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**I. EDUCATION BACKGROUND**

 • University of Colorado Denver, USA Public Policy/Affairs Ph.D. 2010

 Current Work: Society, Artificial Intelligence, Institutional Innovation, and Smarter Cities

• Inter-University Institute of Macau, China Project Management M.Sc. 1999

• New University of Lisbon, Portugal Economics B.Sc. 1995

• **Languages:** Portuguese (native), English (fluent), Spanish (fluent), French (basic).

• **Citizenship / Residency:** Citizen of Portugal, Permanent Resident of the United States.

**II. SUMMARY**

More than twenty years of entrepreneurial, management, academic, and leadership experience with applied multidisciplinary programs, teaching, research and consultancy carried out in the United States, Europe, Central Asia, Africa, the Middle East, and China.André Corrêa d'Almeida is [Adjunct Associate Professor](https://sipa.columbia.edu/faculty-research/faculty-directory/andr%C3%A9-corr%C3%AAa-dalmeida) of International and Public Affairs at Columbia University, where he is also[Assistant Director](https://sipa.columbia.edu/academics/programs/mpa-development-practice) of the Master of Public Administration in Development Practice program (MPA-DP) at the School of International and Public Affairs and the Earth Institute. At the MPA-DP he created the [Development Practice Lab](https://sipa.columbia.edu/news/new-mpa-dp-lab-enhances-learning-environments) for high-potential development practitioners.

He is the President and Founder of [ARCx–Applied Research for Change](https://arcxcenter.com/), where he created and leads a global network of scholars and practitioners to study and build innovation networks for urban systems and institutions. At ARCx he created the [Circular City Data Program](https://newlab.com/articles/public-showcase/) for New Lab and the NYC Economic Development Corporation and founded the Circular City Research Journal, founded the Smarter Portugal program for the Catholic University in Lisbon, and was Senior Advisor to the United Nations Development Program for program evaluation, among other major undertakings. Currently he is a Senior Advisor to the Global Futures Group, the New York Academy of Sciences, the Prime Minister of Kazakhstan, and the Brazilian National Council of Justice. He has his research published in several areas of Social Economics, Institutional Development and Circular City.

He is the editor and co-author of the books [*Smarter New York City: How City Agencies Innovate*](https://cup.columbia.edu/book/smarter-new-york-city/9780231183758) (Columbia University Press, 2018) and [*Reform of the Parliamentarian System in Portugal: Analyses and Tools for an Urgent Dialogue*](https://www.principia.pt/livro/reforma-do-sistema-parlamentar-em-portugal/) (Principia Editora, 2019). He has secured multiple grants and contracts to fund applied research and training programs in the fields of public-private partnerships and sustainable development. He holds a PhD from the University of Colorado Denver (United States), an MSc from the University of Saint Joseph (China), and a *Licenciatura* from the New University of Lisbon (Portugal). He received multiple research awards and is a regular contributor to [Apolitical](https://apolitical.co/en/solution_article/artificial-intelligence-in-government-machine-learning-data), the [Huffington Post](http://www.huffingtonpost.com/author/ac3133-904), [The Guardian](https://www.theguardian.com/global-development-professionals-network/2016/sep/13/the-fascinating-world-of-unconscious-bias-and-development-policy) and [Público](https://www.publico.pt/2019/09/29/politica/analise/propostas-partidos-reforma-lei-eleitoral-assembleia-republica-analise-comparada-programa-eleitorais-1888197?fbclid=IwAR1VSYTvfexn5m7hUuwWOt0aFQEloYok3FffC3hmGmy_0AStmiUS4wPHwRY).

**Key Start-ups, Labs, Research Programs, Initiatives, Partnerships and other Transformational Projects Created, Developed and/or Led**

