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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	Licenciante	Antropologia	2001

Teaching Activities

Teaching Year	Sem.	Course Name	Degree(s)	Coord
2026/2027	2º	Contemporary African Issues and Debates	Master Degree in African Studies;	Yes
2026/2027	2º	Themes in Anthropology	Doctorate Degree (PhD) in Anthropology (FCSH);	No
2026/2027	1º	Advanced Topics in Anthropology: Theories of Culture and Heritage	Doctorate Degree (PhD) in Anthropology: Politics and Displays of Culture and Museology;	No
2026/2027	1º	Anthropology and Development	Master Degree in Development Studies;	Yes
2025/2026	2º	Themes in Anthropology	Doctorate Degree (PhD) in Anthropology (FCSH);	Yes
2025/2026	1º	Anthropology and Development	Master Degree in Development Studies;	Yes
2025/2026	1º	Ethnographic Maps 1: America and Africa	Bachelor Degree in Anthropology;	Yes
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

2	Cláudio Fortuna	Precariedade, Identidade e Resistência no Território de Luanda: Um Estudo de Caso do Bairro Rocha Pinto	English	Developing	Iscte
3	Ana Carolina Rodrigues	Livelihood and Stateness: A Study of Displacements in Central Mozambique	Portuguese	Developing	University of Gothenburg, School of Global Studies
4	Redner Quiroz	Identities, Discourses and Mobilizations around Sacrifice Territories in Cochabamba, Bolivia	Spanish/Castilian	Developing	Universidad Mayor San Simón
5	Proshant Chakraborty	Infrastructural Care, Labour, Affect, and Posthuman Entanglements in Mumbai's Urban Transport Networks	English	Developing	University of Gothenburg, School of Global Studies
6	Cláudio dos Anjos Ramos Fortuna	Precariedade, Identidade e Resistência no território de Luanda: Um estudo de caso do bairro Rocha Pinto.	Portuguese	Developing	Iscte
7	Henda Lucia Ducados	Memória das trajetórias históricas em cidades pós coloniais: O caso de Mário Pinto de Andrade e Sarah Maldoror	--	Developing	Iscte
8	Grace Ekaete Umoh	Climate Change and Gender: The Kabwe Lead Poisoning Experience	English	Developing	Iscte
9	Lucília Alvim Côrtes	O turismo como fenómeno social estratégico e suas implicações na questão do "desenvolvimento" sustentável	Portuguese	Developing	Iscte
10	Felipe Roberto Campos Mardones	Ambientalidades en transición, subjetividades e insfresreucturas en los paisajes de la Green Transition. El caso de Parques eólicos y naturales entre poblaciones rurales de Tarifa, Andalucía	Portuguese	Developing	Iscte
11	Jefferson Machado de Assunção	A Ciência Contida e Invisibilizada nos Odù de Ifá	Portuguese	Developing	Iscte
12	Vicky Alejandra Saravia	Neo-extractivism, environment and inequality in Latin America	Portuguese	Developing	Universidad Mayor San Simón
13	Paulo João Baptista Fungulane	Antropologia da Educação em Contextos de Deslocamento em Cabo Delgado: Juventude, Resiliência e Programa de Ensino para Campos de Reassentamento	Portuguese	Developing	Iscte

14	Mario Zezano Boquina Aurelio	Colonialidades Contemporâneas em Angola: os Nyaneka Mwila na margem da cidadania - Jau	Portuguese	Developing	Iscte
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- Concluded

	Student Name	Title/Topic	Language	Institution	Concluding Year
1	Carmen González Hacha	Transatlantic Jerusalems: grassroots prophetism, alternative politics and making the land in contemporary Peru	English	Iscte	2017
2	Pedro Pestana Soares	O Papel da Igreja Católica na Questão da Feitiçaria em Angola	English	Iscte	2016

• M.Sc. Dissertations

- Ongoing

	Student Name	Title/Topic	Language	Status	Institution
1	Christina de Paris	Puerto Ricans Rooted in Discontent: The 2019 Social Movement Against the State	English	Developing	Iscte
2	Joana Caetano	Between Walls - The Pedreiras Neighborhood	Portuguese	Developing	Iscte

- Concluded

	Student Name	Title/Topic	Language	Institution	Concluding Year
1	Joana Andreia Madeira Caetano	Between Walls: navigating borders. A case study in the Bairro das Pedreiras	Portuguese	Iscte	2025
2	Maddalena Cirani	Pokot Young Pastoralists at the Crossroads: Tradition, Modernity and Land Tenure Transformations in East Pokot, Kenya	English	Iscte	2019
3	Nazifa Alizada	Unaccompanied Afghan Migrants in the Swedish Media and their Prospects	English	Iscte	2019

Total Citations

Web of Science®	251
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Publications

