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Ambassador of Angola to Italy, Malta and Greece  
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## Academic Background

Degree in Biology - Faculty of Sciences, University of Lisbon

Researcher on Biocenological Studies of Fisheries in Angola, Fisheries Research Center

## Professional Background

**1978-1981** - Director of the Fisheries Research Center, Lobito;

**1981-1990** - Director of the Fisheries Research Center, Luanda;

**1989-1991** - Deputy Minister of Fisheries;

**1991-1997** - Minister of Fisheries;

**1997-2002** - Minister of Fisheries and Environment;

2003-2008 – Congresswomen;

2008-2017- Minister of the Environment;

2017-2019 – Congresswomen;

2019 – Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of Angola to the Italian Republic and Permanent Representative to the UN Agencies in Rome (FAO, IFAD and WFP).