

I. Academic Positions

- Assistant Professor (2014-2024) and Associate Professor (2024-...) at the Lisbon School of the Faculty of Law of the Catholic University of Portugal
- Researcher at the Catholic Research Center for the Future of Law (2014-...)

II. Academic Degrees

- PhD in Legal and Political Sciences (2014)
Duties of the State to Protect Fundamental Rights
- Master's Degree in Legal and Political Sciences (2002)
Duty to Legislate and Judicial Protection against Legislative Omissions
- Bachelor's Degree in Law (1993)

III. Service to University

- Dean of the Lisbon School of the Faculty of Law of the Catholic University of Portugal (2014-2022)
- Member of the Higher Council of the Catholic University of Portugal (2014-2022)
- Member of the Strategic Council of the Institute of Bioethics of the Catholic University of Portugal (2021-2023)
- Member of the Ethics Committee on Technology, Social Sciences and Humanities of the Catholic University of Portugal (2022-...)

IV. Public Service

- Drafting of the Preliminary Report on the Revision of the Nationality Law, presented by the Government to the Assembly of the Republic (2025)
- Collaborator of the Independent Commission for Decentralization, created by the Assembly of the Republic (2018)
- Member of the Admission Committees for the Center for Judicial Studies (2009, 2010 and 2014)
- Drafting – within the Immigration Observatory and the High Commission for Immigration and Ethnic Minorities – of the Preliminary Report for the Revision of the Nationality Law (2006)
- Collaboration in the public debate, promoted by the Presidency of the Council of Ministers, on the revision of the Electoral Law for the Assembly of the Republic (1998)

- Contributor to various national newspapers, such as Expresso, Público, Observador and Diário de Notícias
- Commentator on various radio and television stations, such as Rádio Observador, Rádio Renascença, Antena 1, RTP 3, SIC Notícias and CNN-Portugal
- Regular columnist for Jornal Económico (2016-2021)

V. Other Professional Activities

- Senior legal advisor to the Representative of the Republic for the Autonomous Region of the Azores (2006-...)
- Member of the Supervision Board of the Portuguese Bar Association, elected in 2025
- Independent arbitrator and legal consultant

VI. Main Publications

- Fundamental Rights for the Digital Universe, Essays of the Francisco Manuel dos Santos Foundation, N°. 135, Lisbon, 2024
- Foundations of Public Law, UCE, Lisbon, 2024
- Fundamental Rights – General Theory, UCE, Lisbon, 2018
- Duties of the State to Protect Fundamental Rights, UCE, Lisbon, 2015
- Citizenship Rights and the Right to Citizenship, Immigration Observatory, Lisbon, 2004
- Duty to Legislate and Judicial Protection against Legislative Omissions, UCE, Lisbon, 2003

VII. Languages

- Portuguese (native)
- English (fluent)
- French
- German