

CURRICULUM VITAE

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Academic qualifications:

- Law degree by the Faculty of Law of Lisbon University.
- M.B.A. in General Management by Faculty of Economics – University of the Algarve.
- Phd student in tourism – University of the Algarve (Ualg).
- Phd student in Law – University of the Balearic Islands (Uib).

Professional experience:

- Law practice since 1994, especially corporate law, administrative law and tourism law.
 - Experience in acting for UK residents and other foreigners buying property in Portugal, either directly or through a company.
 - Founding Partner and CFO of the law firm APC – Álvaro Café, João Vidal, Afonso Café, Catarina Poço, Sociedade de Advogados, RL.
 - Member of the valuation jury to decide the candidates to be admitted to the Portuguese Law Society.
 - Instructor in the Portuguese Bar Association
 - Chairman of the General Assembly of Empet – Parques Empresariais de Tavira, EM.
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Academic experience:

- Invited Assistant Professor in the Faculty of Economics (University of the Algarve) since 1999, where was/is responsible for the courses of Law I, in Business Management Graduation, Economic Law, in Economy Graduation, Political Science, in Sociology Graduation, and Criminal Process, Education Law, Health Law, Labour Law and Pharmaceutical Legislation and Ethics in various postgraduate and master's courses.
- Member of the Research Centre for Spatial and Organizational Dynamics (CIEO).
- Member of the Research Centre on Sustainability and Wellness on Tourism (CinTurs).
- Investigator in the R&D Research Project Tratamiento Legal del Turismo Colaborativo y Plataformas Online.
- Supervisor of master's theses and member of valuation jury of master's theses.
- Member of the University Senate of the University of the Algarve from July 2001 to March 2009.
- Member of the Assembly of Representatives of the Faculty of Economics, University of the Algarve, from March 2002 to March 2009.
- Member of the General Council of the Foundation for the Development of the University of the Algarve, since 2011.
- Member of the jury of master's thesis defence entitled "The Autarchies in Portugal. municipal management policies in building a winning profile ", as arguer.
- Member of the jury of master's thesis defence entitled "The profile of the President of Faro Town Hall in the Perspective of Electors. A Multidimensional contribution to the Electoral Marketing ", as arguer.

Presentations:

- Communication on the 19th IFTTA Conference (International Forum of Tourism and Travel Advocates), held in Portugal from 11 to 14 October 2007, entitled "The Recent Changes of the Portuguese Regulation on Travel Agents"
- Communication on the I Conference Lex Tourist Duriensis held in Lamego on 3 October 2008 under the theme "PINs – Projects of National Interest".
- Communication on the International Seminar on Tourism Law, held in Beja on 6 November 2009 under the theme "Tourism Resorts in Plural Property".
- Communication in the II Meeting on Health of the School of Health Sciences, University of Algarve, held in Faro on 23 and 24 April 2010, entitled "The Responsibility of Health Professionals"
- Co-organized the First International Conference of the Algarve Tourism Law, held at the Faculty of Economics, University of Algarve in Faro, on May 7, 2010.
- Communication on the First International Conference of the Algarve Tourism Law, held in Faro on May 7, 2010, entitled "The Formation of Package Travel Contract in the Directive 314/90 / EEC."
- Communication on the 5th Workshop on Statistics, Mathematics and Computation: Methods and Applications, held in Faro on 11 July 2011, entitled "Arbitration In Tourism And Its Influence On The Performance Of Tourism Organizations".
- Communication on the International Seminar on Tourism Law, held in Beja on June 14, 2012, entitled "Some Predictable Impacts of the New Policy Relative to Consumer Rights in Tourism in Portugal."
- Communication on the International Workshop about Dynamic Packages, held at the Faculty of Law of the University of Salamanca on 30 October 2012, entitled "The responsibility of Tourism Companies in Face of the Dynamic Packaging Problematic: The case of Portugal."
- Communication on the International Workshop about Tourism and New Technologies, held at the Faculty of Law of the University of the Balearic Islands on June 28, 2013, entitled " The responsibility of Tourism Companies in Face of the Dynamic Packaging Problematic: The case of Portugal"

