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Education

University of Coimbra

PhD in Applied Mathematics,

2007

Instituto Politécnico de Tomar

Adjunct Professor Access,

2001

University of Coimbra

BSc in Mathematics,

1987

Past and Current Positions

Instituto Politécnico de Tomar

Full Adjunct Professor

Since October 2004

Instituto Politécnico de Tomar

Junior Adjunct Professor

From October 2001 to September 2004

Instituto Politécnico de Tomar

Invited Adjunct Professor

From February 1998 to September 2001

Instituto Politécnico de Tomar

Collaborator

From October 1997 to February 1998

Instituto Superior Bissaya Barreto

Lecturer

From October 1995 to September 1997

Universidade de Coimbra

Lecturer

From July 1991 to September 1997

Also Fellow at CERFACS - France

Universidade de Coimbra

Junior Lecturer

From October 1987 to June 1991

Lecturing Activity

Instituto Politécnico de Tomar

MSc in Finance and Auditing: Decision Support Statistical Methodologies (partial)

BSc in Informatics and Multimedia Technologies: Computer Graphics

MSc in Analytics and Business Intelligence: Mathematical Models for Decision Analysis and Support (partial), Multidisciplinary Project (partial)

MSc in Digital Content Production: Computer Graphics I, Computer Graphics II, Games and Augmented Reality

MSc in Chemical Technology: Mathematics and Computation, Process Optimization (partial)

MSc in Control and Industrial Electronics: Mathematical Modelling and Simulation

Business Intelligence Post-Graduate Course: Mathematical Models for Decision Analysis and Support (partial), Multidisciplinary Project (partial)

BSc in Civil Engineering: Mathematical Calculus III (partial), Operations Research, Linear Algebra

BSc in Computer Engineering: Logics and Scientific Computing, Operations Research, Linear Algebra

BSc in Eletrotechnical Engineering: Operations Research, Applied Mathematics, Linear Algebra

BSc in Chemical and Biochemical Engineering: Operations Research, Applied Numerical Methods, Statistical Methods, Linear Algebra

BSc in Environment and Biological Engineering: Operations Research, Applied Numerical Methods, Statistical Methods, Linear Algebra

BSc in Graphical Arts Technology: Mathematics III

Technical Course in Multimedia Product Development: Mathematics Applications

Technical Course in Accounting and Management: Mathematics (partial)

Technical Course in Information Systems Technology and Programming: Algorithms

Technical Course in Geographical Information Systems: Applied Mathematics (partial)

Technical Course in Electrical Installations and Industrial Automation: Applied Mathematics (partial)

Other Courses: Training Programme “Introduction to Text Processing in L^AT_EX”

Trainees: High School Teachers, from March to May 2002

Instituto Superior Bissaya Barreto

BSc in Management and Public Administration: Informatics

Universidade de Coimbra

BSc Courses in Engineering: Linear Algebra

BSc in Mathematics: Computer Programming, Numerical Analysis, Discrete Mathematics

Research Activities

Research Interests

- Information Systems for *Smart Cities*.
- Computational Kernels for Linear and Nonlinear Optimization.
- Algorithms, Mathematical Models and Applications for Computer Graphics, Virtual Reality, Augmented Reality and Video Games.
- High Performance Computing.

Invited Talks

- *Vehicle Mechanics (and other issues)*, in GISU Alliance Session on Driver’s Cognition, Guangzhou, October 2023.
- *High Performance Graphics using OpenGL*, in MAGnUS Summer School, Baku, Azerbaijan, September 2022.
- *The role of localization in interactive systems*, in MAGnUS Summer School, Baku, Azerbaijan, September 2022.
- *From Interaction to Augmented Reality — some methods and technologies*, in Online MAGnUS Summer School, Baku, Azerbaijan, July 2020.
- *Computer Graphics, Augmented Reality and Beyond*, in MAGnUS Workshop, Tallinn, Estonia, October 2019.
- *(Alguma) Matemática na Animação Gráfica e na Realidade Virtual*, with Miguel Abreu (SKETCH-PIXEL), in Tardes de Matemática da Sociedade Portuguesa de Matemática, FNAC Colombo (Lisboa), January 2019.