• Scientific Journals

- Scientific journal paper

1	Blanes, R. L. (2025). Descolonizar a descolonização: Explorando perspectivas cívicas ativistas sobre trajetórias pós-coloniais em Angola e Moçambique. <i>Análise Social</i> . 60 (257)
2	Blanes, R. L. (2025). Doppëlgangers, degenerations and revolutionary feedbacks in Angola. <i>Revista de Antropologia</i> . 68
3	Blanes, R. L., Oliveira, P. A., Prista, M., Barros, M. de., Temudo, A., Ferreira, F. M. ...Mendes, F. A. (2025). Forensic heritage. A research agenda on the material and expressive processes of the public memorialisation of violence in post-authoritarian contexts. <i>International Journal of Heritage Studies</i> . 31 (6), 742-766
4	Blanes, R. L. (2024). Processos revolucionários em discurso: Descentralizando e desconstruindo os impactos do 25 de Abril em Angola. <i>Etnográfica . especial</i> , 261-269
5	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 - Times Cited Web of Science®: 12
6	Blanes, R. L. (2023). The ministry of injustice and no human rights in Angola. <i>Lusotopie</i> . 22 (2)
7	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 - Times Cited Web of Science®: 1
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10	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®: 2 - Times Cited Scopus: 3
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• Books and Book Chapters

- Book author

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2	Annelin Eriksen, Blanes, Ruy Llera & MacCarthy, Michelle (2019). Going to Pentecost. An Experimental Approach to Ethnographies of Pentecostalism . Oxford. Berghahn Books.
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• Conferences/Workshops and Talks

- Talk

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2	Blanes, Ruy Llera (2025). Mapeando as des/continuidades de operações secretas e de segurança na Angola pré e pós-25 de Abril. Das Guerras ao Pós-25 de Abril: Os Militares em Territórios em Convulsão.
3	Blanes, Ruy Llera (2025). (Counter-)Archival Interventions. Keeping/Discarding: Critical Reflections on (Un)Archivability.
4	Blanes, Ruy Llera & Rodrigues, Ana Carolina (2025). Future ruins: A visual itinerary through extractive temporalities in Sofala and Cabo Delgado. Congreso Ibérico de Estudios Africanos.
5	Blanes, Ruy Llera (2025). Reverso: Re-explorando a ideia do antropólogo como sujeito etnográfico. A Etnografia como Técnica.
6	Blanes, Ruy Llera & Abreu, Pedro Santa Maria de (2025). O Museu do Impossível: uma especulação em torno das possibilidades de memorialização do in/visível. Encontro da Linha Temática 5 do In2Past.
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8	Blanes, Ruy Llera (2025). The form, field and order of environmental and political protests in Mozambique. International Seminar "Mining, Protest, Anthropology: Mozambique between environmental distress and political unrest".
9	Lazzaretti, V., Soares, P., Mapril, J, & Blanes, R. (2024). NaMouraria: Heritage-Making, (In)securities and Urban Imaginaries in Lisbon's Historic Centre. Workshop 'Gentrification, heritage and diversity in the city' .
10	Blanes, Ruy Llera (2024). Arquiteturas de confinamento e repressão em Luanda: o caso do futuro Museu da Luta de Libertação e as políticas públicas de memorialização em Angola. Colóquio Internacional 'Espaços de Confinamento: Memórias da Repressão e Colonialidade'.
11	Blanes, Ruy Llera (2024). From Gospel to Ruin. On the production of energy transition epistemes in Mozambique. Just Transition. The Global Energy Transition from a Regional Perspective.
12	Blanes, Ruy Llera (2024). O desejo de Donsan. Maputo Fast Forward.

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14	Blanes, Ruy Llera (2024). Machamba 2.0. Land, Infrastructure and Labor in Cabo Delgado's Extractive Age. Higher Seminar of the School of Global Studies.
15	Blanes, Ruy Llera (2024). A Machamba Infinita. Visualizing the patchwork of livelihoods in the age of extractivism in Mozambique. Alternatives to extractivism: ways of being-doing-knowing alongside (sub)surfaces in Mozambique and beyond.
16	Blanes, Ruy Llera (2024). In the event of the disaster. Thinking through the temporalities of climate events. 18th EASA Biennial Conference.
17	Blanes, Ruy Llera (2024). The form, field and order of anti-extractivist protests in Mozambique. CIES-Iscte Monthly Seminar in Social Movements and Political Action.
18	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.
19	Blanes, Ruy Llera (2023). Forensic Heritage. Uma reflexão sobre processos de patrimonialização/memorialização da violência, a partir de Angola. II Seminário de Património Cultural.
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21	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.
22	Blanes, Ruy Llera (2023). Drought expectations: from the future projections of colonial infrastructure to present-day hydropower in Southwestern Angola. Simpósio Internacional: Seca, Fome e Colonialismo Português em África – História e Memória (séculos XIX-XXI).
23	Blanes, Ruy Llera (2022). Landscapes of Terror, Violence and Forensic Heritages in the Postcolonial Lusophone Space. Encontro Inaugural do laboratório In2Past.
24	Blanes, Ruy Llera (2022). A Machamba Invisível. Infraestruturas Territoriais dos Processos de Reassentamento, Fuga e Refúgio em Cabo Delgado, Moçambique. VIII Congresso da Associação Portuguesa de Antropologia.
25	Blanes, Ruy Llera (2022). Entre o desenvolvimentismo e o desastre do capitaloceno: contra-topografias existenciais no Sudoeste de Angola. Seminário do GI Diversidades, Instituto de Ciências Sociais da Universidade de Lisboa.