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| **Period** | **Program/Initiative** | **Leadership Role** *(N = program/initiative size)* |
| 2019- | Smarter China: How Regions Innovate | New research program in partnership with 15 Chinese institutions to produce case studies on multi-city innovation in the Pearl River Delta. *N: in design phase.* |
| 2018- | [Circular City Research Program](https://newlab.com/articles/public-showcase/) | Created and leads a new research program on urban tech for New Lab and founded a new Circular City Research Journal. *N: 3 universities, 3 startups, multiple corporations and city agencies.* |
| 2018- | [Development Practice Incubator](https://sipa.columbia.edu/academics/degree-programs/mpa-development-practice/incubator) | Provides the tools necessary to transform ideas into realities. It accelerates the growth and success of students’ enterprises through an [array of professional and academic resources](https://sipa.columbia.edu/news/sipa-hosts-sdg-accelerator-workshop) and multi-sector perspectives. *N: 30 participants and 11 start-ups in four continents.* |
| 2017- | [ARCx Center](https://arcxcenter.com/) | Founder and President of the Applied Research for Change Center (ARCx) – Studying and Accelerating Innovation for Smarter Cities and Institutions. *N: programs in three continents* |
| 2016- | Smarter PTx Program | Created a smarter city research program for a cluster of cities in Portugal (Lisbon, Cascais, Fundão and Mafra), building upon the *Smarter New York City* research program. *N: 8 researchers* |
| 2015- | Kazakhstan Sustainable Development Program  | Designed an applied research and educational program for Kazakhstan. *N: not yet initiated*. |
| 2015-2018 | *Smarter NYC*itywide Research Group  | Created and led a research group from nine universities and 21 research centers to produce the Columbia University Press’ book *Smarter New York City: How City Agencies Innovate*. *N: 30 scholars.* |
| 2015-2018 | Espaço Diálogos  | Developed and led an Inter-political parties dialogue platform for the Portuguese Parliament, Lisbon (Portugal). *N: 13 Parliamentarians + 5 team members*. |
| 2014-2016 | Columbia University China Sustainability Program | Designed an applied research and educational program for sustainable cities in China. Supervised teams in NYC, Beijing, Shanghai and Hong-Kong (China). *N: 95 participants*. |
| 2012- | Columbia University [Development Practice Lab](https://sipa.columbia.edu/news/new-mpa-dp-lab-enhances-learning-environments) | Created, developed and leads a Lab in NYC for the advancement of program design, implementation and assessment in developing countries. *N: 500 participants.* |
| 2010- | [Master of Public Administration in Development Practice](https://sipa.columbia.edu/academics/programs/mpa-development-practice) | Developed and tripled the size of a two-year multidisciplinary applied Master program at Columbia University’s SIPA, NYC. Advices program expansion to 30+ countries. *N: 400 graduated alumni.* |
| 2011-2013 | Columbia University Institute for Sustainable Development Practice  | Designed five research and educational programs for the Middle East at the Columbia’s Global Center Amman (Jordan). Led the Executive Training Program with teams in NYC and Amman. *N: 500 participants.* |
| 2010-2014 | International Environment of Business Lab | Created and led an ideator for international business at Pratt Institute, NYC. *N: 185 participants.* |
| 2006-2010 | Highly Skilled Mozambicans | Created a platform of highly qualified Mozambicans living abroad to engage the diaspora with their home-country. *N: 1000 participants.* |
| 2005-2006 | The Rainforest Alliance U.S. | Designed and developed a fundraising and partnership platform in the European Union. *N: 5 people.*  |
| 2002-2005 | First Public Management Game in Portugal | Co-designed and implemented an educational program for young political leaders at the National Institute for Administration, Lisbon (Portugal). *N: 30 participants.* |
| 2002-2005 | National Immigration Observatory | Co-founded and developed the national research center for migration studies and immigrants’ entrepreneurship programs in Lisbon (Portugal). *N: 50 researchers.* |
| 2002-2004 | Sintra City Digital | Supervised the City Digital Lab, Sintra (Portugal). *N: multiple city agencies.* |
| 2001-2005 | Wireless Digital Campuses Project | Supervised a national partnership for wireless universities’ campuses Lisbon, Porto and Braga (Portugal). *N: 18 people.*  |
| 2001-2005 | EQUAL Social Lab  | Designed an applied research program for a labor employability model for the European Union Lisbon (Portugal). *N: 100 people.* |
| 2000-2003 | Doctors of the World and the Homelessness Community | Created and led a citywide partnership for development and corporate sponsorship in Lisbon (Portugal). *N: multiple public and private stakeholders across the city.* |
| 1999-2003 | World Organization of the Scout Movement | Designed, implemented and led a new European educational program for young adults, Lisbon (Portugal) and Geneva (Switzerland). *N: 3500 participants.* |
| 1997-2000 | GELMac | Designed, implemented and led a citywide educational Scouts program, Macau (China). *N: ~1000 participants to date.*  |
| 1996-2000 | Saint Joseph’s University | Co-designed and co-founded the first Catholic University in the Territory of Macau (China). *N: thousands of students to date.* |

**III. PROGRAM DEVELOPMENT**

***Columbia University (CU), New York, New York***

* *School of International and Public Affairs (SIPA)*

*Master of Public Administration in Development Practice (MPA-DP)*

**Assistant Director:** 2017 – present

**Program Manager:** 2010 - 2017

• Leads curriculum development and integration, academic advisory, pedagogical innovation, enhancement of learning environments, capstones, course assessment, program analytics, development of the case-study initiative, advisor for 30+ Development Practice degrees worldwide on curriculum design and integration. Tripled the size of the program.