- *Sistemas e apps para Smart Cities: de Tomar para o Mundo*, with J. Rosa, T. Domingos, G. Rodrigues, A. Araújo, P. Lemos, I. Costa, P. Luís (IBM), L. M. Oliveira and N. Madeira (IPT), Fórum Politécnico 5 - Tecnologias da Informação e Comunicação e Competências Digitais, Instituto Politécnico do Cávado e Ave, Barcelos, January 2017.
- *Smarter Fest: feeling the pulse of a Festival – Information, Security & Safety*, with H. Mourisca (IBM), and L. Oliveira and N. Madeira (IPT), Carnaval Workshop, Instituto Politécnico de Tomar, November 2015.
- *A Matemática na Animação 3D*, with Miguel Abreu (SKETCHPIXEL), Escola Profissional de Vila Verde, January 2015.
- *(Alguma) Matemática na Animação Gráfica*, Semana Cultura da Escola Secundária de Santa Maria do Olival, April 2014.
- *Métodos Matemáticos em Animação*, with Miguel Abreu (SKETCHPIXEL), in “Seminário Animação + HTML5 + Android”, Instituto Politécnico de Tomar, May 2013.
- *A Matemática na Animação Gráfica*, com Miguel Abreu (SKETCHPIXEL), in “Tardes da Matemática”, organized by Sociedade Portuguesa de Matemática - Norte, Braga, Portugal, February 2013.
- *Interior-point algorithms for monotone complementarity problems and their applications*, in “20th Anniversary of Instituto de Telecomunicações”, Coimbra, Portugal, July 2012.
- *A Matemática na Animação Gráfica*, with Miguel Abreu (SKETCHPIXEL), in “A Matemática das Coisas”, organized by Sociedade Portuguesa de Matemática and Programa Ciência Viva, Lisboa, Portugal, May 2012.
- *Objectivos e realidades no ensino da Matemática a Cursos de Engenharia*, in “O Ensino da Engenharia para a Inovação e o Desenvolvimento”, IEEE Education Society - Portuguese Chapter, Tomar, Portugal, November 2008.

Other talks

- *SolarSystemGO - An Augmented Reality Based Game with Astronomical Concepts*, with M. C. Costa, J. A. Carrança and B. Faropo, CISTI 2018, Cáceres, Spain, June 2018.
- *Virtual and augmented reality with mobile platforms for learning astronomy in primary schools*, with M. C. Costa, World Conference on Learning, Teaching & Educational Leadership, Budapest, November 2016.
- *Framework for an intelligent operations center - architecture of decision support systems*, with J. Rosa, T. Domingos, G. Rodrigues, L. Oliveira and N. Madeira, CISTI 2016, Las Palmas de Gran Canaria, June 2016.
- *Emergency plans support systems — integration of safety and security operational procedures*, with A. Araújo, P. Lemos, I. Costa, L. Oliveira and N. Madeira, CISTI 2016, Las Palmas de Gran Canaria, June 2016.
- *Numerical computation and applications of nonnegative matrix factorizations*, with L. M. Fernandes, MatTriad 2011, Tomar, June 2011.
- *On the computation of a nonnegative matrix factorization and its application in telecommunications*, with L. M. Fernandes, J. Júdice and A. M. Almeida, Conftele2009, Santa Maria da Feira, May 2009.
- *Viagem Multimédia pelo Mundo dos Fractais*, with C. Andrade, Festa da Ciéncia Cultura e Tecnologia do Instituto Politécnico de Tomar, April 2008.
- *Números Complexos, Trigonometria e Aplicações*, Escola Secundária Marquesa de Alorna, Almeirim, May 2004.
- *An investigation of a nonlinear obstacle plate optimization problem*, with L. Fernandes, I. Figueiredo and J. Júdice, 18th International Symposium on Mathematical Programming, Copenhague, August 2003.
- *Em torno da determinação das soluções de equações algébricas*, Instituto Politécnico de Tomar, March 2002.
- *A primal-dual interior point algorithm for the solution of an optimization thermal dispatch model*, with