Research Projects

Project Title	Role in Project	Partners	Period
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Impossible Archives. An exploratory research agenda on what is left out of memory and heritage	Principal Researcher	CRIA-Iscte	2026 - 2027
Mapping Threatened Transhumant Routes in Southwestern Angola	Principal Researcher	CRIA-Iscte	2025 - 2028
The Liberation Struggle Museum in Luanda: a study on the spectacularization of heritage	Global Coordinator	CRIA-Iscte	2024
The ecologization of the world from below: Thinking about popular ecologies from the South to the North of Europe	Researcher	CRIA-Iscte	2024 - 2025
Na Mouraria: Heritage-making, (in)securities and urban imaginaries in Lisbon's historic centre	Researcher	CRIA-Iscte	2023 - 2024
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
Landscapes of Terror, Violence and Forensic Heritages in the Postcolonial Lusophone space	Global Coordinator	CRIA-Iscte	2023
Energy Activisms at the Crossroads of Environmental Disasters and Un/sustainable Development in the Global South	Principal Researcher	CRIA-Iscte - Leader	2022 - 2028

Academic Management Positions

Sub-diretor (2024 - 2027)
Unit/Area: Centro em Rede de Investigação em Antropologia, pólo do ISCTE-IUL (CRIA-IUL)

Awards

Programa para a Internacionalização das Ciências Sociais 2012, € 5,000. (2012)

Estímulo e Reconhecimento da Internacionalização em Ciências Sociais, 1,720€. (2011)

Organization/Coordination of Events

Type of Organization/Coordination	Event Title	Organizer	Year
Coordination of scientific event (with scientific committee) outside of ISCTE-IUL	(Un)Common Heritage: Non-anthropocentric perspectives and legacies for more-than-human futures.	CRIA, DASE, In2Past	2025
Coordination of scientific event (with scientific committee) outside of ISCTE-IUL	Itinerâncias da antropologia pública: Perspetivas, experiências, possibilidades	Ruy Llera Blanes & Antonio Maria Pusceddu	2025
Coordination of scientific event (with scientific committee) outside of ISCTE-IUL	Heritage subversions, circulations and mobilizations in the Lusophone postcolonial space	Ruy Llera Blanes	2025
Coordination of scientific event (with scientific committee) at ISCTE-IUL	Energy Dialogues: Energy and Green Transition in Africa. With Eric Cezne and Amarilli Varesio	ENERGEO	2025
Coordination of scientific event (with scientific committee) at ISCTE-IUL	Energy Dialogues: Worlds of Lithium. With Cristóbal Bonelli	ENERGEO	2025
Coordination of scientific event (with scientific committee) outside of ISCTE-IUL	Reflection workshop: Building Spaces of Memory and Dialogue in Angola. The example of the Casa de Reclusão Militar and the future Museum of the Liberation Struggle in Angola	CRIA, In2Past, Instituto Nacional do Património Cultural de Angola	2024
Coordination of scientific event (with scientific committee) outside of ISCTE-IUL	IV International Meeting of the Environmental Anthropology Network	CRIA	2024
Member of scientific event committee	EASA2024: Doing and Undoing Anthropology		2024
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	Thematic Line 5 Workshop "Shared Heritage"	CRIA, In2Past	2024
Member of scientific event's organizing committee	IV Encontro do In2Past		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
Member of non-scientific event's organizing committee	Panel "Divine Mobilities: How Gods and Spirits Move Through the World", European Association of Social Anthropologists, Biannual Meeting, Stockholm, Sweden.		2018
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Member of non-scientific event's organizing committee	International Workshop "Afrotopias", Zanzibar, Tanzania.		2018
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Member of non-scientific event's organizing committee	Symposium "Etnografiando Prácticas Espirituales: Sentido y Compromiso frente a la Utopía", XIV Congreso de Antropología, FAAEE, Valencia, Spain.		2017
Member of non-scientific event's organizing committee	International workshop "Conviviality and its Discontents: Rethinking Religious Pluralism in Contemporary Urban Settings", EASA Network of the Anthropology of Religion meeting, Lisbon, 18-19 September 2017.		2017
Member of non-scientific event's organizing committee	Panel "Urban Encounters: Politicizing the Everyday in African Cities", in International Conference Activisms in Africa, ISCTE-IUL, Lisbon, 11-13 January 2017.		2017
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Member of non-scientific event's organizing committee	International Workshop "Utopia, Vitality and Sacrifice", Stromboli, Italy.		2016
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Member of non-scientific event's organizing committee	International Workshop "Hospitality from the South", Buenos Aires, Argentina.		2016
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Member of non-scientific event's organizing committee	International Workshop "Utopia, Vitality and Sacrifice", Stromboli, Italy.		2016
Member of non-scientific event's organizing committee	Panel "Micro- utopias: exploring connections in anthropology, relationality and creativity", SIEF Meeting, Zagreb, Croatia.		2015
Member of non-scientific event's organizing committee	Bergen Social Anthropology Seminars, Department of Social Anthropology, University of Bergen		2015 - 2016
Member of non-scientific event's organizing committee	Panel "Micro- utopias: exploring connections in anthropology, relationality and creativity", SIEF Meeting, Zagreb, Croatia.		2015
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Member of non-scientific event's organizing committee	International Workshop "Connections in the Religious Atlantic: Faiths, Encounters, Circulations", Institute of Social Sciences, University of Lisbon.		2014

