <b>Institution</b>          | INESC TEC<br>PORTO, , Portugal  |
| <b>Date Posted</b>          | Aug. 8, 2024  |
| <b>Application Deadline</b> | Aug. 14, 2024   |
| <b>Position Start Date</b>  | Aug. 1, 2024  |
| <b>Job Categories</b>       | Graduate Student<br>Graduate Student  |
| <b>Academic Field(s)</b>    | Engineering - Other<br>Engineering - Other  |
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| <b>Job Description</b>      |   |

Research Opportunity

**Autonomous Robotics**

**Work description**

1. Literature review / survey of the state of the art in the area of ??robot simulation;
2. Familiarization with the NVIDIA Ominiverse platform;

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3. Modeling of robots and scenes in OpenUSD;
4. Simulation of collaborative robots in NVIDIA Isaac Sim;
5. Integration with manipulation (NVIDIA Isaac Manipulator) and perception (NVIDIA Isaac Perceptor) workflows;
6. Testing of AI models related to robotic learning of new tasks, trajectory planning algorithms, and human-machine collaboration;
7. Analysis and optimization of robot performance in different simulated scenarios;

### **Academic Qualifications**

Degree in Electrical and Computer Engineering, Computer Engineering, or related fields.

### **Minimum profile required**

Enrolment in a Master's degree in Electrical and Computer Engineering, Computer Engineering, or related areas.

The work to be developed during this scholarship will have a large component of software implementation using object-oriented programming languages.

Familiarity with various sensors, as well as with the fundamental principles of robotics, is important.

The award of the scholarship assumes that the candidate is a student of a cycle of studies or a non-degree course, taught at a Higher Education Institution.

### **Preference factors**

Programming knowledge in C/C++ and Python Knowledge of ROS

**Maintenance stipend:** € 601,12, according to the table of monthly maintenance stipend for FCT grants, paid via bank transfer. Grant holders may be awarded potential supplements, according to a quarterly evaluation process (Articles 19, 21 and 22 of the Regulations for Grants of INESC TEC and

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Annex II), up to a maximum limit of 50% of the monthly maintenance stipend.

INESC TEC supports costs with registration, enrolment or tuition fees, during the grant duration, under the terms established in the internal document: "Payment of Tuition fees to grant holders".

The grant holder will benefit from health insurance, supported by INESC TEC.

### Application Period

Since 01 Aug 2024 to 14 Aug 2024

### Centre

Robotics in Industry and Intelligent Systems

### Scientific Advisor

[Marcelo Petry](#)

### What we offer

- **Multicultural and collaborative environment**
- A multicultural, international and collaborative environment that makes it easier to exchange ideas, work in networks and create synergies.
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- The possibility of working in international projects with some of the most important companies in the field.
- **Mentoring**
- Mentoring with the best researchers in the fields of electrical and industrial engineering, bioengineering, information technology and physics.

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- **Self Improvement**
- The possibility of participating in international conferences, workshops, seminars and vocational training.
- **Other Benefits and Perks**
- Flexible working time, health insurance, discounts in hotels, transportation, etc.
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