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LANGUAGES

Portuguese
English
French
Spanish
Italian

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- Maria specialized and in tax law practice for 30 years in a leading Portuguese law firm, having previously begun her career in the tax department of a multinational audit and consulting firm belonging to the current Big Four.

- She has extensive experience in providing tax advisory services to both domestic and international clients, with a particular focus on corporate restructuring and reorganizations, especially in the real estate and touristic sectors; legal and tax structuring of assets and real estate investments, including investment funds; succession planning; and private equity transactions.

- She advices on various aspects of international and domestic taxation, with a particular focus on personal and corporate income tax, VAT, Real Estate Transfer Tax, and Stamp Duty.

- Moreover, she has solid experience in tax litigation, representing and advising clients in administrative proceedings before the Tax Authority and in judicial claims before the tax courts.

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PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

- **Portuguese Bar Association** (member since 1991)
- **Portuguese Tax Association** and **Portuguese Association of Tax Consultants**
- Lex Mundi, Global Tax Group – **Regional Vice-Chair, EMEA** (2019–2022)
- Lex Mundi, Global Tax Group – **Chair** (2023–2024)