• Created, designed, developed and supervises all main program management systems: strategic planning, finances, budgeting, marketing, communications and social media, resource mobilization, fundraising, students’ recruitment and selection, job placement, alumni and development of local and global partnerships. Under his leadership the program developed a wide range of supporting technological and collaborative platforms such as the Development Practice Incubator.

*- The Earth Institute (EI)*

*Center for Sustainable Development (CSD)*

**Program Director:** July 2011 - 2016

• As Director of Capacity Building Programs designed and led major sustainable development initiatives in China, Jordan, Egypt, Kazakhstan, New York City and Portugal. Advises and supports other CU Global Centers, such as Rio, Istanbul and Beijing, in program design and implementation in the fields of international education programs, institutional design, sustainable development and international cooperation. Special focus is paid to connecting executive training with applied research and business opportunities. Flagship programs include Columbia University’s Institute for Sustainable Development Practice (Jordan, Amman) and Columbia University’s China Sustainability Program (Beijing, China).

***Applied Research for Change Center (ARCx), Lisbon, Portugal***

**Founder and President:** 2015 - present

• Created, designed, implemented and leads the *Espaço Diálogos* - an Inter-political parties’ platform for the reform of the parliamentarian system in Portugal, with representatives from all political parties.

***Entrepreneur, New York, New York***

**Program Developer and Lead:** February 2009 – January 2012

• Consultant for European green-tech entrepreneurs (startups and SMEs) for business development and capital rising in the U.S., with a focus on designing investor relations, equity structure, negotiations, and conflict and resolution.

***Portuguese Immigration Observatory, Lisbon, Portugal***

**Co-Founder and Assistant-Director:** January 2002 - October 2005

• Designed a national network for immigrants’ entrepreneurship programs.
• Coordinator of the European Commission’s European Migration Network.
• Monitored and facilitated a national network of 27 researchers.

***Portuguese Public Administration Institute, Lisbon, Portugal***

**Program Director:** September 2002 - June 2005

• Co-authored the *1st Public Management Game* in Portugal.
• Consultant for a New Business Strategy for Cable Interactive TV in Portugal.
• Auditor for the Program FORDESQ of IEFP.
• Auditor on *Information and Communication Technologies* for the *Employment and Professional Training Institute of Portugal (IEFP).*

***School of Social Sciences, Catholic University of Portugal, Lisbon, Portugal***

**Program Director:** September 2001 - September 2005

• Designed the European Union model of social intervention EQUAL in *Alta de Lisboa*, Lisbon.

• Communication facilitator and internal auditor for the *Wireless Digital Campus Project*.

• Designer and implementer of the educational *Forum Estudante* for 50 thousand students.

• Developed a model for the program *Sintra Digital City*.

***Inter-University Institute of Macau, China***

**Co-Founder and Executive Director:** September 1996 - January 2000

• Management systems’ designer and developer, public relations, marketing and outreach, academic affairs, procurement, grant writing, and research development in an extremely tight project schedule. Coordinated action between the Portuguese and Chinese stakeholders and governments.

***Rainforest Alliance, New York, New York*****Consultant:** October 2005 - September 2006

• Developed the fundraising and partnership network with the European Commission, the 12 most relevant European Governments and European Foundations.
• Researched and developed a new model of recruiting and selection process worldwide.

• Participated in brainstorming sessions regarding a new monitoring and evaluation system.

***World Organization of the Scout Movement, Lisbon, Portugal and Geneva, Switzerland***

**Program Developer:** May 1992 - October 2005

• Instructed and monitored young adults’ program developers, Portugal (1992 - 2005).

• Co-authored the European Educational Program *RoverWay* for young adults (1999 - 2003).

• Designed and implemented new international mobility programs (1995 – 2003).

***Doctors of the World and Vida e Paz Homelessness Community Lisbon, Portugal***

**Consultant and Program Developer:** June 2000 - December 2003

• Developed a new organizational structure.

• Developed and implemented a corporate sponsorship program.

***Lusophone Boy Scouts Group (GELMac), Macau, China***

**Founder and Chief Scout:** November 1996 – November 1999

• Transformed youth programs in this Territory by introducing western methodologies currently still in place and adopted by local associations.

**IV. TEACHING**

***Columbia University (CU), New York, New York***

* *School of International and Public Affairs (SIPA)*

*Master of Public Administration in Development Practice (MPA-DP)*

**Adjunct Associate Professor:** Fall 2013 - present

**Adjunct Assistant Professor:** Spring 2012 – Summer 2013

• Course created for SIPA/MPA-DP: Development Practice Lab, or DP-Lab. DP-Lab’s hands-on client-based training for high priority knowledge skills and competencies in the fields of business and sustainable development. The DP-Lab is also an effort to integrate curricula across different disciplines offered by the program.

• Co-designed and delivered SIPA’s SDG Accelerator Workshop to provide the tools necessary to transform ideas into realities. It accelerates the growth and success of students’ enterprises through an array of professional and academic resources and multi-sector perspectives.

