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Research Interests

Angola; Mozambique; Atlantic; Politics; Activism; Memory; Heritage; Environment; Landscape; Climate Crisis; Extractivism.

Academic Qualifications

University/Institution	Type	Degree	Period
Universidade de Lisboa Instituto de Ciências Sociais	PhD	Antropologia	2007
ISCTE-Instituto Universitário de Lisboa	Licenciate	Antropologia	2001

Teaching Activities

Teaching Year	Sem.	Course Name	Degree(s)	Coord.
2024/2025	2º	Anthropological Theory: Categorization E Classification	Master Degree in Anthropology;	Yes
2024/2025	1º	Anthropology and Development	Master Degree in Development Studies;	Yes
2024/2025	1º	Anthropological Theory	Doctorate Degree (PhD) in Anthropology (FCSH);	Yes
2023/2024	2º	Contemporary Anthropology	Doctorate Degree (PhD) in Anthropology;	No
2022/2023	1º	Methods in Anthropology: Research in Intangible Cultural Heritage	Doctorate Degree (PhD) in Anthropology; Politics and Displays of Culture and Museology;	No

Supervisions

• Ph.D. Thesis

- Ongoing

	Student Name	Title/Topic	Language	Status	Institution
1	Felipe Campos Mardones	Environmentalities in transition, an approach to the infrastructures of green governance. The case of wind and natural parks in rural socio-ecosystems of Tarifa, Andalucía.	Spanish/Castilian	Developing	ISCTE-IUL
2	Ana Carolina Rodrigues	Livelihood and Statedness: A Study of Displacements in Central Mozambique	Portuguese	Developing	University of Gothenburg, School of Global Studies
3	Redner Quiroz	Identities, Discourses and Mobilizations around Sacrifice Territories in Cochabamba, Bolivia	Spanish/Castilian	Developing	Universidad Mayor San Simón
4	Proshant Chakraborty	Infrastructural Care, Labour, Affect, and Posthuman Entanglements in Mumbai's Urban Transport Networks	English	Developing	University of Gothenburg, School of Global Studies
5	Cláudio dos Anjos Ramos Fortuna	Precariedade, Identidade e Resistência no território de Luanda: Um estudo de caso do bairro Rocha Pinto.	Portuguese	Developing	ISCTE-IUL
6	Vicky Alejandra Saravia	Neo-extractivism, environment and inequality in Latin America	Portuguese	Developing	Universidad Mayor San Simón

• M.Sc. Dissertations

- Ongoing

	Student Name	Title/Topic	Language	Status	Institution
1	Joana Andreia Madeira Caetano	Carrying out ethnographic work with the gypsy community in the Pedreiras neighborhood. With the perspective of understanding the social and cultural relations caused by constructing a wall of separation between the neighborhood and the outside context.	--	Developing	ISCTE-IUL
2	Joana Caetano	Between Walls - The Pedreiras Neighborhood	Portuguese	Developing	ISCTE-IUL

Total Citations

Web of Science®	201
Scopus	258

Publications

• Scientific Journals

- Scientific journal paper

1	Llera Blanes, R. (2024). Processos revolucionários em discurso: Descentralizando e desconstruindo os impactos do 25 de Abril em Angola. <i>Etnográfica</i> . especial, 261-269
2	Blanes, Ruy Llera, Gonçalves, Euclides & Rodrigues, Ana Carolina (2023). The Multiple Paths of Extraction, Dispossession, and Conflict in Mozambique: From Tete's Coal Mines to Cabo Delgado's LNG Projects. <i>The Journal of Social Encounters</i> . 7 (1), 4-25
3	Blanes, Ruy Llera (2023). Fatal architectures and death by design: The infrastructures of state-sponsored climate disasters in Angola and Mozambique. <i>Review of African Political Economy</i> . N/A
4	Blanes, Ruy Llera & Samussuku, Hitler (2022). Afro-Autarky. Onjangos and Utopias of Contemporary Angolan Activism. <i>Critical Times</i> . 5 (2), 475-494 - Times Cited Scopus: 2
5	Blanes, Ruy Llera, Cardoso, Carolina Valente, Bahu, Helder Alicerces & Fortuna, Cláudio (2022). Drought Terroirs. Debating anthropological territorialities in the study of climate change and environmental disasters. <i>kritisk Etnografi: Swedish Journal of Anthropology</i> . 5 (2), 119-136
6	Singleton, Benedict, Gillette, Maris Boyd, Burman, Anders & Blanes, Ruy Llera (2022). Uncomfortable Knowledge: Toward a Pedagogy of Reflexivity. <i>Teaching Anthropology</i> . 11 (2), 73-85

