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<b>Research interests and expertise</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Countries of expertise</b></li> </ul>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Urban regeneration policies</li> <li>2. Multi-level urban policies: local integration and governance structures</li> <li>3. Urban policies evaluation: assessment of urban programmes, initiatives and tools in order to design effective and responsive urban policies</li> </ol>
<b>Consultancy work</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Porto Inner Area Regeneration Strategy (Team leader) (funded by Porto Local Authority)</li> <li>2. The Appraisal of Urban Regeneration Capacities associated with various funding programmes of the 3<sup>rd</sup> Community Support Framework. (Team leader) (funded by Porto Local Authority and CCRN-Regional Development Office)</li> <li>3. Evaluation of the nature of different forms of Urban Deprivation on the Urban System of the Northern Region of Portugal (Team leader) (funded by CCRN-Regional Development Office)</li> <li>4. Strategic Urban Planning for medium-sized cities (Team leader) (funded by several Local Authorities)</li> </ol>
<b>Funded projects</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Project title/area of work</b></li> <li>• <b>Funding source</b></li> <li>• <b>Start/end dates</b></li> <li>• <b>Key partners</b></li> </ul>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Participatory Processes of Evaluation of Urban Plans and Projects (funded by FCT-National Science Research Foundation) (2005-2007), country covered: Portugal.</li> <li>2. Evaluation of Recent Urban Policies in Porto Metropolitan Area (funded by FEUP, University of Porto) (2005-2006)</li> </ol>

<p><b>Other projects</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Project title/area of work</b></li> <li>• <b>Start/end dates</b></li> <li>• <b>Key partners</b></li> </ul>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Partners for Action – Private Investment in Neighbourhood Regeneration – Community Initiative URBACT (external expert of Partner 8 – Porto Local Authority) (2004-2005)The University and the City: international universities as developers (Leadership: Lincoln Institute and the University of Illinois at Chicago) (2004-2005)</li> <li>2. Others:</li> <li>3. Urban Policies and Territorial Coalitions: a framework for new governance approaches in the north-western region of Portugal (funded by FEUP, University of Porto) (2002-2006) PhD thesis.</li> <li>4. Evaluation of inclusive urban regeneration policies (funded by FCT-National Science Research Foundation) (2003-2007) PhD thesis.</li> <li>5. Multi-level Urban Policies and Local Governance (funded by FCG-Calouste Gulbenkian Foundation and FEUP, University of Porto) (2005-2008) PhD thesis.</li> </ol>
<p><b>Languages</b></p>	<p>Written and Spoken English/French: intermediate</p>
<p><b>Key words</b></p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Specific research fields: metropolitan development, spatial planning, urban regeneration policies, urban governance</li> <li>2. Thematic priority areas: urban regeneration policies, urban governance, evaluation of urban policies</li> </ol> <p>Academy tasks:</p> <p>Professor of Urban Planning (Faculty of Engineering)</p> <p>Professor of Urban Policies (Master course of Urban Project and Planning, organized by the Faculties of Architecture and Engineering of the University of Porto)</p> <p>Director of the Division of Territorial Planning and Environment (Faculty of Engineering, University of Porto)</p>

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