



Rui Barros

Data Journalist

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Aspiring journalist with special interest in numbers, programming and stories.
To the possible lack of experience adds the will of making more and better.
Director of the academic newspaper ComUM Online.

Grade
(0 to 20 scale)

Education

2015–present	Master in Communication - Major in Information and Journalism University of Minho, Braga	18,37
2012–2015	Degree in Communication University of Minho, Braga	17,02

Acquired skills:

- Informative text writing for web, radio, tv and printed media.
- Video, sound and image edition.
- Quantitative Social Science Research methods.

Experience

2016	Public Relations in Communication Department of AIMinho - Industrial Association Minho's Industrial Association, Braga Acquired skills: • Definition and coordination of the Association's communication plan. • Event planning and organization.
2016	Director of ComUM Online University of Minho, Braga • Coordination of the Editorial Team. • Institutional representation of the Newspaper at the University.

Personal skills

Native Language Portuguese

Other Languages
English

UNDERSTANDING		SPEAKING		WRITING
Listening	Reading	Spoken interaction	Spoken production	
B2	B2	B2	B2	B2
Cambridge ESOL Level 1 Certificate in ESOL International – First Certificate in English – B2 Cambridge ESOL Entry Level Certificate in ESOL International (Entry 3) – Preliminary English Test – B1 Trinity College London – Graded Examination in Spoken English – B1.2				

Personal Skills

Communication Skills Given the nature of my degree, communication skills were widely developed.

Organisational / managerial skills During my academic experience, I've been involved in a few extracurricular activities that gave me some organisational skills:

- Coordinator of the Project's Department in the Communication Student's Association (GACCUM)
- Collaboration in the organization of the "II Iberian-American Communication Congress".
- Collaboration in the organization of the "Internacional Conference Net Station".
- Founder of the high school newspaper "Outras Cores".

Technical Skills • Power User of the following Adobe's Creative Cloud products:

- Adobe Photoshop
- Adobe Lightroom
- Adobe Dreamweaver
- Adobe Muse
- Adobe Audition
- Adobe Premiere Pro
- Adobe Illustrator
- Adobe InDesign

- Good command of the IBM SPSS Statistics software for Social Science's Research.
- Expertise in the Social Network Analysis.
- Basic competences in HTML, CSS, and D3.js.
- Understanding of the CMS Wordpress.org as user or as webmaster.
- Power User of Apple OS X (now macOS).

Additional Information

Publications I'm the author of a poetry book entitled "Asterisco" with the following ISBN: 978 989-8400-19-2

Additional Formation Massive Open Online Course by Knight Center: "Basic Techniques in Data Journalism"

Massive Open Online Course by Knight Center: "Data Visualization and Infographics with D3".

Distinctions and Awards

- Won the Obciber prize for academic journalism with the multimedia longform story "Por onde Já não Navegamos".
- University's Excellence Scholarship for being the best Communication student during the 3 years of my degree.