J. Júdice and M. C. Guedes, Optimization 2001, Aveiro, July 2001.

- *Fortran subroutines for computing a minimum cost flow using a truncated primal-infeasible dual-feasible network interior point method*, with J. Júdice, M. Resende and G. Veiga, 17th International Symposium on Mathematical Programming, Atlanta, August 2000.
- *PDNET: Subrotinas FORTRAN para resolução de problemas de fluxos em redes utilizando um algoritmo de pontos interiores*, with J. Júdice, L. Portugal, M. Resende and G. Veiga, IO2000 – 9º Congresso da APDIO, Setúbal, April 2000.
- *Interior Point algorithms for a General Linear Complementarity Problem*, with J. Júdice and L. M. Fernandes, EURO XVI, Brussels, July 1998.
- *Solution of large-scale monotone linear complementarity problems*, with J. Júdice and L. M. Fernandes, SIAM Conference on Optimization, Chicago, July 1992.
- *Solução de Problemas Lineares Complementares Estritamente Monótonos de Grandes Dimensões*, with J. J. Júdice and L. M. Fernandes, 5º Congresso da APDIO, Évora, April 1992.
- *Solution of large-scale strictly convex linear complementarity problems with bounds*, with J. J. Júdice, F. M. Pires and L. M. Fernandes, 14th International Symposium on Mathematical Programming, Amsterdam, August 1991.
- *Solution of large-scale strictly convex linear complementarity problems*, with J. J. Júdice, F. M. Pires and L. M. Fernandes, Workshop on Large-Scale Optimization, Coimbra, July 1991.
- *A truncated envelope preconditioning technique*, with J. J. Júdice, IMACS International Symposium on Iterative Methods in Linear Algebra, Brussels, April 1991.
- *Método de Newton Truncado para problemas de grandes dimensões de Optimização Não Linear sem restrições*, with J. J. Júdice, 1ª Conferência em Estatística e Optimização, Tróia, December 1990.
- *Uso do Método do Invólucro como Precondicionamento para a resolução de sistemas de equações lineares de grandes dimensões*, with J. J. Júdice, XV Jornadas Luso- Espanholas de Matemática, Évora, September 1990.
- *The Preconditioned Envelope Conjugate-Gradient Method*, with J. J. Júdice, Copper Mountain Conference on Iterative Methods, Copper Mountain, April 1990.
- *Um estudo do método do invólucro para sistemas de equações lineares de grandes dimensões*, with J. J. Júdice, Conference on Linear Algebra and Applications, Valencia, October 1989.

Poster Presentations.....

- *Traveling through the planetary systems with an augmented reality application*, with M. C. Costa, A. Manso and P. Santos, ICGI 2023, Tomar, November 2023.

Publications.....

- Books:
 - *Sistemas de Equações Lineares*, with J. Júdice, Universidade de Coimbra, 1996.
- Theses:
 - *Algoritmos de Pontos Interiores para Problemas Complementares Monótonos e suas Aplicações*, PhD, Universidade de Coimbra, 2007.
 - *Algoritmos de Pontos-Interiores para Problemas de Optimização Linear e Quadrática*, Adjunct Professor Access, Instituto Politécnico de Tomar, 2001.
 - *Um Estudo do Método do Invólucro para Matrizes Esparsas Simétricas Positivas Definidas*, Pedagogical and Scientific Habilitation, Universidade de Coimbra, 1991.
- Invited papers in national journals:
 - *Matemática na Animação Gráfica*, Gazeta de Matemática 202(2024), pp. 37.
<https://www.gazeta.spm.pt/fichagazeta?id=202>
- Papers in national journals with scientific refereeing:
 - *On the solution of a spatial equilibrium problem*, with J. Júdice, M. A. Coelho and L. Fernandes, Investigação Operacional 13(1993)119-134.