• Instructor in Executive Training programs on multiple topics such as sustainable development goals in practice and innovation in urban systems, including at the New York University’s Stern School of Business, Center for Sustainable Business.

* *Columbia School of Social Work (CSSW)*

*Social Intervention Group (SIG)*

• Invited to create the course “Global Refugee Response: Policy and Practice”. This course aims at (i) creating a Columbia University-wide graduate level learning opportunity in the field of refugee response with a focus on the Middle East and neighboring regions, (ii) Methodically deliver practical and multidisciplinary trainings for high priority skills in the field of refugee response, and (iii) contextualize practice within the broader political and institutional setting in which response occurs or needs to occur. (*course not yet implemented*)

*- The Earth Institute (EI)*

*Center for Sustainable Development (CSD)*

**Adjunct Associate Research Scholar:** March 2011 – June 2013

• Instructor for the course he created “Institutional Environment of Program Development”, offered to government officials and non-for-profit top executives in Amman, Jordan.

***Pratt Institute, New York, New York***

**Adjunct Visiting Professor:** Spring 2010 – Spring 2014

• Course created: Ideator for International Environment of Business Lab. This course examines the changing risk/reward context of the design manager in the multi-national and global environment of 21st Century business. It is designed to explore the competitive, economic, social, cultural, political, technological and environmental forces that are creating the shift in business paradigms from the local to the global, from profiteering to partnering, competitive to collaborative and from design to design management. Special attention is paid to the institutional setting and public policy in developing contexts.

***University of Saint Joseph, Macau, China***

**Adjunct Assistant Professor:** Fall 2010 - Fall 2011

• Course: Public Policy and Development. This course aims at providing students with multidisciplinary frameworks and tools towards a sustainable integration of economics and public policy principles, giving special attention to the institutional setting in developing contexts.

***Catholic University of Portugal, Lisbon, Portugal***

**Adjunct Assistant Professor:** September 2001 - September 2005

• School of Social Sciences: Courses on Project Management in Nonprofit Organizations; Local Development; Immigrations and Public Finance

• Law School: Executive Training course on International Legislation and Practice on Immigration.

***School of Economics and Management, Catholic University of Portugal, Lisbon, Portugal***

**Assistant Professor:** January 2000 - August 2001
• Designed and taught courses in *Finance, Project Management, and Decision Making Tools*.

**V. RESEARCH PROGRAMS**

***Applied Research for Change Center (ARCx), New York, New York***

**Founder and President:** 2015 - present

• Created, designed, implemented and leads (complete information available at [www.arcxcenter.com](http://www.arcxcenter.com)):

*- Circular City Research Program*: a new research program on urban tech for New Lab and a new research journal with the collaboration of multiple universities, startups, corporations and city agencies.

*- The Smarter NYC*itywide Research Group: a consortium of 30 scholars from nine universities and 21 research centers to produce the *Smarter New York City: How City Agencies Innovate book.*

*- Smarter PTx Program*: a smarter city research program for a cluster of cities in Portugal (Lisbon, Cascais, Fundão and Mafra), building upon the *Smarter New York City* research program.

*-* *Smarter China: How Regions Innovate*: New research program in partnership with 15 Chinese institutions to produce case studies on multi-city innovation in the Pearl River Delta. *(in design phase).*

***United Nations Development Program (UNDP), New York, New York***

**Senior Advisor for Program Evaluation:** July 2017 – December 2017

• Designed and led the UNDP Policy Review of Quality Standards for Programming Evaluation. This evaluation included the development of a stratified sample by UNDP bureaus of UNDP’s 3,541 development projects – globally and across the five UNDP regions. The pilot was conducted using the UNDP’s 25 largest projects and the final sample included 425 projects. Developed, piloted, and implemented a spot check rubric to review the sample projects to assess the credibility of the Project QA evidence. Developed and implemented user feedback surveys and an interview protocol to understand the experiences assessors and approvers have with the Project QA system and the overall process of gathering and submitting information relative to QA ratings. The data include collective input from 381 assessors or approvers (from both interviews and surveys).

***Columbia University (CU), New York, New York***

*- The Earth Institute (EI)*

*Center for Sustainable Development (CSD)*

**Adjunct Associate Research Scholar:** March 2011 – June 2013

• Researched and published multiple technical reports on sustainable development in China, Jordan, Egypt, Kazakhstan, New York City and Portugal.

*Vale Columbia Center on Sustainable International Investment (VCC)*

**Research Consultant:** March 2010 – November 2010

• Problem definition and program conceptualization, theoretical framing, program planning, implementation, monitoring and evaluation, international partnerships, institutional analysis, community participation, and networks development on the field. Country of special focus: Mozambique.