7	Bjørn Enge Bertelsen & Blanes, Ruy Llera (2022). Cracks in the System and Anthropology. <i>Social Anthropology</i> . 30 (1), 140-147 - Times Cited Web of Science®: 1 - Times Cited Scopus: 3
8	Blanes, Ruy Llera & Bjørn Enge Bertelsen (2021). Utopian confluences: anthropological mappings of generative politics. <i>Social Anthropology</i> . 29 (1), 5-17 - Times Cited Web of Science®: 7 - Times Cited Scopus: 13
9	Leonardsson, Hanna, Kronsell, Annica, Andersson, Erik, Burman, Anders, Blanes, Ruy Llera, Da Costa, Karen...Öjendal, Joakim (2021). Achieving peaceful climate change adaptation through transformative governance. <i>World Development</i> . 147, 105656 - Times Cited Web of Science®: 10 - Times Cited Scopus: 10
10	Blanes, Ruy Llera (2021). The optimistic utopia: sacrifice and expectations of political transformation in the Angolan Revolutionary Movement. <i>Social Anthropology</i> . 29 (1), 123-140 - Times Cited Web of Science®: 1 - Times Cited Scopus: 4
11	Blanes, Ruy Llera & Zawiejska, Natalia (2020). The Pentecostal Antirevolution: Reflections from Angola. <i>Journal of Religion in Africa</i> . 49 (1), 34-58 - Times Cited Web of Science®: 2 - Times Cited Scopus: 4
12	Blanes, Ruy Llera (2019). The good and the bad of the same: On the political value of historical repetition in Angola. <i>History and Anthropology</i> . 30 (2), 212-225 - Times Cited Web of Science®: 4 - Times Cited Scopus: 2
13	Blanes, Ruy Llera (2019). Austerity en route, from Lisbon to Luanda. <i>Focaal: Journal of Global and Historical Anthropology</i> . 2019 (83), 37-50 - Times Cited Web of Science®: 7 - Times Cited Scopus: 12
14	Blanes, Ruy Llera (2017). A Febre do Arquivo. O Efeito Benjamin e as Revoluções Angolanas. <i>Práticas da História</i> . 3, 71-92
15	Maïté Maskens & Blanes, Ruy Llera (2016). Introduction: Ethnography and the Mutualizing Utopia. <i>Journal of the Anthropological Society of Oxford</i> . 8 (2), 125-142
16	Blanes, Ruy Llera, Alex Flynn, Maïté Maskens & Jonas Tinus (2016). Micro-utopias: anthropological perspectives on art, relationality, and creativity. <i>Cadernos de Arte e Antropologia</i> . 5 (1), 5-20
17	Blanes, R. L. & Paxé, A. (2015). Nostalgies impérialisées: Mémoires plurielles et contestations politiques en Angola du Nord. <i>Terrain</i> . 65, 94-113 - Times Cited Scopus: 1
18	Blanes, R. L. & Paxé, A. (2015). Atheist political cultures in independent Angola. <i>Social Analysis</i> . 59 (2), 62-80 - Times Cited Web of Science®: 16 - Times Cited Scopus: 16