- Communication in the International Conference on National Arbitration and International Tourist Consumer Disputes, held in the School of Management, Hospitality and Tourism of the Algarve University days 24 and 25 March 2015 entitled "Arbitration and Tourism in Portugal: A Shy Relationship".
- Communication in the II Conference Lex Tourist Duriensis - New Governance, held at the School of Technology and Management Lamego on 10 and 11 April 2015, entitled "The Housing Tourism Companies: From Conceptual Problems to Regulatory Incongruities".
- Communication on behalf of the University of the Algarve, at the Fourth Congress of Criminal Investigation - Prevention and Criminal Investigation on Cybercrime: Challenges of the Twenty-first Century, held at the University of Algarve on 16 and 17 April 2015 under the theme "The Electronic Contracting on Travel: Prospects and Problems".
- Co-organized the Second Luso-Spanish Meeting on Tourism Law at the Faculty of Economics, University of Algarve, on February 25, 2016, and presented a Communication entitled "The Responsibility of Operators and Travel Agencies in the New Package Travel Directive: Innovation or Continuity? "
- Communication on the Round Table about Tourism Law, held at the Cordoba Bar Association (Spain) on April 7, 2016, entitled "The Responsibility of Operators and Travel Agencies in the New Package Travel Directive: Innovation or Continuity?"
- Communication at the International Conference called Interdisciplinarity in Social and Human Sciences, organized by the Research Centre on Space and Organizations (CIEO), held at the University of Algarve on 5 and 6 May 2016, entitled "Dispute, Arbitration and tourism: a multidimensional approach to the analysis of tourism data"
- Communication on the Workshop on Package Travel and Linked Services: The New Directive 2015/2302 of the European Parliament and the Council, held at the Faculty of Law of the University of the Balearic Islands on May 20, 2016 , entitled " The Responsibility of Operators and Travel Agencies in the New Package Travel Directive: Innovation or Continuity?"

- Communication on the International Conference on New Policy Relative to the Organized Travel Directive (Directive 2015/2302 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 25/11), held at the Higher School of Hospitality and Tourism of Estoril / INATEL, on 10 and 11 October 2016, entitled "The Responsibility of Operators and Travel agencies in New Policy About Organized Trips: Innovation or Continuity"
- Communication on the International Conference to commemorate the 10^o anniversary of the Bolkestein Directive (Directive 2006/123/EC from the Parliament and the Council of 12/12), held in Escola Superior de Hotelaria e Turismo do Estoril/Teatro da Trindade, on the 12 December 2016, entitled "O Impacto da Diretiva Bolkestein no Alojamento: Análise Crítica."
- Communication in Jornada Internacional Sobre as Ultimas Tendencias en el Mercado Europeo sobre Derecho del Turismo, held in the Faculty of Law of the University of Salamanca on the 14 February 2017, entitled "Turismo Colaborativo: Aproximación a los problemas de responsabilidad"
- Communication in the International Congress for the Legal Aspects of Housing, Ensuring the effective exercise of the right to housing in the EU. Access to adequate and affordable housing for all, Workshop European instruments, policies and jurisprudence, held in Rovira i Virgili University, Tarragona, Spain, on the 27 and 28 April 2017, entitled "Viviendas vacacionales colaborativas: aproximación a los problemas de responsabilidad en la Unión Europea".
- Acted as Discussant in the International Congress for the Legal Aspects of Housing, Ensuring the effective exercise of the right to housing in the EU. Access to adequate and affordable housing for all, Workshop European instruments, policies and jurisprudence, held in Rovira i Virgili University, Tarragona, Spain, on the 27 and 28 April 2017, where have commented the paper entitled "La vivienda y turismo colaborativo, retos del derecho de la unión europea y régimen jurídico en Portugal".
- Communication in the Symposium of Tourism Law in the International Conference for Interdisciplinarity in Social and Human Sciences, organized by the Research Centre for Organizational and Spatial Dynamics (CIEO), University of the Algarve,

on 11 and 12 May 2017, entitled “Turismo colaborativo: uma aproximação aos problemas de responsabilidade”.