*Millennium Cities Initiative (MCI)*

**GIS Project Developer and Researcher:** June 2009 - August 2009

• Developed Geographic Information System (GIS) project and mapping for the cities of Kisumo (Kenya), Mekelle (Ethiopia), Kaduna and Akure (Nigeria), Kumasi (Ghana), Louga (Senegal), and Bamako-Segou (Mali).

***Portuguese Employment Observatory, Lisbon, Portugal***

**Researcher:** August 2003 - September 2005

• Authored the monthly national report on employment/unemployment (2003 - 2005).

***School of Public Affairs at University of Colorado Denver, Colorado***

**Researcher:** August 2006 - May 2008

• Collaborated with the Metro Denver Economic Development Corporation, the Denver Office of Economic Development, and the State of Colorado for the design and development of the STEM (science, technology, engineering, math) Asset Mapping and the Social Network Analysis for the Denver Region WIRED project.

**VI. BOOKS**

• Corrêa d’Almeida, A. (2019). (Ed). *Reform of the Parliamentary System in Portugal: Analyses and Tools for an Urgent Dialogue*. Principia, Lisboa.

• Corrêa d’Almeida, A. (2018). (Ed). *Smarter New York City: How City Agencies Innovate*. Columbia University Press, New York.

• Corrêa d'Almeida, A. (2001). *Tibet: Spirits of the Mountain*. Netnics, FNAC, Lisboa.

**VII. PUBLICATIONS IN SCIENTIFIC JOURNALS** (shortened web links included)

• Corrêa d’Almeida, A (2019). (Ed). Introduction to the Circular City Research Program. *The Circular City Research Journal,* 1, 7-13. Available at <https://rb.gy/rh0nyt>

• Corrêa d’Almeida, A. and Reis Mourão, P. (2017). The Irrelevance of Political Parties’ Differences for Public Finances: Evidence from Public Deficit and Debt in Portugal (1974 – 2012). European Review *25*(4), 560-587. Available at <https://goo.gl/HetptZ>

• Corrêa d’Almeida, A., and Bahar Otcu, G. (2013). The Portuguese Language in the United Nations: framing policy design. *International Journal of the Sociology of Language*, *2013*(224), 1-23. Available at shorturl.at/acguW

• Corrêa d’Almeida, A. (2009). Skilled Migrants’ Dynamics, Institutions, Innovation, and Diffusion: a conceptual and analytical framework to assess patterns of (re)integration. *Comparative Technology Transfer and Society,* 7(1), 1-18. Available at <https://bit.ly/2FCm52C>

• Corrêa d’Almeida, A., and Klingner, D. (2008). FEMA and the Witt Revolution: Testing the Hypothesis of “Bureaucratic Autonomy”. *Public Organization Review, 8*(4), 291-305. Available at <https://bit.ly/2WBouBd>

• Corrêa d'Almeida, A., and Duarte Silva, P. (2007). Impact of Immigration on Public Finance in Portugal: a longitudinal approach 2001-2003. *Observatory of Immigration 1* (2nd ed.), 189 pp. Available at <https://bit.ly/2uBtLNy>

• Carneiro, R., Corrêa d'Almeida, A., et al. (2006). Immigrants' Labor Mobility in Portugal. Direcção-Geral de Estudos Estatística e Planeamento (DGEEP), Cogitum 20, 200pp, Lisbon: Portugal.

• Carneiro, R., Corrêa d'Almeida, A., et al. (2005). An Evaluation of the National Employment Strategy 2000-2010. Direcção-Geral de Estudos Estatística e Planeamento/MTSS, Cogitum 16, 159pp, Lisbon: Portugal.

• Corrêa d'Almeida, A. (2003). Impact of Immigration on Public Finance in Portugal in 2001. *Observatory of Immigration 1*, 124 pp. Available at <https://bit.ly/2V76TRm>

**VIII. OTHER PUBLICATIONS, REPORTS AND TECHNICAL BRIEFS** (shortened web links included)

• Brehm K., Hirabayashi, M., Langevin, C., Munozcano, B., Sekizawa, K., and Zhu, J. (2020). The Future of AI in the Brazilian Judicial System: AI mapping, integration and governance. Supervised Columbia University Capstone project available at <https://shorturl.at/tzJP5>

• Corrêa d’Almeida, A., and António, N. (2014). The Political System in Portugal: People’s Demand versus Political Agendas - Political Reputation Can Be Fixed. Working Paper available at <https://bit.ly/2I1RBdd>

• Corrêa d’Almeida, A., and António, N. (2013). The Political System in Portugal: People’s Demand versus Political Parties’ Supply – A Contribution to Institutional Analysis and Development. Working Paper available at <https://bit.ly/2JRb42H>

• Corrêa d’Almeida, A. (2013). The Retention of Highly Skilled Returnees in Mozambique: an institutional approach. *The African Capacity Building Foundation*, Occasional Papers 20. Available at<http://goo.gl/3dJaaq> and <http://elibrary.acbfpact.org/>

• Baroang, K., and Corrêa d’Almeida, A. (2013). Egypt’s National Strategies for Sustainable Development and Adaptation to Climate Change. *Ministry of State for Environmental Affairs*, Government of Egypt.