19	Blanes, Ruy Llera & Galina Oustinova-Stjepanovic (2015). Godless People, Doubt, and Atheism. <i>Social Analysis</i> . 59 (2), 1-19 - Times Cited Web of Science®: 21 - Times Cited Scopus: 15
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21	Blanes, Ruy Llera & Sarró, Ramon (2015). Geração, presença e memória: a Igreja Tocoísta em Angola. <i>Etnografica</i> . 19 (1), 169-187 - Times Cited Scopus: 1
22	Blanes, Ruy Llera (2015). The Angolan Apocalypse. Prophecies, Imaginaries and Political Contestations in Post-War Angola. <i>Social Sciences and Missions</i> . 28 (3-4), 217-234 - Times Cited Web of Science®: 7 - Times Cited Scopus: 7
23	Blanes, Ruy Llera (2014). Time for Self-Sacrifice: Temporal Narratives, Politics and Ideals in African Prophetism. <i>Ethnos</i> . 406-429 - Times Cited Web of Science®: 5 - Times Cited Scopus: 6
24	Blanes, Ruy Llera (2013). Da confusão à ironia. Expectativas e legados da PIDE em Angola. <i>Analise Social</i> . 48 (206), 30-55 - Times Cited Scopus: 3
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26	Blanes, Ruy Llera (2012). Moral circumscriptions: involuntary mobility, diaspora and ideological configurations in the Angolan Tokoist church. <i>Canadian Journal of African Studies</i> . 46 (3), 367-380
27	Blanes, Ruy Llera (2012). O Tempo dos inimigos. Reflexões sobre uma antropologia da repressão no século XXI. <i>Horizontes Antropológicos</i> . 17 (37), 261-284 - Times Cited Scopus: 4
28	Blanes, Ruy Llera (2011). Double Presence: Proselytism and Belonging in an Angolan Prophetic Church's Diaspora in Europe. <i>Journal of Religion in Europe</i> . 4 (3), 409-428 - Times Cited Web of Science®: 7 - Times Cited Scopus: 7
29	Blanes, Ruy Llera (2011). Unstable Biographies. The Ethnography of Memory and Historicity in an Angolan Prophetic Movement. <i>History and Anthropology</i> . 22 (1), 93-119 - Times Cited Web of Science®: 18 - Times Cited Scopus: 16
30	Sarró, Ramon & Blanes, Ruy Llera (2009). Apresentação. <i>Análise Social</i> . XLIV (1), 5-13
31	Blanes, Ruy Llera (2009). O que é que se passa no tabernáculo? Oração e espacialização na igreja tokoista angolana. <i>Religião & Sociedade</i> . 29 (2), 116-133

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33	Blanes, Ruy Llera (2009). O Messias Entretanto Já Chegou. Relendo Balandier e o Profetismo Africano na Pós-Colónia. <i>CAMPOS: Revista de Antropologia Social</i> . 10 (2), 9-23
34	Sarró, Ramon & Blanes, Ruy Llera (2009). Prophetic Diasporas: Moving Religion across the Lusophone Atlantic. <i>African Diaspora</i> . 2 (1), 52-72 - Times Cited Web of Science®: 33 - Times Cited Scopus: 35
35	Sarró, Ramon & Blanes, Ruy Llera (2008). European Christianities at the turn of the millennium: an introduction. <i>Etnografica</i> . 12 (2), 371-376 - Times Cited Scopus: 5
36	Blanes, Ruy Llera (2008). Satan, agent musical : Le pouvoir ambivalent de la musique chez les Tsiganes évangéliques de la péninsule Ibérique. <i>Terrain</i> . 50, 82-99
37	Sarró, Ramon, Blanes, Ruy Llera & Viegas, Fátima (2008). La guerre dans la paix. Ethnicité et angolanité dans l'Église kimbanguiste de Luanda. <i>Politique africaine</i> . 110 (2), 84-84
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39	Blanes, Ruy Llera (2007). Why Africans do what they do. Arguments, discussions and religious transmission in Angolan Pentecostal churches in Lisbon. <i>Quaderns de l'Institut Català d'Antropologia</i> . 23 (1), 123-137
40	Blanes, Ruy Llera (2007). Contacto, conhecimento e conflito: dinâmicas cultuais e sociais num movimento evangélico cigano na Península Ibérica. <i>Etnografica</i> . 11 (1), 29-54
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- Book author

1	Blanes, Ruy Llera (2023). <i>A Revolução Angolana no Século XXI. A dissidência política na Angola do pósguerra</i> . Lisboa. Tinta da China.
2	Annelin Eriksen, Blanes, Ruy Llera & MacCarthy, Michelle (2019). <i>Going to Pentecost. An Experimental Approach to Ethnographies of Pentecostalism</i> . Oxford. Berghahn Books.
3	Blanes, Ruy Llera (2018). <i>Uma Trajetória Profética. Ideologias de Tempo, Lugar e Pertença num Movimento Cristão Angolano</i> . Luanda. Mulemba Waxa Ngola.
4	Blanes, Ruy Llera (2014). <i>A Prophetic Trajectory: Ideologies of Place, Time and Belonging in an Angolan Religious Movement</i> . Berghahn. - Times Cited Scopus: 26

