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Managing Associate

Managing Associate in the Public Law Department at SRS, with over 10 years of experience. João is the author of several monographs (including 'Comentários sobre Contratação Pública' [Comments on Public Procurement], Almedina, 2022) and scientific articles published in the field of public procurement, and is a qualified trainer with a Certificate of Teaching Competence.

João collaborates with the Centre for Public Law and Regulation Studies at the Faculty of Law of the University of Coimbra.

Recognised by Best Lawyers since 2023 in the category Ones to Watch – Administrative Law. In 2022, João won the Iberian Lawyer award in the category Forty under 40, Lawyer of the Year – Public Law.

Focus Areas Public Law **Languages** Portuguese English **SRS Global** Europe

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Experience

- Since May 2025 Managing Associate at SRS Legal
- 2017 to April Associate at SRS Legal
- 2015 to 2017 Worked in the Public, Administrative and Environmental Law Department at F. Castelo Branco & Associados
- Since 2013 Collaborator at the Centre for Public Law and Regulation Studies, Faculty of Law, University of Coimbra
- 2012 to 2013 Worked as a researcher at the Center for Studies in Public Law and Regulation Faculty of Law of the University of Coimbra

Qualifications

- Postgraduate Degree in Public Contract Management: from contract signing to termination, by the Institute of Legal and Political Sciences of the Faculty of Law of the University of Lisbon
- Municipal Law Course, Coimbra Business School
- Post-Graduation diploma in Public Regulation and Competition from the Center for Studies in Public Law and Regulation of the University of Coimbra School of Law
- Post-Graduation on Public-Private Concessions and Partnerships from the Institute of Legal and Political Sciences of the University of Lisbon School of Law
- Postgraduate diploma in Administrative and Tax Justice from the Center for Studies in Public Law and Regulation of the University of Coimbra School of Law
- Postgraduate diploma in Public Procurement from the Center for Studies in Public Law and Regulation of the University of Coimbra School of Law
- Masters in Legal-Public Sciences (Specialization: Administrative Law) from the University of Coimbra School of Law
- Law Degree from the University of Coimbra School of Law

Associations

- Portuguese Bar Association
- Collaborator at the Centre for Public Law and Regulation Studies at the Faculty of Law, University of Coimbra
- Administrative Law Association