

ISEG has been educating leaders of thought and action since 1911. Today, at a time when society recognises the importance of good economic management more than ever, we are here to build solutions: ISEG - 111 years of a School of Firsts 50 years ago, Portugal was living under a ferocious dictatorship, which also struck the student movement particularly hard. "Gorillas" (ex-special troop combatants hired to watch, chase, and beat students) were posted to the School and riot police were permanently stationed at the Universidade de Lisboa Campus and brutal raids were carried out on several Faculties. Student associations had to close and dozens of students were suspended and subjected to disciplinary processes (as a punishment and to send them off to fight in the colonial war) and many were arrested and tortured by the PIDE.

It was in this context that a "meeting against repression" of Universidade de Lisboa students was called for the afternoon of the 12th October, 1972, in an amphitheatre of 'Económicas' – now ISEG (which was located where a patio currently stands). It was at this meeting that the participants discovered, immobilised, and blindfolded a "snitch" who was caught spying 'en flagrante'. While they were debating what to do with him, two PIDE officers burst into the amphitheatre, with their guns already cocked and ready to shoot, which provoked an understandable and indignant reaction from the students present.

It was then that one of these henchmen, called António Gomes da Rocha, pulled out his gun and murdered law student José António Ribeiro dos Santos in cold blood with two shots. He was prevented from murdering anyone else because another law student, José Lamego, threw himself on top of the murderer, only to be wounded, taken to hospital, and then handed over to the PIDE, where he was tortured. Gomes da Rocha escaped from the affair completely unpunished, as he was never tried nor convicted for the crime, not even after the 25th April Revolution.

António Garcia Pereira Professor of Political Science - Law

José António Ribeiro Santos was slain by the fascist regime's murderous bullets as he was a firm and courageous anti-fascist fighter who was always in the front line of the fight and because Marcello Caetano's government, just like Salazar's before him, applied every means to repress all those who fought for Freedom and Democracy.

But the truth is that the vile murder of Ribeiro Santos was the beginning of the end of the fascist regime, which paid dearly for it. Despite all threats of the Government and the brutality out by the PIDE, legionnaires, and riot police, the truth is that thousands and thousands of people bravely faced the forces of repression in a march the following Friday throughout the city of Lisbon, and in particular on the Saturday, when Ribeiro Santos' funeral was surrounded and violently attacked. Several successive protests and struggles followed and never again, up to this day, have the Portuguese people forgotten the memory of Ribeiro Santos and his heroic example!

A memorial session to remember the murder of José António Ribeiro Santos has been organised by ISEG for Wednesday, 12th October 2022, to which all students, faculty, and staff are invited to take part, will highlight not only the brutality of the event, but also convey that whatever the difficulties, injustice, arrogance, or brutal repression, these are not invincible and that which is right is always worth fighting for!

50th Anniversary of the Assassination of Ribeiro Santos

On the 12th October, 1972, PIDE agents murdered the young law student, José António Ribeiro Santos, in a prefabricated amphitheatre of ISCEF (now ISEG) where a meeting against repression was being held.





50 years later, we remember this episode of violence and barbarity, which was carried out during the struggle for freedom and democracy for ISEG, Universidade de Lisboa, and Portuguese Society as a whole.

The programme of the **Evocative Memorial Session**, which will include the participation of **Eduardo Ferro Rodrigues**, former President of the Assembly of the Republic and a student at ISEG at the time of the assassination, can be consulted **HERE** and the registration to participate can be made **on this form**.

To remember that fateful afternoon and learn more about the state of the country in 1972, we suggest the reading of the testimonials of **Júlio Mota**, an ISCEF student (now ISEG) in May 1972, and **António Garcia Pereira**, an ISEG professor, which can be read **HERE**.

In this issue, we highlight the Evocative Memorial Session of the 50th Anniversary of the Assassination of Ribeiro Santos, the second phase of the international Strategic Leadership Program ISEG + Columbia, the "A School of 1s: 111 YEARS, 111 ALUMNI" section featuring the testimonial of Artur Peña, and ULisboa's welcome party for incoming 1st Year students. The following are cited in this number: António Afonso, Francisco Louçã, Joana Santos Silva, João Duque, João Pereira dos Santos, Joaquim Sarmento, Nuno Crato, Paulo Trigo Pereira, Ricardo Cabral, Ricardo Fortes da Costa and Vera Gouveia Barros.



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ISEG Alumni Day



Usually celebrated on the 23rd May, but due to the particular nature of the 111th anniversary celebrations of **ISEG**, ISEG Alumni Day will take place on the **13th October** this year.

The celebrations will begin at 18.00 with a welcome address from the Dean of ISEG, Clara Raposo, and the President of the Economics Alumni, Horácio Negrão, and a conference that will feature the participation of our colleagues Madalena Cascais Tomé, Pedro Leitão, Vitor Bento and Henrique Monteiro.

