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Portuguese and Angolan

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August 11, 1977

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Portuguese, French, English
Italian

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AREAS OF EXPERTISE

Corporate Governance, Corporate Finance, Business Law,
Administrative Contracts (PPP/PFI) and Arbitration

CURRENT PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITY

MEMBER OF CORPORATE BODIES

- Chairman of the Supervisory Board of Fidelidade - Companhia de Seguros SA, Luanda
- Chairman of the Shareholders' General Assembly of Standard Bank Angola SA, Luanda
- Member of the Board of the Arbitration Center of the Portuguese Chamber of Commerce and Industry, Lisbon

BUSINESS CONSULTANT

- Consultant in corporate law, governance, PPP/PFI and complex financing operations.
- Advisory services for decision-making at boards of directors of various companies.

UNIVERSITY PROFESSOR

- Coordinator of the Master's Program in Corporate Law at the Faculty of Law of Agostinho Neto University, Luanda.
- Professor of Corporate Governance and Corporate Finance in the Master's Program in Business Law at Agostinho Neto University, Luanda, and in Civil Law at Katyavala Bwila University, Benguela.

ARBITRATOR

- Arbitrator appointed by the Republic of Angola for the ICSID, Washington
- Member of the ADR Committee of the ICC - Chamber of Commerce and Industry, Paris

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ASSOCIATIONS

- Women On Boards .
- Angolan Corporate Governance Association, Angola.
- NEDA – Non-Executive Directors Association , UK.
- Governance Lab , Portugal .
- JusGov, Portugal

BOOKS

- **Companies under Angolan Law – Lessons of Commercial Law, 2015**
<https://www.sofiavale-arbitration.com/2015/07/12/as-empresas-no-direito-angolano/>
- **Practical Guide to Commercial Law – Book, co-authored - 2013**
<https://www.sofiavale-arbitration.com/2014/05/07/guia-pratico-direito-comercial/>
- **Voluntary Arbitration Commented– Book, co-authored - 2013**
<https://www.sofiavale-arbitration.com/2014/02/09/lei-da-arbitragem-voluntaria-comentada/>

OTHER INTERESTS

Dance Literature
Cooking Travel
Oenology

TRAINING

- **International Directors Program , INSEAD , Paris, 2026**
- **Sustainability Leadership and Corporate Responsibility , LONDON BUSINESS SCHOOL , London, 2025**
- **ESG and Circular Economy in Organizations, ADENE, Porto, 2024**
- **Advanced Corporate Governance (The Leadership of Boards ; Leading Boards' Dynamics and Individual Assessment), NOVA SCHOOL OF BUSINESS AND ECONOMICS , Lisbon, 2024**
- **Doctorate in Company Law, NOVA SCHOOL OF LAW , Lisbon, 2020**
- **Bachelor of Laws, University of Coimbra , Coimbra, 2000**

SOME PUBLICATIONS ON CORPORATE GOVERNANCE

- **Disregarding corporate personality and good governance.**
<https://tribunalconstitucional.ao/estudos-corporate-governance>
- **The duties of company directors under Angolan and Portuguese law: a comparative law study** <https://www.researchgate.net/publication/278404773>
- **Directors and corporate governance in Angola**
https://www.academia.edu/43618732/administradores_e_governa%C3%87%C3%83o_de_sociedades_em_angola
- **Shareholders and corporate governance in Angola**
https://www.academia.edu/43618723/s%C3%93cios_e_governa%C3%87%C3%83o_das_sociedades_em_angola
- **Board of directors remuneration under the laws of Angola**
https://www.researchgate.net/publication/342957406_board_of_directors_remuneration_under_the_laws_of_angola_-2018
- **Corporate governance and entrepreneurship in Angola**
<https://www.revistadeditocomericial.com/empreendedorismo-e-governo-societario-em-angola>
- **The corporate governance of banks in Angola**
https://www.academia.edu/29844437/o_governo_dos_bancos_em_angola_2016