5	Blanes, Ruy Llera (2008). Os Aleluias. Ciganos Evangélicos e Música. Lisboa. Imprensa de Ciências Sociais.
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- Book editor

1	Balkenhol, Markus, Blanes, Ruy Llera & Sarró, Ramon (2019). Atlantic Perspectives. Places, Spirits, Heritage. Oxford & Nova Iorque. Berghahn Books.
2	Maïté Maskens & Blanes, Ruy Llera (2018). Utopian Encounters. Anthropologies of Empirical Utopias. Oxford. Peter Lang.
3	Rio, Knut, MacCarthy, Michelle & Blanes, Ruy Llera (2018). Pentecostalism and Witchcraft. Spiritual Warfare in Melanesia and Africa. New York. Palgrave Macmillan.
4	Blanes, Ruy Llera & Oustinova-Stjepanovic, Galina (2017). Being Godless: Ethnographies of Atheism and Non-Religion. Oxford & Nova Iorque. Berghahn Books. - Times Cited Scopus: 9
5	Mapril, José, Blanes, Ruy Llera, Giumbelli, Emerson & Wilson, Erin K. (2017). Secularisms in a Postsecular Age? Secularities and Subjectivities in Comparative Perspective. New York. Palgrave Macmillan. - Times Cited Scopus: 15
6	Blanes, Ruy Llera & Espírito Santo, Diana (2013). The Social Life of Spirits. Chicago. University of Chicago Press.
7	Blanes, Ruy Llera & José Mapril (2013). Sites and Politics of Religious Diversity in Southern Europe. Leiden & Boston. Brill Academic Publishers. - Times Cited Web of Science®: 6
8	Blanes, Ruy Llera & Anna Fedele (2011). Encounters of Body and Soul in Contemporary Religious Practices: Anthropological Reflections. Oxford & Nova Iorque. Berghahn.
9	Blanes, Ruy Llera, Cantón Delgado, Manuela & Cornejo Valle, Mónica (2008). Teorías y Prácticas Emergentes en la Antropología de la Religión. Donostia. Ankulegi.
10	Blanes, Ruy Llera, Carmo, Renato do & Melo, Daniel (2008). A Globalização no Divã. Lisboa. Tinta da China.

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1	Blanes, R. (2023). Recentring the necropolitics of covid-19: A perspective from Angola. In Federica Duca, Sarah Meny-Gibert (Ed.), State-society relations around the world through the lens of the covid-19 pandemic: Rapid test. (pp. 33-51). London: Routledge.
2	Blanes, Ruy Llera (2021). Phantom power, parallax, and the multiple cities of Luanda: Manifestation and materialization in Angola. In Diana Espírito Santo and Jack Hunter (Ed.), Mattering the invisible: Technologies, bodies, and the realm of the spectral. (pp. 222-242). New York: Berghahn Books.
3	Blanes, Ruy Llera (2019). Places of No History in Angola. In Markus Balkenhol, Ruy Llera Blanes, and Ramon Sarró (Ed.), Atlantic perspectives: Places, spirits and heritage. (pp. 215-232). Oxford: Berghahn Books. - Times Cited Scopus: 2