At 20.00, there will be a dinner in ISEG's *Salão Nobre Great Hall*, where the Prémios Carreira 2022 (2022 Career Awards) will be awarded: **Vitor Constâncio** - Economic, Political and Social Career **Gualter Furtado** - Career in Management and as an Entrepreneur

The full programme can be consulted **HERE**.

ISEG - Executive Education takes New York!

After hosting the first phase internacional **Strategic Leadership Program ISEG + Columbia** in September in Lisbon, it was the turn of the prestigious Columbia Business School, in New York, to host the group of 30 top executive leaders who attend the programme from the 3rd to the 7th October.





This second part of the programme, which is entitled "**The Leader's Journey**", provided the opportunity for the participants to reflect on global challenges and to learn leadership lessons through reflection, peer coaching, and debate sessions. **Bruce Craven**, Associate Professor at Columbia Business School, highly praised the

participants and ISEG faculty who were in the Big Apple. "It was a wonderful experience working with the world-class team at ISEG - Executive Education and the excellent Portuguese leaders who joined us in New York during this

educational partnership with Columbia Business School Executive Education".





A School of 1s: 111 YEARS, 111 ALUMNI Artur Peña

The "A School of 1s: 111 YEARS, 111 ALUMNI" section is back. In this edition, we share the testimonial of **Artur Peña**.

Artur Peña

Alumni MBA, 2012 Owner of the company CITY LAKE - Real Estate Investment



Artur Peña's ISEG

"I participated in the 27th Edition of the ISEG MBA from 2010 to 2012. When I started, I had just had a daughter and four months before the end of the course I had a second daughter, so for me the MBA was a real "Master in Baby Administration". Between changing nappies and feeding bottles, working for the creative agency of which I was a Partner at the time, and attending lectures in Finance and the Financial Analysis and Reporting lectures, it was truly a lot to handle! Naturally this was only possible, justice be done, because behind every great man (1.83m) there is always a great woman (as well as some little elves dressed in green who came by the house to tidy up and walk the dog). Did I ever tell you that at that time I was also Chair of a Rugby Club Association which at the time occupied all of my Tuesday lunchtimes and about 30 weekends out of 52 a year?

Therefore, if you think you don't have the life to study for an executive MBA, then make no mistake, fir that is exactly what you learn: to better manage all the available time slots, to remove yourself from your comfort zone, and to learn that good is the enemy of the great and that if you have everything under control, it's because you are not moving fast enough. This is the essence of a MBA.

From a knowledge point of view, in my case I was looking to improve my mastery of Micro-Finance, Investment Appraisal, and Day-to-Day Management. After all, I was an entrepreneur, but didn't know what NPV (Net Present Value) was. But in reality I still had to study Macro-Finance, Marketing (where I was supposedly a real 'pro' and though I knew everything), and International Relations and Logistics, among others. With advancing experience and age, we think that at a certain point we have already mastered several subjects and that we possess know-how in various areas that are already comfortably engraved in the stone that we call our brain, however is it at this point that we receive a good and deserved dose of deconstruction - in terms of both perspectives and different approaches, realising that in practice we really know virtually nothing - which makes us adjust our azimuth and sail towards new horizons. For example: in the Marketing module we discussed the strategies of several well-known companies several times, with a calculator in hand, where a few simple calculations regarding the approximate profitability of a product led us to understood the impact of a complete corporate strategy, whereas in my own creative agency, we worked for several well-known national and international brands and what we wanted was to "just" deliver a good advertising campaign. With regarding Finance and Investment, which I now apply on a daily basis in the real estate investments that I make, I have to say that the knowledge learned in these modules was exactly what I needed, rather than the case study methodology, which we also studied, where we mostly experienced 'hands on' learning, getting to know how to analyse the finances of any company or how to calculate an investment from A to Z with a pencil and rubber in hand, without 'hunches' or the comments of a Monday bench coach.

Concerning soft skills – which are essential for any good professional – in addition to the modules we studied during lectures, in our Edition we also participated in a weekend of leadership with the Air Force in Sintra, as well as a week of immersion in Silicon Valley (San Francisco) in the world of startups, which was to be highly relevant later on when I was the Marketing Director of Beta-i and also for other projects in which I was involved. I can confess, there were a few cases of friction between colleagues during these two immersions, just as occurs in our professional and social lives, although in the end this was positive for everyone, as we had to overcome them for the good of the group..... and how much better that fantastic group became!

Now with one more child (three in total now), I need a refresher course of the ISEG MBA!"



