



# LUÍSA ALVIM BARATEIRO

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Climate and health innovation strategist working at the intersection of science, policy, and social justice. Trained as a biologist and epidemiologist, with expertise in climate adaptation and public policy to foster resilience, equity, and long-term sustainability. Currently managing EU-funded projects focused on climate adaptation, sustainability, governance, policy and health while pursuing a PhD in Climate Change and Sustainable Development Policies.

Active as an Ambassador for the European Climate Pact, a WEF Global Shaper and a Climate Speaker, engaging in public dialogue and advocating for inclusive, science-based policy. Rooted in ecofeminist values, committed to amplifying vulnerable voices and co-creating locally grounded, globally relevant solutions.

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

### **Project Manager & Junior Consultant at EU HUB – Policies – Interregional**

INOVA+, April 2025 – present

At NOVA+, a consultancy and innovation management company, I coordinate and implement EU-funded projects under Horizon Europe, Interreg, and POCTEP, with a strong focus on climate adaptation, resilience, governance, and health. This role has enhanced my expertise in grant writing, fundraising, and managing complex, multi-stakeholder projects, while supporting both public and private institutions in securing and delivering EU funding.

### **Solutions & ESG Consulting Trainee**

C-MORE, Sep 2024 – Mar 2025

C-MORE is a technology company, specializing in ESG reporting. Gaining experience across the Data, Business, and Product departments, I have worked closely with various aspects of corporate ESG reporting, developing a comprehensive understanding of its processes and requirements.

### **Board Member & Scientific Coordinator**

Último Recurso Association – NGO, Feb 2024 – Mar 2025

Leading a team of 12 members as a Scientific Coordinator, I have developed strong expertise in people management, project design and execution, and scientific research in climate-health nexus.

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

### **Erasmus+ Project Management – Youth Worker and Ecofeminism Expert**

XX Element Association, Sep 2023 – Oct 2024

Co-coordination of a multidisciplinary and international team (12 people, 5 countries – Portugal, Croatia, Italy, Estonia, Spain); Organisation of Capacity Buildings, Local Sessions and Intercultural Meetings in 3 countries (Portugal, Croatia and Estonia); Sessions to promote literacy on ecology and gender equality at universities. Organising eco-feminist film screenings, a digital and social media campaign and participating as a speaker in collaboration with the Porto Femme International Film Festival; Implementing surveys, analysing and processing data. Preparation of a toolkit on feminist and climate activism.

### **Research Collaborator on Public Health**

ISPUP, Institute of Public Health, University of Porto, Portugal. 2023 – 2025

Research in the field of urban health. Health and Territory Lab Member. Carrying out a photovoice study and analysing qualitative data. NAWA Workshop Materials – Preparing the contents of a course on qualitative methods in research. Writing scientific publications in the field of public health.

### **Undergraduate Research Intern in Marine Ecotoxicology**

University of Aveiro Center for Environmental and Marine Studies, Portugal. 2020 – 2021

Laboratory work with experimental studies and maintenance of live organisms (zebrafish). Microscopy techniques. Carrying out research into marine ecotoxicology. Effects of a Mixture of Cytostatic Compounds and Nanomaterials in Zebrafish.

## VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

### **Global Shaper**

World Economic Forum/Shapers Porto Hub, 2024 – present

### **Advisor of the Environmental and Energy Committee**

Os 230 Project, Jun 2025 – present

### **Citizen-Parliamentarian and Member of the Environmental and Energy Committee**

Os 230 Project – Portugal, Jun 2024 – Jun 2025

### **Next Generation Member and Alumni**

Próxima Geração Political Academy, 2024 – 2025

### **European Climate Pact Ambassador**

European Commission, 2023 – present

### **NGO Board Member & Gender Rights Researcher & Advocate**

UMAR – Union of Women Alternative and Response, Portugal. 2023 – 2025

### **Municipal Youth Councilor**

Vila Nova de Gaia City Council, Portugal, 2017– 2019

# EDUCATION

## **PhD in Climate Change and Sustainability Development Policies**

University of Lisbon, Sep 2024 – Present

## **Master in Public Health (MPH)**

University of Porto, Faculty of Medicine, Lisbon, Portugal, Sep 2022 – Dec 2024

Topics covered: Biostatistics, Health Administration & Policy, Health Promotion Techniques, Ethics in Epidemiology, Control of Communicable Diseases, Genetic Epidemiology, Systematic Review and Fundamentals of Meta-Analysis, International Health, Environmental and Occupational Health, Geographic Information Systems, Surveillance and Outbreak Control. Thesis on Gentrification & Health.

