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Dear commission,

I'm writing to express my honest interest in pursuing a master's in Managing Digital Transformation in the Health Sector, at ISCTE - University Institute of Lisbon, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki (AUTH, Greece) and Laurea University of Applied Sciences (LAUREA, Finland).

My name is Mafalda Mota, I have a degree in nursing at Escola Superior de Enfermagem São João de Deus, Évora University. Since my early academic career, the fascination with surgical field has accompanied me, having subsequently invested in a postgraduate course in surgical instrumentation at Escola Superior de Enfermagem São Francisco das Misericórdias, Autónoma University.

Throughout my professional career, I have witnessed evolution, adaption and all the benefits of technology being used in the medical field. Since both Medicine and Technology are constantly changing, this is the field where there will always be room for learning, improving and upgrading people's perception of both fields.

Professionally, technology is a major part of my job. Every day I face the constant challenges that technology bring us; everything we do as nurses has a high tech component. I am constantly asking myself what improvements could be implemented so that our job could be done more efficiently.

I am deeply convinced that the Master in Managing Digital Transformation in the Health Sector will be a unique opportunity, not only to align my practical knowledge with theoretical skills taught by the master, but also will make me a better professional in the healthcare sector, committed to the evolution and continuous improvement of excellent care in order to provide the greatest benefit to my patients. It will also help to enlarge opportunities in an area in constant evolution and transformation.

Thank you for considering my application. I appreciate your time and hope to make part of a digital future, that will be real and true for everyone and being my only desire and enthusiasm to deepen my knowledge in an institution where the rigor and quality of teaching are recognized worldwide by the academic community.

I look forward to hearing from you,

Mafalda Mota