Member of non-scientific event's organizing committee	Panel " The good shepherd. Secularities, religiosities and subjectivities", at the Conference Religion and Pluralities of Knowledge, European Association for the Study of Religion, Groningen, Netherlands.		2014
Member of non-scientific event's organizing committee	Panel "Anthropological utopias: debating personal, political and idealist expectations in the intersection of theory and ethnographic practice", European Association of Social Anthropologists Biannual Meeting, Tallinn, Estonia.		2014
Member of non-scientific event's organizing committee	International Workshop "Connections in the Religious Atlantic: Faiths, Encounters, Circulations", Institute of Social Sciences, University of Lisbon.		2014
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Member of non-scientific event's organizing committee	Session "The Gender of Christian Charisma: Debating Ethnographies of Agency, Power and Engendered Leadership in Contemporary Christianity", American Anthropological Association 113th Annual Meeting, Chicago.		2013
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Member of non-scientific event's organizing committee	Working Group (GT) Práticas Religiosas em Interface com Violência, Pobreza e Etnia, in the XVII Jornadas sobre Alternativas Religiosas na América Latina, Porto Alegre.		2013

Member of non-scientific event's organizing committee	Panel "Religions, Jurisdictions, Sovereignties: ethnographies of religious and political contestations", Portuguese Association of Anthropology, Vila Real, Portugal.		2013
Member of scientific event's organizing committee	V Congresso da Associação Portuguesa de Antropologia , Vila Real, Portugal.		2013
Member of non-scientific event's organizing committee	International workshop "I Know What I Saw: Debating Ethnographies of Sight and Visibility in the Anthropology of Religion" (with Ramon Sarró and Diana Espírito Santo)", London School of Economics.		2013
Member of non-scientific event's organizing committee	Panel "Religions, Jurisdictions, Sovereignties: ethnographies of religious and political contestations", Portuguese Association of Anthropology, Vila Real, Portugal.		2013
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Member of non-scientific event's organizing committee	2011, host and co-organizer (with Galina Oustinova-Stjepanovic) of the international workshop "Atheism and Anthropology: Researching Atheism and Self-searching Belief and Experience", University College London.		2011
Member of non-scientific event's organizing committee	2011, host and co-organizer (with Galina Oustinova-Stjepanovic) of the international workshop "Atheism and Anthropology: Researching Atheism and Self-searching Belief and Experience", University College London.		2011
Member of non-scientific event's organizing committee	Workshop "The Pragmatics of Religious Transmission", at the Congress of the SIEF (Société Internationale d'Ethnologie et Folklore), Lisbon.		2011
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Member of scientific event's organizing committee	IV Congresso da Associação Portuguesa de Antropologia, Lisboa, Portugal.		2009

Diffusion Activities

Activity Type	Event Title	Activity Description	Year
Coordination of knowledge diffusion event	The "Problem of Local Autarquias": Current Situation	Cycle of debates on political activism and the state of democracy in Angola	2024
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	Violence, Memory and Justice. Roundtable of Resistance against the Political Uses of Memory		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	Caderno de Estudos Africanos	1645-3794 / Q4	Since 2025	Portuguese
Member of scientific journal editing staff	Lusotopie	1768-3084	Since 2024	Portuguese
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