

PORTUGUESE SPACE AGENCY

Vacancy

The Portuguese Space Agency is an equal opportunity employer

POST	Science and Education Officer
LOCATION	The Portuguese Space Agency has Headquarters in Santa Maria, Azores, Portugal and offices in Lisbon, Portugal. This position will be based in Santa Maria and travel to Lisbon and other locations will be required.
DUTIES	<p>Reporting directly to the Board of Directors the Science and Education Officer, the SEEO will support all education projects in the agency related to, the European Rocketry Challenge, Astronauta por um Dia, CubeSat Portugal, and other educational novel projects to be implemented and will support the national activities of the SKAO. The Science and Education Officer will interact directly with all the staff of the Agency, as well as external partners: industry, academia and collaborating entities on a national and international level.</p> <p>The Science and Education Officer will support the Board and all other staff members in matters related to Education-related projects and SKAO activities. In particular, the postholder will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• support and advise the Agency in matters of different projects, namely technical, logistic and institutional;• providing regular written updates and report to the Board at management meetings and extraordinary if needed;• support in practical implementation of educational projects approved and embarked by the Agency;• foster innovative approaches;• contribute to an open constructive and lively working atmosphere.

QUALIFICATIONS

Applicants for this position should:

- have an engineering degree in computer science or other relevant to perform these duties;
- have a sound knowledge of the Portuguese education ecosystem, especially in matters related with space;
- have relevant knowledge of the space sector landscape in Europe and internationally, especially in matters related to education;
- have relevant knowledge on how the European Space Agency operates and its initiatives, especially in matters related to education;
- open, dynamic, creative, flexible, people oriented.

The working languages of the Agency are Portuguese and English. For this position, proficiency both in Portuguese and in English is required.

CLOSING DATE

The closing date for applications is 30 April 2025.

Applications for this post should preferably be made via email, through the address that can be found in from the Portuguese Space Agency website (www.ptspace/careers). Those unable to apply online should submit their motivation letter and CV to [Agência Espacial Portuguesa, Estrada das Laranjeiras, n.º 205, RC, 1649-018, Lisboa].

The Agency may require applicants to undergo selection tests.

In accordance with the Portuguese Space Agency's security procedures and as part of the selection process, successful candidates will be required to undergo basic screening before appointment.