

CURRICULUM VITAE

Personal information:

Name: **Pedro Manuel de Melo Pais de Vasconcelos**

Professional name: **Pedro Pais de Vasconcelos**

Birth place: **Mártires, Lisbon, Portugal**

Birth date: **March 1st, 1946**

Nationality: **portuguese**

Academic Curriculum

Graduated in Law in 1970 from Faculty of Law – University of Lisbon.

Masters in 1985 from Faculty of Law – University of Lisbon.

Assistant Professor (*Assistente*) at the Faculty of Law – University of Lisbon from 1977 to 1995.

Ph.D. in 1995 from Faculty of Law - University of Lisbon.

Professor of Law since 1995 at Faculty of Law - University of Lisbon.

Aggregate Professor (*Professor Agregado*) in 2006 at Faculty of Law - University of Lisbon

Chairman Professor (*Professor Catedrático*) since 2007 (all at the Faculty of Law - University of Lisbon). Chairman of the Scientific Council (*Presidente do Conselho Científico*) from February 2014 to February 2016.

Now Emeritus Professor fo the Faculty of Law of the University of Lisbon.

Teaches in the Faculty of Law – University of Lisbon since 1977. Has taught Civil Law, Commercial Law, Property Law, Inheritance Law and Private International Law, both as lecturer and as senior lecturer. Actually teaches Civil Law and Commercial Law.

As a Professor teaches the general course and also Masters, Ph.D. and other post-graduated studies in Civil Law, Commercial Law, Banking Law, Companies Law, Intellectual Property law and Bioethics Law.

Member of the *Roberto Schlessinger Association* and participant on the “*The Common Core of European Private Law*” on *Commercial Trust and Administration of Property* and on *Personality Rights in European Tort Law*.

Member of the *SECOLA - Society Of European Contract Law*.

Member of the Restatement Group – PEICL, Principles of European Insurance Contract Law.

Member of the Presidential Council of the *AIDA – International Association of Insurance Law* – and President of the Portuguese Chapter of AIDA.

Director of the “*DSR-Direito das Sociedades em Revista*”, a company law review.

Owner and Director of “*Revista de Direito Comercial*” (www.revistadedireitocomercial.com) a commercial law online review.

Former member of the *Conselho Superior do Ministério Público* (Superior Council of the Public Prosecution Office) between 1992 and 1996 and of the board of the *Conselho Geral do Centro de Estudos Judiciários* (General Council for the Centre for Judiciary Studies).

Practices law as lawyer - member of Portuguese Bar since 1972.

Extensive experience in arbitration, both as arbitrator and as attorney, either at the ICC - International Chamber of Commerce, or at Lisbon Chamber of Commerce, or *ad hoc*.

Author of several books and papers on various legal subjects mostly on Civil and Commercial Law.