

# Beatriz Dias

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Beatriz Dias joined VdA in 2024. She is an associate in the Information, Communication & Technology practice, where she advises some of the leading clients in the sector.



## Academic background

Law degree University of Lisbon Faculty of Law.

Masters in Law and Technology, Nova School of Law.

Post-graduation in Intellectual Property.

Post-graduation in E-Commerce.

Spatial Law Intensive Course.

## Teaching chairs

Investigator in the Nova What Next Law research centre (since 2021);

Responsible for tutoring Economic and Monetary Union and International Economic Law at the Faculty of Law of the University of Lisbon (2021).

## Other professional background

Before joining the firm, she worked as an associate at CMS Portugal, where she worked in the Intellectual Property, Technologies, Media and Communications department between 2021 and 2024.

## Published works

Author of various articles, namely:

- “Untangling the Digital Exhaustion”, De LEGIBUS Review, available at: <https://revistas.ulusofona.pt/index.php/delegibus>
- “Agency in the Metaverse: A Requiem to Informational Self-Determination”, available at: [https://whatnext.law/en/2023/03/06/agency-in-the-metaverse-a-requiem-to-informational-self-determination-\\_copy/](https://whatnext.law/en/2023/03/06/agency-in-the-metaverse-a-requiem-to-informational-self-determination-_copy/)
- “Will you Trust? An idea of Trust for the Digital Future”, available at: <https://whatnext.law/en/2022/06/29/will-you-trust-an-idea-of-trust-for-the-digital-future-2/>
- “The Future Alexa: Data Protection and the rise of Smart Voice Assistants”, available at: <https://whatnext.law/en/2021/11/10/the-future-alex-a-data-protection-and-the-rise-of-smart-voice-assistants-en/>

## Member of

Admitted to the Portuguese Bar Association.

Association for the Promotion and Development of the Information Society.

## Languages

English.