## **Executive Master in Sustainability Management**

University of Porto, Porto Business School, Porto, Portugal, Feb 2024 – Mar 2025

Topics covered: Creating Shared Value Through Systemic Thinking, Governance & Leadership for Sustainable Transformation, Sustainable Finance Policy and Tools, Crafting the Strategic Sustainability Plan, Environmental Footprint Reduction Toolkit, Technology & Innovation in the Regenerative Economy, Sustainable procurement and Supply Chain Leadership, Responsible marketing and communications, Embracing the circular mindset, Nature-based solutions, Building social capital in the modern corporation, Fostering social innovation and impact, Mastering sustainability reporting, Management Systems and ESG due diligence. Capstone project with REN – Redes Energéticas Nacionais on Voluntary Carbon Markets.

## **Specialisation/Postgraduate Diploma in European Union Law**

University of Coimbra, Portugal, 2023 – 2024

Topics covered: Integration Theory and EU Policies. Institutions and Fundamental Principles, Fundamental Freedoms, Community Litigation, Democracy and European Governance. Financial Policy and Tax Harmonisation, Common Commercial Policy. External Economic Relations, Monetary Policy, European System of Financial Supervision, Community Public Procurement. Competition Policy, Common Agricultural Policy. Regional Policy, State Aid, Recovery and Resilience Mechanism. Social Policy and Law, Environmental Policy, Energy Policy, Migration Policy, Fundamental Rights and the Community of Law. Research project: Environmental Law and Human Rights in Portugal.

## **Master of Science in Epidemiology (MSc)**

University of Lisbon, Faculty of Medicine, Lisbon, Portugal, Sep 2021 – Dez 2023

Topics covered: Sampling in Epidemiology, Biostatistics applied to Epidemiology, Spatial Epidemiology, Health Economic Evaluation, Statistical Models in Epidemiology, Epidemiological Research, Qualitative Methods, Measurement Techniques and Special Topics in Epidemiology. Master thesis: Neurodegenerative Diseases and Handgrip Strength in European Population.

## **Advanced Specialization in Forensic Sciences, Criminal Investigation, and Deviant Behavior**

Instituto CRIAP, Porto, Portugal, Sep 2021 – Jun 2022

Topics covered: Forensic Science and Crime Contextualization, Criminal Law, Forensic Psychology, Deviant Behavior, Forensic Interview, Forensic Ballistics, Legal Medicine, Forensic Biology and Genetics, Forensic Anthropology, Forensic Entomology, Forensic Dentistry, Criminal Profiling, Lophoscopy, Forensic Photography, Crime Scene.

## **Bachelor's Degree in Biology.**

University of Aveiro, Portugal, Sep 2018 – Jul 2021

Topics covered: Genetic engineering, Virology, Bioinformatics, Geological History of Life, Food Biochemistry, Molecular Pathology, Animal Physiology, Marine biology, Field Biology, Entomology, Molecular Biology, Biochemistry and Metabolism, General Physiology, Biological Oceanography, Ecology of Global Change, Genetics, Fundamentals of Ecology, Biostatistics, Bioorganic Chemistry, Biology, Evolution and Development, Microbiology, Cell Biology, General Physics, Cytology and Histology. Project/Research Internship: Ecotoxicology Research – Nanomaterials

## **GRANTS AND HONOURS**

Women Leaders Scholarship – Porto Business School (2024)

## **LANGUAGES**

Portuguese (Native Language)

English, Italian (Advanced Proficiency)

French (Intermediate Proficiency)

Chinese (Basic Proficiency)

## **KEY COMPETENCIES**

- Climate Policy & Governance
- Climate Adaptation
- EU Policy – Science, Innovation, Coesion, Climate Action
- Project Management
- Research and Strategic Consultancy
- Grant Writing & Fundraising