- Papers in international journals with scientific refereeing:
 - *An interactive information system that supports an augmented reality game in the context of game-based learning*, M. C. Costa, J. M. Patrício, P. Santos, A. Manso, Multimodal Technologies and Interaction 82(2021)5, 1 - 25. <https://www.mdpi.com/2414-4088/5/12/82>
 - *Design of a Mobile Augmented Reality Platform with Game-Based Learning Purposes*, M. C. Costa, A. Manso, J. M. Patrício, Information 11(2020)3, 127. <http://dx.doi.org/10.3390/info11030127>
 - *On the natural merit function for solving complementarity problems*, with R. Andreani, J. Júdice and M. Martinez, Mathematical Programming 130(2011) 211 - 223. DOI: 10.1007/s10107-009-0336-z
 - *A projected-gradient interior-point algorithm for complementarity problems*, with R. Andreani, J. Júdice and M. Martinez, Numerical Algorithms 57(2011) 457 - 485. DOI: 10.1007/s11075-010-9439-0
 - *FORTRAN subroutines for network flow optimization using an interior point algorithm*, with J. Júdice, L. Portugal, M. Resende and G. Veiga, Pesquisa Operacional 28(2008) 241 - 259.
 - *A study of preconditioners for network interior point methods*, with J. Júdice, L. Portugal, M. Resende and G. Veiga, Computational Optimization and Applications 24(2003) 5 - 35.
- Papers in Conference Proceedings with scientific refereeing:
 - *An augmented reality platform targeted to promote learning about Planetary Systems*, with M. C. Costa, A. Manso, A. Carvalho, B. Alegria and V. Zinatulins, Proceedings of SIIE2019, December 2019
 - *Design of a mobile augmented reality game in the framework of problem based learning*, with M. C. Costa and A. Manso, Proceedings of the 11th International Conference on Education and New Learning Technologies, July 2019
 - *A gamified augmented reality system for the teaching of astronomical concepts*, with M. C. Costa and A. Manso, Actas de la 14^a Conferência Ibérica de Sistemas y Tecnologías de la Información CISTI 2019.
 - *Augmented reality technologies to promote STEM learning*, with M. C. Costa, J. A. Carrança and B. Faropo, Actas de la 13^a Conferência Ibérica de Sistemas y Tecnologías de la Información CISTI 2018.
 - *SolarSystemGO — An augmented reality based game with astronomical concepts*, with M. C. Costa, J. A. Carrança and B. Faropo, Actas de la 13^a Conferência Ibérica de Sistemas y Tecnologías de la Información CISTI 2018.
 - *Emergency plans support systems — integration of safety and security operational procedures*, with A. Araújo, P. Lemos, I. Costa, L. Oliveira and N. Madeira, Sistemas y Tecnologías de la Información — Actas de la 11^a Conferência Ibérica de Sistemas y Tecnologías de la Información CISTI 2016, vol. 1, pp. 579-585.
 - *Framework for an intelligent operations center - architecture of decision support systems*, with J. Rosa, T. Domingos, G. Rodrigues, L. Oliveira and N. Madeira, Sistemas y Tecnologías de la Información — Actas de la 11^a Conferência Ibérica de Sistemas y Tecnologías de la Información CISTI 2016, vol. 1, pp. 645-649.
 - *On the computation of a nonnegative matrix factorization and its application in telecommunications*, with L. Fernandes, J. Júdice e A. Almeida, Proc Conf. on Telecommunications — ConfTele 2009.

Member of Scientific and Development Projects.....

