## Nuno Sousa E Silva

Lawyer working mainly with Intellectual Property, Technology, Commercial and IT Laws. Professor at Porto Law School of Universidade Católica Portuguesa (UCP) and Porto Business School.

### **PROFILE SUMMARY**

- 9+ years of experience as a lawyer, leading litigation, advisory, and transactional work in the fields of IP/IT, Software, Consumer and Commercial Law
- 10+ years of experience teaching undergraduate and graduate students in global institutions across Portugal, Germany, Hungary, Poland, Brazil, Denmark, and the United Kingdom
- Published 50+ articles and 5+ books in the areas of IT/TMT, IP, EU, Private and Commercial Law
- Demonstrated history of successfully acting as a trusted advisor, arbitrator and legal expert for companies, governments, and international institutions (including drafting of legislation)
- Multilingual: English (C2), German (B2), French (B1), Spanish (B1), Italian and Dutch (Reading)

#### **WORK EXPERIENCE**

# PTCS & Associados 2011 – Present • Partner, 2022 – Present

- Associate, 2014 2022
- Trainee Lawyer, 2011 2014

## Porto Law School, Universidade Católica Portuguesa 2013 – Present

- Assistant Professor, 2020 Present
- Assistant Lecturer, 2014 2020
- Guest Lecturer, 2013-2014

Arbitrator	2016 – Present
Legal Expert	2015 – Present
Guest Researcher, INOV	2021 – Present
South EU Google Data Governance Chair Researcher	2021 – Present
Visiting Professor, Católica Global School of Law	2022 – Present
Visiting Professor, Porto Business School	2016 – Present
Visiting Professor, Porto School of Arts, UCP	2016 – 2017
Guest Assistant Lecturer, ISCAP	2013 –2014
Collaboration with Bardehle Pagenberg (Munich)	2013

## **MEMBERSHIPS, ASSOCIATIONS & OTHER**

- Member, Ethics Advisory Board of IRIS: Artificial Intelligence Threat Reporting and Incident Response System (2021 – Present)
- Member, External Advisory Board of the HR-Recycler Project (2019 Present)
- Member, Board of the Portuguese Intellectual Property Law Association (2017 – Present)
- Member, Católica Research Centre for the Future of Law (2015 Present)
- Coordinator, Intellectual Property and New Technologies Commission of ANJAP (2017 – 2021)
- Examiner in the tests for access to the Portuguese judiciary (2016, 2018, and 2022)
- **Expert** appointed by the European Economic and Social Committee (2021), the East-Timor Government (2022) and the Portuguese Government (2023).
- Peer Reviewer





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## **EDUCATION**

#### PhD, Law

Universidade Católica Portuguesa, Law School of Porto 2014 – 2019

# LLM, Intellectual Property and Competition Law

Munich Intellectual Property Law Centre 2012 – 2013

#### Master of Laws

Universidade Católica Portuguesa, Law School of Porto 2011 – 2013

#### Law Degree

Universidade Católica Portuguesa, Law School of Porto 2007 – 2011

## **ACCOMPLISHMENTS**

#### **Publications**

- 5 Books
- 50+ Articles and Book Chapters
- 20+ Reviews and Translations
- Awarded the Abreu Advogados Prize in 2019 for PhD thesis on the intersections between IP and unfair competition
- Cited numerous times by court cases and literature

#### **Academic Activities**

- Taught 40+ law courses since 2014 in undergraduate and master programs
- Participated in and led 100+ presentations and conferences
- Featured in 15+ newspapers/blogs
- Organized 15+ post-graduate programmes and conferences
- Advised 20+ master's theses, discussed 15+ master's theses, and currently has 5 supervisions in progress

\*Please visit my website <a href="www.nss.pt">www.nss.pt</a> for more detailed information on my publications, academic background, and professional accomplishments.