• Corrêa d’Almeida, A. (2012). Advancing Executive Training on Sustainable Development Practice. *Ministry of Planning and International Cooperation*, Government of Jordan.

• Corrêa d’Almeida, A., and Garfield, R. (2011). A Case-Study Writing Methodology for the Master of Public Administration in Development Practice, Columbia University. Available at <https://bit.ly/2YDLzFx>

• Corrêa d'Almeida, A. (2008). Skilled Migrants’ Dynamics and Social Capital Innovation: A Conceptual and Analytical Framework to Assess Patterns of (re)Integration. *Poster presented at the Harvard Networks in Political Science Conference*. Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University, Cambridge: MA.

• Corrêa d'Almeida, A. (2007). Review on "Performance-Pay for Teachers" Literature. Colorado Department of Education, Denver: CO.

• Oliveira, C. and Corrêa d’Almeida, A. (2005). Immigrant’s Labor Accidents in Portugal. *Observatory of Immigration Working Papers*, Lisbon: Portugal.

• Corrêa d’Almeida, A. (2004). (Ed). O Impacto da Imigração nas Sociedades da Europa: o caso Português. Rede Europeia das Migrações. Brussels. Available at <https://bit.ly/2JNzWbw>

• Corrêa d'Almeida, A. (2003). International Benchmarking on Immigration Policy and Law. *ACIME Working Papers*, Lisbon.

• Corrêa d'Almeida, A. (1999). The Real Estate Market in Hong-Kong: an econometric price-modeling approach. Master Thesis. *Inter-University Institute of Macau*, China: Macau.

• Corrêa d'Almeida, A. (1998). Models of Multi-criteria Decision-Making. III Conference of Portuguese Speaking Economists, Volume III. *University of Macau*, China: Macau.

