

# **Europass Curriculum Vitae**

## Personal information

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**Nationality** Portuguese

Date of birth 2 February 1986

> Gender Male

Work experience

Dates December 2010

Occupation or position held R&D

Main activities and responsibilities Developing mechanisms for Artificial Selective Attention for personal mobile devices in the domain of

intelligent transportation systems.

Name and address of employer Foundation for Science and Technology (FCT)

(Portugal)

Type of business or sector Intelligent Systems, Artificial Intelligence

> September 2010 Dates

Secondary education teaching professional Occupation or position held

Main activities and responsibilities Teaching:

- Communication Networks;

- Computers Architecture.

Name and address of employer Escola Profissional da Lousã

(Portugal)

Type of business or sector Education

> Dates October 2009 - October 2010

Occupation or position held

Main activities and responsibilities

R&D

Name and address of employer CMS Group - University of Coimbra

(Portugal)

Type of business or sector Natural Language Processing

> Dates September 2009 - September 2010

Occupation or position held Researcher

Main activities and responsibilities Creating NLP algorithms to extract semantic knowledge from text.

Testing and integrating Google and Yahoo API for the semantic knowledge validation task. (MSc

Research integration scholarship (BIIC) in the Construction of a Portuguese Ontology (ONTO.PT

dissertation)

Name and address of employer CMS Group, University of Coimbra

(Portugal)

Type of business or sector Artificial Intelligence

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Dates | September 2009 – January 2010

Occupation or position held

R&D

Main activities and responsibilities

Research and development of automatic algorithms to extract semantic information from ideas and

documents (KDigg project).

Name and address of employer

CMS Group - University of Coimbra

(Portugal)

(Portugal)

Type of business or sector

Natural Language Processing

## **Education and training**

Dates

September 2009 - September 2010

Title of qualification awarded

Graduation in Informatics Engineering

Name and type of organisation providing education and training

University of Coimbra

Level in national or international

MSc (16 points out of 20)

classification

Dates

September 2004 - February 2010

Title of qualification awarded

Graduation in Informatics Engineering

Name and type of organisation providing education and training

University of Coimbra (Portugal)

Level in national or international classification

BSc (13 points out of 20)

Dates

2008 - 2009

Title of qualification awarded

Curso Cuatrimestral de Español para Extranjeras/os

Name and type of organisation providing education and training

University of Vigo (Spain)

Level in national or international

B1 - Spanish (14,7 points out of 20)

Personal skills and competences

Mother tongue(s)

classification

**Portuguese** 

Other language(s)

Self-assessment

European level (\*)

**English** 

Spanish / Castilian

Understanding				Speaking				Writing	
	Listening		Reading		Spoken interaction		Spoken production		
B2	Independent user	В1	Independent user	A2	Basic User	A2	Basic User	A2	Basic User
C2	Proficient user	C1	Proficient user	В2	Independent user	B2	Independent user	В2	Independent user

(\*) Common European Framework of Reference (CEF) level

Social skills and competences

Participated in Erasmus Program in the academic year of 2007/2008.

Organisational skills and competences

Sense of organisation (experience in logistics).

Good experience in projects collaboration.

Team spirit.

Good communication skills.

Computer skills and competences

Several programming languages, such as: Java, C, C#, ADA, Matlab, HTML, JavaScript, PHP, XML,

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among others.

Implementation of several projects based on database engines (such as

MySQL, PostgreSQL, SPARQL), among other projects during the academic path.

Developed NLP algorithms to extract and validate semantic information.

## Other skills and competences

## Academic:

- Solid knowledge in Natural Language Processing, specifically in Information Extraction and Information Retrieval.
  - Strong knowledge in JAVA and C# language.

Sports: Playing football and swimming.

Computers and devices: Currently exploring Android OS tools.

Driving licence(s)

Category: A1, A, B and B1.

## Additional information

TlelA submition: Costa, Hernani "Quantifying Relational Triples", Prémio Nacional de Trabalhos em Inteligência Artificial Nacional (TlelA 2010), Universidade do Minho, Portugal – October, 2010

MSc Thesis: Costa, Hernani: "Automatic Extraction and Validation of Lexical Ontologies from text", Coimbra, Portugal - September, 2010

Publication Article: Gonçalo Oliveira, Hugo and Costa, Hernani and Gomes, Paulo: "Extracção de conhecimento léxico-semâtico a partir de resumos da Wikipédia", Proc. INFORUM 2010 Workshop on Gestão e Tratamento de Informação (INFORUM'10), Braga, Portugal - September, 2010

Publication Article: Costa, Hernani and Gonçalo Oliveira, Hugo and Gomes, Paulo: "The Impact of Distributional Metrics in the Quality of Relational Triples", Proc. ECAI 2010, Workshop on Language Technology for Cultural Heritage, Social Sciences, and Humanities (LaTeCH'10),

Lisbon, Portugal - August, 2010

#### **Annexes**

## BSc marks:

- 13 Advanced Programming Laboratory
- 11 Communication Protocols
- 11 Compilers
- 14 Computer Graphics
- 10 Computer Technology
- 10 Computers Architecture
- 13 Data Analysis and Transformation
- 12 Data Structures and Algorithms
- 10 Databases

- 13 Discrete Structures
- 18 Distributed Systems
- 14 Information Systems
- 12 Information Theory
- 10 Introduction to Artificial Intelligence
- 15 Introduction to Communication Networks
- -- Introduction to Modern Physics
- 13 Introduction to Procedural Programming
- 15 Introduction to Programming and Problem Solving
- 13 Linear Algebra and Analytical Geometry
- 16 Management and Innovation Processes
- 15 Mathematical Analysis I
- 11 Mathematical Analysis II
- 11 Multimedia
- 11 Object-Oriented Programming
- 11 Operative Systems
- 13 Simulation and Scientific Computation
- 14 Software Engineering
- 10 Statistics
- 16 Technical Communication
- 11 Theory of Computation

Final Mark: 13 points out of 20

#### MSc marks:

- 14 Adaptive Computation
- 12 Business Management
- 16 High-performance Computing
- 12 Human-computer Interaction
- 18 Information Systems Quality
- 19 Internet Services Introduction
- 14 Multimedia Technologies
- 14 Natural Language
- 15 Organizational Behaviour, Knowledge and Innovation
- 16 Pattern Recognition Techniques
- 13 Real-Time Design Systems

15 Robotics15 Semantic Web

18 Dissertation

Final Mark: 16 points out of 20

**B1** Certificate