- *Agendas/Alianças mobilizadoras para a reindustrialização / BLOCKCHAIN.PT – Agenda “Descentralizar Portugal com Blockchain”*, promoted by Void Software SA. January 2023 — 31 December 2025.
- *BREUCA — Development of a high-precision Virtual Reality simulator designed to be used in professional simulation and gaming environments associated with real events*, with Sketchpixel, Universidade do Minho and Bubblecode, Project POCI-01-0247-FEDER-048257, January 2021 — June 2023.
- *CRASH - Development of a high precision reconstruction system designed to be used in a professional simulation environment related with real crash events*, with Sketchpixel, Politécnico de Leiria and National Technical University of Ukraine “Igor Sikorsky Polytechnic Institute”, Project POCI-01-0247-

FEDER-070315, December 2020 — June 2023.

- *MAGnUS — Developing a Master's Program in Mobile Application and Web Design*, Project Erasmus+ 588342- EPP-1-2018-1-SE-EPPKA2-CBHE-JP, National Coordinator, April 2019 — January 2023.
- *ORAL — Optimal Resource ALlocation*, Project FCT, 2004 — 2008.
- *TRANSPARENTE- TRANSPorte, Acesso e Distribuição em REdes de Comunicação óptica multiPlExadas*, Project FCT, 2000 — 2002.
- *Modelos Variacionais e Optimização*, Project PRAXIS XXI, 1997 — 2000.
- *Solução de Problemas de Álgebra Linear Numérica e de Optimização e Aplicações em Engenharia Estrutural, Genética e de Finanças*, Project PRAXIS XXI, 1996 — 1999.
- *Resolução de Problemas de Optimização Não Linear de Grandes Dimensões e Aplicações a Problemas de Engenharia Química*, Project INIC, 1990 — 1991.

Member of Scientific Societies and Research Centres

- Sociedade Portuguesa de Matemática (SPM).
- Associação Portuguesa de Investigação Operacional (APDIO).
- European Association for Computer Graphics (EuroGraphics).
- Integrated Member of the Smart Cities Research Centre of Instituto Politécnico de Tomar.
- External collaborator of Instituto de Telecomunicações.

Participation in the organization of conferences and other scientific events

International Conference on Graphics and Interaction (ICGI 2023)

Tomar, Chair of the Organizing Committee November 2023

MAGnUS Workshop on Entrepreneurship

Tomar, Chair November 2022

XX Congress of the Portuguese Operations Research Society

Tomar, Chair of the Organizing Committee July 2019

CityHack

Tomar May 2017

11th International Conference on Computational Management Science

Lisboa May 2014

5th International Conference on Risk Analysis

Tomar May and June 2013

7th Workshop on Statistics, Mathematics and Computation

Tomar May 2013

2nd Workshop on Bio-Optimization

Lisboa September 2012

Jornadas de Classificação e Análise de Dados — JOCLAD

Tomar March 2012

Workshop sobre o Ensino da Investigação Operacional

Coimbra February 2011

Workshop on High Performance Computing

Coimbra November 2010

Workshop em Otimização em Transportes

Coimbra November 2010

Workshop Investigação Operacional nas Empresas (IONE)

Coimbra October 2010

Workshop IO: que desafios para 2010–2020?	
<i>Coimbra</i>	<i>October 2010</i>
EURO XXIV — European Conference on Operational Research	
<i>Lisboa</i>	<i>July 2010</i>
Iberian Conference in Optimization	
<i>Coimbra</i>	<i>November 2006</i>
3ª Conferência em Telecomunicações — CONFTELE 2001	
<i>Figueira da Foz</i>	<i>April 2001</i>
Matemática Aplicada às Telecomunicações — Que Problemas?	
<i>Coimbra</i>	<i>September 1998</i>
Optimization 98	
<i>Coimbra</i>	<i>July 1998</i>
XVI Olimpíadas Nacionais de Matemática	
<i>Sociedade Portuguesa de Matemática</i>	<i>From 1997 to 1998</i>
Workshop on Large-Scale Optimization	
<i>Coimbra</i>	<i>July 1991</i>