**IX. SELECTED CONFERENCES AND TALKS**

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| **Year** | **Location** | **Topic** |
| 2020 | Lisbon, Portugal | Talk on *Institutional Innovation and Cities* for the Planetiers World Gathering |
| 2020 | Rio Grande do Sul, Brazil | Talk on *The Future of Artificial Intelligence in the Brazilian Judicial System* for the Universidade Regional Integrada |
| 2019 | New York City, U.S. | Talk on Circular Data and Shared AI Developments for the United Nations Department of Operational Support |
| 2019 | Paris, France | High Level Expert Workshop on Managing the Transition to the Circular Economy, OECD |
| 2019 | New York City, U.S. | Double talk at the Smart Cities New York Conference on *Circular Data City* and *How Local Governments Innovate* |
| 2019 | New York City, U.S. | Talk on *Circular City Data* at NYU's Center for Urban Science+Progress (CUSP) |
| 2019 | New York City, U.S. | Book discussion on *Smarter New York City: How City Agencies Innovate* at the Harvard Club with the host Nermin Ahmad |
| 2019 | San Diego, U.S. | Keynote Speaker for the Smart Cities Council on *City Data for the Common Good*  |
| 2019 | New York City, U.S. | *Smarter New York City: How City Agencies Innovate* book discussion with Mayor Steve Benjamin hosted by former Mayor Michael Nutter at the Columbia University’s School of International an Public Affairs  |
| 2019 | New York City, U.S. | Public Showcase of the Circular City Program designed and implemented by ARCx for New Lab, plus launch of the Circular City Research Journal |
| 2018 | New York City, U.S. | Book signing at the International Conference on Sustainable Development, Columbia University |
| 2018 | New York City, U.S. | Book talk *Smarter New York City: How City Agencies Innovate* at NYU’s Center for Urban Science+Progress (CUSP) |
| 2018 | Barcelona, Spain | Book talk *How City Agencies Innovate* plus presentation of ARCx’s Circular City Data program for New Lab at the SCEWC 2018 |
| 2018 | New York City, U.S. | Book talk *Smarter New York City: How City Agencies Innovate* at the Brooklyn Navy Yard |
| 2018 | Columbus (OH), U.S. | Speaker on *Circular City Data* at the Smarter Regions Conference |
| 2018 | Lisbon, Portugal | Book talk *How City Agencies Innovate* pluspublic showcase of the Smarter PTx program at the Catholic University of Portugal |
| 2018 | Barcelona, Spain | Speaker at the Mastercard’s 2018 Forum |
| 2018 | New York City, U.S. | Speaker on *Data Sharing and Data Collaboratives* for the Public Good at New Lab hosted by The MacArthur Foundation. |
| 2018 | New York City, U.S. | Speaker on *How City Agencies Innovate: the case of New York City* at New Lab |
| 2018 | Porto, Portugal | Speaker on *Local Government, Innovation and SDGs* at Instituto Superior de Engenharia do Porto |
| 2018 | New York City, U.S. | Speaker at the *International Regulation for Global Mobility: migration and refugees* at Columbia University |
| 2018 | Tel Aviv, Israel | Book talk on *How City Agencies Innovate: the case of New York City* at Tel Aviv University |
| 2017 | New York City, U.S. | “Smarter NYC: The City as an Incubator for Innovation”, Smart Cities NYC’17 Conference |
| 2017 | Berkeley, U.S. | Speaker on *Development of curriculum for programs on sustainable development* at University of California, Berkeley. |
| 2016 | Penang, Malaysia | Speaker on *Applied research and skills-based curricula for sustainable development graduate programs* at the Global MDP Summit |
| 2015 | Chengdu, China | Speaker on *Universities as enablers of innovation, creativity and entrepreneurship* at the Global Summit of Entrepreneurial Universities |
| 2015 | Beijing, China | Talk on *Planning for sustainable cities* at Columbia University’s Global Center Beijing. |
| 2015 | New York City, U.S. | Mentor for *BigApps: inequality and ICT for development* by NYC MOTI |
| 2015 | Almaty, Kazakhstan | Talk on *The governance of national applied research centers for sustainable development* at Al-Farabi Kazakh National University |
| 2014 | Shenzhen, China | Talk on *Low Carbone Cities:* *From rhetoric to knowledge sharing, trust building and implementation* at the Low Carbon City Conference |
| 2013 | Amman, Jordan | Multiple lectures on *Trust building, local partnerships and poverty alleviation* Columbia University’s Global Center Amman |
| 2012 | Cairo, Egypt | Talk on *Design and implementation of a national applied research center for climate change* for representatives of Alexandria University |
| 2011 | Macau, China | Conference on *Migrations and development in sub-Saharan Africa* at Saint Joseph University |
| 2010 | Maputo, Mozambique | Talk on *Patterns of reintegration back home of highly skilled migrants* at the Catholic University |
| 2009 | Lisbon, Portugal | Portugal, migration and development |
| 2004 | Porto, Portugal | Talk on *Enlargement of the European Union and Migration Flows* at ACIME Summit |
| 2002 | Lisbon, Portugal | Paper talk: *The impact of immigration in national public accounting* at Concertação Social (CES) |
| 1997 | Macau, China | Talk on *Integration of multi-criteria decision models* at the III Conference of Portuguese Speaking Economists, University of Macau |

 **X. SELECTED RESEARCH PROJECTS SUPERVISED**

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| **Year** | **Research Projects** |
| 2020 | The Future of AI in the Brazilian Judicial System: AI mapping, integration and governance |
| 2019 | Early childhood education in Dominican Republic: teachers training and STEAM education |
| 2018 | Customizing Communication Training for Healthcare Providers: translating research into practice  |
| 2017 | Baseline/Endline Evaluation: NetHope Mobile Phone Program |
| 2017 | Improving Productivity for Smallholder Farmers in Kenya through Reform of Land Rights |
| 2016 | Domestic Workers in Romania: Demand, Demographics, Regulatory Framework, and Hiring Processes |
| 2016 | Mapping Renewable Energy Opportunities in East Africa |
| 2016 | Case study research and development: NYC Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) Remote Water Quality Monitoring Program |
| 2016 | Clean Energy Opportunities and Barriers in East Africa |
| 2015 | Case study research and development: NYC Department of Citywide Administrative Services (DCAS) Demand Response Program |
| 2015 | Big Data for Sustainable Development in Xuzhou: Challenges, Opportunities & Solutions |
| 2015 | Open Data for Sustainable Development: Modelling Social Vulnerability Index for Manhattan |
| 2015 | Mobile Banking Industry Analysis and New Tech Solutions |
| 2014 | Social Capital Credits (SoCCs) Final Evaluation Framework: Community Currencies How and Why? |
| 2014 | An Impact Assessment Model for Web-based Time Banks: A Thought-experiment in the Operationalization of Social Capital |
| 2012 | A Critique of the Gross National Happiness Index  |