Artur Peña nowadays

What's Up @ ISEG

ISEG Research Seminar | Optimal ratcheting of dividends in insurance

When: 12th October Where: Novo Banco Ampitheatre Time: 13.00 - 14.00 Free entrance

Hansjoerg Albrecher, from the University of Lausanne (Switzerland), will present the study entitled "Optimal ratcheting of dividends in insurance" at ISEG, on the 12th October.

The **ISEG Research Seminars** are attended by ISEG and other national and international professors and they cover topics related to Economics, Management, Finance, Social Sciences, and Quantitative Methods.

Seminars | The Weka Data Mining Tool; Multi-Criteria Decision-Making

As part of the Masters in Quantitative Methods for Economic and Business Decision Making, two seminars will take place on the 12th of October, from 16.30 to 18.30, in Auditorium 4.

The sessions feature the participation of two international speakers:

- Hana Zach (Institute of Statistics, Operation Research and Mathematics, Faculty of Economics and Management, Slovak University of Agriculture in Nitra, Slovaki) will be the speaker at the seminar on "The Weka Data Mining Tool".

- Martina Hanová (Institute of Statistics, Operation Research and Mathematics, Faculty of Economics and Management, Slovak University of Agriculture in Nitra, Slovaki) will speak about the topic of "Multi-Criteria Decision-Making".





CEsA Thinks Seminar Cycle When: 13th October, 2022 to the 8th February, 2023 Oct 13th, 2022 - Feb 8th, 2023 6pm - 7:30pm Fragilities and Shocks Effects The first seminar of the CEsA Thinks on Households and November 2nd, 2022 The Relevance of the Seminar Cycle will be held on the 13th Communities in West Africa Vincent Patrick-Agulonye Concept of Cumulative Causation? A Contribution to October on "Fragilities and Shock Discussant: Daniel Adayi, PhD the Analysis of Growth Effects on Households and **Trajectories in Sub-Saharan** The cost of Juvenile Substance Africa Prof. Alice Sindzingre Discussant: Prof. Alexandre Abreu Communities in West Africa". The Abuse on Households and event will count with the participation of **Communities in Nigeria:** Guidance and Counselling as a Vincent Patrick-Agulonyee and Daniel Panacea Samaila B. Bahago, PhD (Online) Discussant: Vincent Patrick-<u>January 18th, 2023</u> The Nexus Between Water & Adavi. **Food Security in West Africa** - An Exploration of the Status quo and the Emerging Challenges Daniel Adayi, PhD (online) Discussant: Vincent Patrick-daulongo Agulonye The CEsA Thinks Seminar Cycle is <u>February 8th, 2023</u> Effects of Climate Change on Businesses in Retail Food organised by CEsA - Centre for Studies on Africa and Development, **Industry and Responses in** Agulonye Nigeria CSG/ISEG/Ulisboa and runs from the , Auta Elisha Mensor Discussant: Vincent Patrick 13th October to the 8th of February, Agulonye 2023. Find out more In person Room 104 (F2), ISEG https://cesa.rc.iseg.ulisboa.pt/ Online Zoom The seminar will take place at ISEG, in Room 104 (Francesinhas 2) and will be

Another objective is to encourage debate and constructive criticism, and thus assist researchers in the search for greater quality in their projects.

All information regarding CEsA Thinks can be consulted on the website of CEsA - Centre for African Studies and Development.

The ISEG Career Forum 2022-23 will take place on the 26th and 27th of October.



Success in contacts with companies and in recruitment processes requires the development of new knowledge and skills!

Creating an impact with a potential employer is key if we want to **differentiate** ourselves and leave our mark and have a greater probability of being called to integrate in a recruitment process. This could be your opportunity!

Bearing this in mind, we have organised a series of workshops related to employability, in partnership with our partner companies. **Don't miss this opportunity and get ready for the ISEG Career Forum!**



Optimize your CV & Cover Letter

When: 11th October What time: 16.00 With: Calzedonia, GALP e Nestlé Registration: HERE



Optimize your Pitch When: 18th October What time: 16.00 With: Unlimited Future Registration: HERE





Go through a recruitment process and succeed! When: 20th October What time: 16.00 With: Worten, AirBus, and Mercer

Registration:HERE

A new Edition of the Books of Our Time Cycle The 6th Edition of the Books of Our Time Debates Cycle will start on the 17th October, in



The first session will be dedicated to the work The Case for a New Bretton Woods, by Kevin Gallagher and Richard Kozul-Wright (2022), and will be reviewed by Professor Luís Mah and researcher Luís Bernardo (ISEG). The event will start at 15.00, in Auditorium 2 (Quelhas, 2nd Floor).

Free entrance.

Further information **HERE**.

Novidades de research

REM - Research in Economics and Mathematics Newsletter No. 37, of September, 2022 is now published and is available on this link.



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