Referee of scientific papers

- MDPI Mathematics
- MDPI Applied Sciences
- MDPI Multimodal Technologies and Interaction
- MDPI Electronics
- Actas da 14ª Conferência Ibérica de Sistemas e Tecnologias da Informação CISTI 2019
- Actas da 13ª Conferência Ibérica de Sistemas e Tecnologias da Informação CISTI 2018
- Actas da 12ª Conferência Ibérica de Sistemas e Tecnologias da Informação CISTI 2017
- Actas da 11ª Conferência Ibérica de Sistemas e Tecnologias da Informação CISTI 2016
- Boletim da Sociedade Portuguesa de Matemática
- International Journal of Computer Mathematics
- Numerical Algorithms

Supervision of BSc and MSc projects and internships

- *SolarSystemGO*, Miguel Silva, Rafael Lopes, Telmo Faria, BSc in Computer Engineering, Instituto Politécnico de Tomar, December 2018 (co-supervision with M. C. Costa and A. Manso, IP Tomar).
- *SolarSystemGO*, Bruno Faropo, BSc in Computer Engineering, Instituto Politécnico de Tomar, December 2017 (co-supervision with M. C. Costa, IP Tomar and P. Chorinca, Sketchpixel).
- *Realidade Aumentada — Conceitos e Aplicações à Astronomia e à Paleontologia*, Alexandre Carrança, MSc in Digital Content Production, Instituto Politécnico de Tomar, December 2017 (co-supervision with S. Figueiredo, IPT and M. C. Costa, IPT).
- *Internship at Sketchpixel*, Paulo Chorinca, MSc in Digital Content Production, Instituto Politécnico de Tomar, December 2015.
- *Internship at Sketchpixel*, Pedro Isidoro, MSc in Digital Content Production, Instituto Politécnico de Tomar, December 2015.
- *Por um pixel*, Patrícia Lopes, MSc in Digital Content Production, Instituto Politécnico de Tomar, December 2015.
- *Criação de plataformas digitais para a divulgação da atividade do conservador-restaurador*, Diana Moreira, MSc in Digital Content Production, Instituto Politécnico de Tomar, December 2014 (co-supervision with C. Falcão, IP Tomar).
- *Estudo de um processo de reciclagem de óleos lubrificantes usados*, Joana Gonçalves, MSc in Chemical

Technology, Instituto Politécnico de Tomar, November 2011.

Management Activities

Activities at Instituto Politécnico de Tomar

Data Protection Officer of Instituto Politécnico de Tomar

Since December 2022

Pro-President of Instituto Politécnico de Tomar

Since July 2022

Director of Escola Superior de Tecnologia de Tomar of IP Tomar

From January 2015 to June 2022

Coordinator of the Smart Cities Research Center of IP Tomar

From February to December 2018

Coordinator of the Research and Development Observatory of IP Tomar

Since December 2012

Coordinator of the Scientific Computing Center of IP Tomar

Since September 2007

Member of the General Board of Instituto Politécnico de Tomar

From November 2013 to December 2017

Director of the Mathematics and Physics Department of IP Tomar

From October 2011 to January 2015

Director of the MSc Program in Digital Content Production

From October 2011 to January 2015

Coordinator of the Technical Course in ICT

From September 2007 to September 2011

Director of the Mathematics Area of ESTT of IP Tomar

From September 2010 to September 2011

Other activities

Associação Portuguesa de Investigação Operacional

Member of the Board

From January 2010 to February 2012

Centro Internacional de Matemática

Executive Secretary

From May 2006 to April 2008

Polo de Coimbra do Instituto de Telecomunicações

Manager of the ICT infrastructure

From March 1997 to July 2000