- Moderator in the Symposium of Tourism Law in the International Conference for Interdisciplinarity in Social and Human Sciences, organized by the Research Centre for Organizational and Spatial Dynamics (CIEO), University of the Algarve, on 11 and 12 May 2017.
- Communication on the Jornada sobre el Impacto de las Plataformas de Alojamiento Turístico, held in the Faculty of Law of the University of the Balearic Islands on the 22 June 2017, entitled “Viviendas Vacacionales Colaborativas: Aproximación a los problemas de responsabilidade - La ventaja de una responsabilidad objetiva”.
- Communication in the International Conference on Sustainable Tourism Law and New Package Travel Directive, held in Escola Superior de Hotelaria e Turismo do Estoril/INATEL/Évora, on the 9 and 10 October 2017, entitled “The implications of the draft UNWTO Convention On the Protection of Tourists and the Rights and Obligations of Tourism Service Providers on the intermediaries facilitating the provision of standalone accommodation”.
- Communication on the Seminary about Alojamento Local - Entre o Turismo e a Locação: Reflexões a Sul, held in Escola Superior de Tecnologia e Gestão do Instituto Politécnico de Beja, on the 16 November 2017, entitled “As plataformas de intermediação no Alojamento Local”.

Publications:

- Co-author of the book "Dynamic Packages: Problems and legal solution in an international perspective", published by Dykinson.
- Co-author of the book "VII International Conference - II Conference Lex Tourist Duriensis [New Governance]", published by the School of Technology and Management Lamego.
- Co-author of the paper "A Diretiva (UE) 2015/2302 do Parlamento Europeu e do Conselho na Integração em Rede da União Europeia no Setor do Turismo", published

in RIDETUR (Revista Internacional de Derecho del Turismo), n.º 1, University of Córdoba (2017).

- Co-author of the book “The New Package Travel Directive”, edited by Escola Superior de Turismo do Estoril/Inatel (2017), with the chapter “The Responsibility of Tour Operators and Travel Agencies in The New Package Travel Directive: Innovation or Continuity?”.

Other Activities:

- Elected President, in the terms 1997/98, 1999/2000, 2001/2002, 2003/2004, 2005/2006, 2007/2008, 2009/2010 and 2011/2012, of Civis - Association for the Deepening of Citizenship, which has the aim of supporting and strengthening the individual and collective rights of citizens as a tool to enhance social solidarity.
- Member of the Board of the General Assembly of Civis - Association for the Deepening of Citizenship in the terms 2013/2014 and 2015/2016.
- Legal Adviser of ECUBAL – Empresa Cultural de Barros Brancos, SA, owner of the International School of the Algarve in Lagoa, from 1996 to 2015.
- Director of ECUBAL. – Empresa Cultural de Barros Brancos, SA, owner of the International School of the Algarve in Lagoa, from 1998 to 2011, with the responsibility of the Legal Department.
- Chairman of the Board of Directors of ENE. – Empresa Nova de Educação, SA, belonging to the Nobel Group Education from June 2014 to June 2015.
- President of the General Assembly of the Sports Club International School of the Algarve from 2000-2015.
- President of the General Assembly of the Social Solidarity Association of the International School of the Algarve since 2000.
- Collaborator, as formator of the Employment and Vocational Training Institute - Regional Delegation of the Algarve, having taught the discipline of Law in professional training courses for accounting clerks.

- Professor of Law at Agostinho Roseta Professional School in the years 1998/99, 1999/2000, 2000/2001, 2001/2002 and 2002/2003.
- Conducted training course in Administrative Law for civil servants, organized by the Workers Union of South Civil Service and the Azores - Faro Delegation held at the Youth Portuguese Institute in the months of February, March and April 2000, with a duration of 24 hours.
- Professor of Sociology, 12th grade in the Algarve International School in the academic year 2004/2005.
- Member of the International Forum of Tourism and Travel Advocates (IFTTA).

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