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#### **EDUCATION**

Universidade Nova de Lisboa - Nova SBE, Portugal	Expected: 2026
Ph.D. Candidate in Economics Advisor: Pedro Vicente	
Universidade Nova de Lisboa - Nova SBE, Portugal: MSc in Economics	2019
Universidade Nova de Lisboa - Nova SBE, Portugal: BSc in Economics	2017
Visiting Exchange Student, Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore, Italy	2016

#### ACADEMIC WORK

#### PUBLICATIONS

"Clusters of Bicycle Taxi Operators and their Main Service Operation Patterns: Case Study in Quelimane" with Classio Mendiate (AMT Maputo), Alphonse Nkurunziza (Fac. of Geo-Information Science and Earth Observation) and Pedro C. Vicente (Nova SBE) - East African Journal of Science, Technology and Innovation 3(3), 2022.

#### **ONGOING RESEARCH**

"Integrating Rural Migrants in Cities - A Field Experiment in Mozambique" with Alex Armand (Nova SBE), Wayne Sandholtz (Nova SBE) and Pedro C. Vicente (Nova SBE). - Working paper

"Teacher mobility matters! On teacher absenteeism and students' learning in Angola" with Pedro Vicente (Nova SBE). Draft available upon request.

#### **S**CHOLARSHIPS/AWARDS

Portuguese National Science Foundation (FCT), Ph.D. Scholarship	2021
Research Grants	
International Growth Center (£20,000) - PI	2024
International Growth Center (£20,000) - Co-PI	2020
Portuguese National Science Foundation (€250,000) - Co-PI	2020
CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS	
NOVAFRICA Conference on Economic Development (Nova SBE)	2024
CSAE Conference (Univ. of Oxford)	2023
$16^{th}$ Annual Meeting of the Portuguese Economic Journal	2023
TEACHING EXPERIENCE	
Microeconomics (undergraduate), teaching assistant, Nova SBE, Portugal	2019   2020 -
Development Economics (undergraduate), teaching assistant, Nova SBE, Portugal	2023 -
European Economy: Governance and crisis (graduate), grader, Nova SBE, Portugal	2023

Public Policy (graduate), grader, Nova SBE, Portugal	2022
Macroeconomics of Financial Markets (graduate), grader, Nova SBE, Portugal	2022

## PREVIOUS RESEARCH PROJECTS

NOVAFRICA, Nova SBE, Remote - Project Coordinator 2020 - 2021 "Countering Islamic Radicalization in Northern Mozambique", Alex Armand (Nova SBE), Flavio Cunha (UC), Inês Vilela (RHUL) and Pedro C. Vicente (Nova SBE). NOVAFRICA, Nova SBE, Portugal - Project Coordinator 2020 "Beliefs and Behaviours towards COVID-19 in Mozambique", Mattia Fracchia (Nova SBE) and Pedro C. Vicente (Nova SBE). NOVAFRICA, Nova SBE, Guinea-Bissau - Project Coordinator 2019 - 2020 "Belief Systems and Health Behaviors in Guinea-Bissau", Alexander Coutts (Nova SBE), Teresa Molina Millán (Nova SBE) and Pedro C. Vicente (Nova SBE). 2019 -NOVAFRICA, Nova SBE, Portugal - Research Assistant "Incentivizing CHWs in Guinea-Bissau: Experimental Evidence on Social Status and Intrinsic Motivation", Mattia Fracchia (Nova SBE), Teresa Molina Millán (Nova SBE) and Pedro C. Vicente (Nova SBE). DIME, World Bank, Angola - Field Coordinator 2018 "Information and Collective Action in Angolan Schools: Inside the Black Box of Community-based Monitoring", Vincenzo di Maro (The World Bank), Stefan Leeffers (Nova SBE), Danila Serra (SMU)

and Pedro C. Vicente (Nova SBE).

## ACADEMIC SERVICE

REFEREEING: Economic Modelling; Applied Economics Letters; World Development ORGANIZER: NOVAFRICA PhD Workshop on Development Economics (2024, Lisbon - Portugal); PhD Research Group (2022 - , Nova SBE)

## ATTENDED CONFERENCES

NOVAFRICA, Nova SBE, Portugal	
"NOVAFRICA Conference on Economic Development"	2024
" $15^{th}$ Internacional Conference on Migration and Develpment"	2022
"NOVAFRICA Conference on Economic Development in Africa"	2022
"NOVAFRICA Conference on Economic Development in Africa"	2019
"A Cimeira UE-África e o Futuro das Relações Portugal-África"	2017
Instituto Universitário de Lisboa, ISCTE IUL, Portugal	
"1º Encontro Anual de Economia Política"	2017

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Consultant, World Bank	2022
Field Survey Assistant Coordinator, WARC, Sierra Leone	2020
Tutor, Independent	2012 - 2020

## LANGUAGE AND PROGRAMMING

#### LANGUAGE

Portuguese (native), English (fluent - Cambridge English: Advanced (CEA)), Italian (advanced), French

(basic), Spanish (intermediate), Guinea-Bissau Creole (intermediate) **PROGRAMMING** STATA, R, Matlab, MS Office, Survey Solutions, Survey CTO, LATEX, QGIS, CS Pro.

# OTHER ACTIVITIES

NOVAFRICA Students Group, Nova SBE, Portugal Co-President/ Member	2017 - 2020
2022 - 2023	
Instituto Renovar a Mouraria, Portugal Tutor - Volunteer	2017 - 2018
Instituto Gregoriano de Lisboa, Portugal Music Student	2005 - 2010