4	Blanes, Ruy Llera (2019). Scaffolding heritage. Transient architectures and temporalizing formations in Luanda. In Meyer, Birgit and van de Port, Mattijs (Ed.), <i>Sense and essence: Heritage and the cultural production of the real.</i> (pp. 158-181). Oxford: Berghahn Books.
5	Blanes, R. & Mapril, J. (2018). Austerity in Portugal: The 'middle-classification' of the public space, migration, and the silences of history. In Theodoros Rakopoulos (Ed.), <i>The global life of austerity: Comparing beyond Europe.</i> Oxford: Berghahn Books.
6	Blanes, R. (2017). Past Utopias: Religious and Political Temporalities in Contemporary Angola. In <i>Utopian Encounters. Anthropologies of Empirical Utopias.</i> (pp. 29-56). Oxford: Peter Lang.
7	Blanes, R. (2017). The Ndoki Index. Sorcery, Economy and Invisible Operations in the Angolan Urban Sphere. In <i>Pentecostalism and Witchcraft. Spiritual Warfare in Melanesia and Africa.</i> (pp. 93-114). New York: Palgrave Macmillan.
8	Blanes, R. (2017). Mutuality, resistance and egalitarianism in a late colonial Bakongo Christian movement. In <i>Essays in anarchism and religion.</i> (pp. 51-77). Stockholm: Stockholm University Press.
9	Blanes, Ruy Llera (2016). Biografias Proféticas. In <i>Quem Faz a História. Ensaios sobre o Portugal Contemporâneo.</i> (pp. 41-48). Lisboa: Tinta da China.
10	Blanes, Ruy Llera & Maïté Maskens (2016). Introduction. <i>Utopian Encounters: Anthropologies of Empirical Utopias.</i> In Maïté Maskens & Ruy Llera Blanes (Ed.), <i>Utopian Encounters: Anthropologies of Empirical Utopias.</i> (pp. ix-xxxvii). Oxford: Peter Lang.
11	Blanes, Ruy Llera (2015). Politics of Sovereignty: Evangelical and Pentecostal Christianity and Politics in Angola. In Coleman, Simon and Hackett, Rosalind (Ed.), <i>The Anthropology of Global Pentecostalism and Evangelicalism.</i> (pp. 197-213). New York: NYU Press.
12	Blanes, Ruy Llera (2015). Assessing State and Religious Institutions: A Comment from the Case of Angola. In Herrington, Luke and McKay, Alasdair and Haynes, Jeffrey (Ed.), <i>Nations Under God. The Geopolitics of Faith in the Twenty-First Century.</i> Bristol: e-International Relations Publishing.
13	Blanes, Ruy Llera (2014). The Possessed Body. <i>Anthropologies of Corporeality in Religious Contexts.</i> In Alexander Darius Ornella, Stefanie Knauss, Anna-Katharina Höpflinger (Ed.), <i>Commun(icat)ing Bodies. Body as a Medium in Religious Symbol Systems.</i> (pp. 235-255). Baden Baden & Zurich: Pano Verlag & Nomos.
14	Blanes, Ruy Llera (2013). Extraordinary Times. Charismatic Repertoires in Contemporary African Prophetism. In Lindholm, Charles (Ed.), <i>The Anthropology of Religious Charisma. Ecstasies and Institutions.</i> (pp. 147-168).: Palgrave Macmillan.
15	Espírito Santo, Diana & Blanes, Ruy Llera (2013). Introduction: On the Agency of Intangibles. In <i>The Social Life of Spirits.</i> (pp. 1-32). Chicago: University of Chicago Press.
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22	Blanes, Ruy Llera (2008). Um Cemitério Chamado Europa: Cristianismo, Consciência global e Identidades Migratórias. In Renato do Carmo, Daniel Melo & Ruy Llera Blanes (Ed.), A Globalização no Divã. (pp. 317-334). Lisboa: Tinta da China.
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- Non-peer-reviewed papers

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4	Blanes, Ruy Llera, Silva, Luís, Pusceddu, A.M., Freire, Francisco, Lima, Antónia & Mendes, Paulo (2023). Mapas confusos: notas sobre as novas territorialidades energéticas em Portugal e na Europa. Etnografica Agora Blog.
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• Conferences/Workshops and Talks

- Talk

1	Blanes, Ruy Llera (2023). On the Democracy of Buildings. Thoughts on Urban Architecture and PoliScal Struggles Through the Case of the Prédio da Lagoa in Luanda. Urban Trajectories: Comparing Integration, Enclaving and Development in Africa and China.
2	Blanes, Ruy Llera (2023). Forensic Heritage. Uma reflexão sobre processos de patrimonialização/memorialização da violência, a partir de Angola. II Seminário de Património Cultural.