**XI. SELECTED FIELD PROJECTS SUPERVISED**

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| **Year** | **Location** | **Field Projects** |
| 2020 | Lisbon, Portugal | AI Response to COVID-19 in Portugal |
| 2018 | New York City, U.S. | New Lab’s The Circular City Case Study |
| 2018 | New York City, U.S. | Circular City Data for Resilience and Sustainability |
| 2017 | Berlin, Germany | Strategy research and planning at Kiron Open Higher Education, a digital start-up that provides higher education access to refugees.  |
| 2017 | Berlin, Germany | Refugees, higher education and online learning through: an analysis of student needs, regulatory frameworks and Kiron's model.  |
| 2017 | Bogota, Colombia | International Development Innovation Network and M&E strategy |
| 2017 | Panama City, Panama | Food security and migration in the dry corridor of Central America  |
| 2017 | London, U.K. | Sustainable Soils and Grassland Systems (SSGS) |
| 2016 | NYC, U.S. | Open standards policy for the Internet of Things in New York City |
| 2016 | Guatemala City, Guatemala | M&E systems to measure youth empowerment and engagement programming with low-income youth |
| 2016 | Dar Es Salaam, Tanzania | Leadership development in poverty alleviation, governance, rights, health, nutrition, and climate change |
| 2016 | Delhi, India | Coding and data analytics for improved local and national governance |
| 2016 | Kitgum, Uganda | Assessment of private sector partnership models and their impact on farmer incomes and wellbeing |
| 2016 | Amman, Jordan | Youth attitudes toward peacebuilding, violent conflict, and social media as a means for social change |
| 2016 | Sao Paolo and Para, Brazil | Process documentation and evaluation during international design summit with Amazon communities |
| 2016 | Nairobi, Kenya | Curriculum design for young micro-entrepreneurs and build a three-year operational plan for country-wide scale-up |
| 2016 | Geneva, Switzerland | Fishing, shipping, ports and transport industries for the sectorial policies department |
| 2016 | Dar Es Salaam, Tanzania | Nutrition-sensitive and -specific programming on the federal level, stakeholder and nutrition action mapping exercise |
| 2015 | Bogota, Colombia | IDDS M&E Fellowship |
| 2015 | Bogota, Colombia | Social Enterprise Incubation with Cultivando Futuro |
| 2015 | Bogota, Colombia | Social Enterprise Incubation with SokoText |
| 2015 | Cartagena, Colombia | Contextualizing Global CSR Protocols |
| 2014 | Bahia Malaga, Colombia | Business Development: Ecomanglar |
| 2014 | Bogota / Cartagena / Medellin, Colombia | Terranga Pilot Project |
| 2014 | Bogota, Colombia | Mapping the support ecosystem for social entrepreneurship in Colombia |
| 2014 | Bogota, Colombia | Time Banking Minkay Social Capital M&E |
| 2014 | Bogota, Colombia | Scaling an agriculture social business |
| 2014 | Cartagena, Colombia | Small Business Development |
| 2013 | Amman, Jordan | Refugee and Family Health |
| 2013 | Amman, Jordan | Human Rights and Socio-Economic Challenges in Jordan: Welfare of Refugees and Youth |
| 2013 | Millange-Muguliua, Mozambique | Baseline survey for the development of a new Millennium Village-type project |
| 2013 | Maputo, Mozambique | Mapping the implementation of nutrition interventions in Mozambique |
| 2012 | Potou, Senegal | Evaluating the Personal Hygiene and Sanitation Education (PHASE) Program |
| 2012 | Amapá, Brazil | Reducing Chagas disease transmission |
| 2012 | Macapá, Brazil | Assessing the Potential for Commercialization of Andiroba Oil |
| 2012 | Macapá, Brazil | Increasing sustainability in the wood business in the Amazon |
| 2011 | Dhaka, Bangladesh | Using technology to deliver health services in urban slums in Dhaka and working with social enterprises |
| 2011 | Dhaka, Bangladesh | Identifying Restoring Livelihood Programs |

**XII. BOARDS**

• Global Futures Group: Senior Advisor

• Turf Advisory: Senior Advisor

**XIII. RESEARCH AWARDS AND HONORS**

• 2012: Reviewer for the International Review of Administrative Sciences.

• 2009: Golden Key International.

• 2009: Phi Beta Kappa.

• 2008: Scholarship Award for the Doctoral Institute at the Center for International Business Education and Research (CIBER) presented by the George Washington University.

• 2008: Phi Alpha Alpha.

• 2007: Carnegie Mellon’s program on Computational Analysis of Social and Organizational Systems.
• 2006: Outstanding Graduate Creative Activity Award presented by the University of Colorado at Denver.
• 2006: Scholarship Award presented by the Portuguese Foundation for Science and Technology.

**XIV: OTHER INTERESTS**

• Member of the New-York Singers/Songwriters Circle.

• Photographic documentaries on *Children and Culture*: Tibet, China, Chile, Malaysia, Hong Kong, Macao, The Philippines, Vietnam, South Africa, Mozambique, Sri-Lanka, Nepal, and Brazil.