3	Blanes, Ruy Llera & Rodrigues, Ana Carolina (2023). Locating Conflict in New Extractivist Developments in Mozambique. AFREXTRACT Conference: Lived Experiences of Environmental Change in African Localities of Resource Extraction.
4	Blanes, Ruy Llera (2023). Movimentos camponeses, desafios industriais e in/justiça: o caso da UNAC no Norte de Moçambique. In/justiças: II encontro de ecologia política.
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Research Projects

Project Title	Role in Project	Partners	Period
Na Mouraria: Heritage-making, (in)securities and urban imaginaries in Lisbon's historic centre	Researcher	CRIA-Iscte	2023 - 2024
2023	Emerging Energo-Geographies and Political Mobilizations in the framework of the Green Transition: An Anthropological Approach	Global Coordinator	CRIA-Iscte - Leader, Instituto Superior de Ciências de Educação da Huila - (Angola), Kaleidoscópio - (Mozambique)
2023 - 2026	2023	Landscapes of Terror, Violence and Forensic Heritages in the Postcolonial Lusophone space	Global Coordinator

CRIA-Iscte	2023	2023	Energy Activisms at the Crossroads of Environmental Disasters and Un/sustainable Development in the Global South
Principal Researcher	CRIA-Iscte - Leader	2022 - 2028	2022

Academic Management Positions

Sub-diretor (2024 - 2027)

Unit/Area: Centro em Rede de Investigação em Antropologia, pólo do ISCTE-IUL (CRIA-IUL)

Organization/Coordination of Events

Type of Organization/Coordination	Event Title	Organizer	Year
Member of scientific event committee	EASA2024: Doing and Undoing with Anthropology	European Association of Social Anthropology	2024
Coordination of scientific event (with scientific committee) at ISCTE-IUL	4th National Meeting of IN2PAST Researchers	IN2PAST	2024
Member of scientific event committee	Annual Meeting of the African Studies Association (USA)	African Studies Association	2023
Coordination of scientific event (with scientific committee) outside of ISCTE-IUL	First Meeting of LGBTIQ+ Organizations from South-South Portuguese Speaking Countries	Ruy Llera Blanes, Natalia Zawijeska, Líria de Castro	2023
Coordination of scientific event (with scientific committee) at ISCTE-IUL	Seminars Research Group "Environmental Challenges, Ethnography and Sustainability (CRIA): Thursday Debates	Ruy Llera Blanes, Luís Silva, Paulo Mendes	2023
Coordination of scientific event (with scientific committee) outside of ISCTE-IUL	Violence, Memory and Possible Heritagizations. A Debate from Guinea-Bissau and the Lusophone Postcolonial Context	Projeto "Forensic Heritage"	2023
Coordination of scientific event (with scientific committee) at ISCTE-IUL	In/Justices: II Meeting of Political Ecology	Ruy Llera Blanes, Antonio Maria Pusceddu, Vanessa Iglesias Amorim, Catarina Leal, Filipe Olivais, Joana Martins, Raquel Pereira	2023
Coordination of scientific event (with scientific committee) outside of ISCTE-IUL	Networking event "IPNA-CSIC - School of Global Studies University of Gothenburg"	School of Global Studies University of Gothenburg & IPNA-CSIC	2022

Diffusion Activities			
Activity Type	Event Title	Activity Description	Year
Coordination of knowledge diffusion event	Violence, Memory and Justice. Roundtable of Resistance against the Political Uses of Memory		2023
Member of organizing committee of Knowledge diffusion event	1st meeting of LGBTIQ+ Organizations from South-South Portuguese Speaking Countries on Human Rights, Sociopolitical and Cultural Integration		2023
Coordination of knowledge diffusion event	Environmental Justice Forum		2022
Coordination of knowledge diffusion event	Public Launch of Research Reports on Drought in Southern Angola		2022

Scientific Editing/Reviewing Activities				
Type of Activity	Journal Title	ISSN/Quartile	Period	Language
Member of scientific journal editing staff	Etnográfica	2182-2891 / Q2	Since 2022	Portuguese
Member of scientific journal editing staff	Cultural Anthropology	0886-7356 / Q1 (T5)	Since 2022	Portuguese
Member of scientific journal editing staff	HAU: Journal of Ethnographic Theory	2575-1433 / Q1	2013 - 2016	English
Scientific journal editor	Religion and Society	2150-9301 / Q2	2012 - 2019	English