

PARTNER

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Joined PLMJ in 2015.
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About André

André is the partner who heads the Banking and Finance and Capital Markets practices. He has a diversified practice in the areas of capital markets, corporate and structured finance and regulatory advice, acting regularly for issuers/borrowers, sponsors, banks and investors.

He has been following closely the ongoing transformation of the Portuguese banking sector, acting for investors on resolution matters, and representing investors and issuers in some of the largest NPL deconsolidation transactions, some of which public traded. André also leads the firm's impact investment practice.

André obtained an LL.M. in Corporate Law from NYU School of Law and earned a PhD in securities law from Universidade Nova de Lisboa.

He teaches securities and financial law at the Portuguese Catholic University, is the author of several articles and legal books in the fields of securities and finance law, and a regular speaker at industry and academic conferences.

Specialisations: Banking and financial regulation, Bond market and sovereign debt, Collective investment undertakings, Financing, Fintech, Listed companies, Project Finance, Stock market, Structured issuances and securitization

Sectors: Banking, financial institutions, Social economy

Languages: English

Academic Background

- Law degree from the University of Lisbon, 2001
- Admitted to the Portuguese Bar Association, 2004
- Postgraduate in securities law from the Faculty of Law of the University of Lisbon, 2003
- LLM in corporate law from New York University, 2003-2004
- PhD in private law from Universidade Nova de Lisboa, 2012

Professional Background

- Partner at PLMJ since 2015
- Guest lecturer at the Lisbon School of Economics and Management (ISEG) on the postgraduate course in financial analysis
- Senior associate at Clifford Chance (Luxembourg) (2014-2015)

Awards & Rankings

The Legal 500

2021 - André Figueiredo, Next Generation Partners | Banking and Finance

2021 - André Figueiredo, Next Generation Partners | Capital Markets

2020 - André Figueiredo | Banking and Finance

2019 - André Figueiredo | Banking and Finance

2019 - André Figueiredo, Next generation lawyer | Capital Markets

2018 - André Figueiredo | Banking and Finance

2018 - André Figueiredo | Capital Markets

2017 - André Figueiredo | Capital Markets

Who's Who Legal

2021 - André Figueiredo, Iberia National Leader | Project Finance

2021 - André Figueiredo, Global Leader & Iberia National Leader | Banking - Finance, Capital Markets

2020 - André Figueiredo, Global Leader | Capital Markets - Structured Finance

2020 - André Figueiredo, Global Leader | Capital Markets - Debt & Equity

2020 - André Figueiredo, Global Leader | Banking - Finance, Capital Markets

2019 - André Figueiredo, Global Leader | Banking - Finance

2019 - André Figueiredo, Global Leader | Capital Markets - Debt & Equity

2019 - André Figueiredo, Global Leader | Capital Markets - Structured Finance

IFLR 1000

2021 - André Figueiredo, Highly regarded | Capital Markets: Equity

2021 - André Figueiredo, Highly regarded | Capital Markets: Debt

2020 - André Figueiredo | Capital Markets (Debt)

2020 - André Figueiredo | Capital Markets (Equity)

2019 - André Figueiredo | Capital Markets (Debt)

2019 - André Figueiredo | Capital Markets (Equity)

2018 - André Figueiredo | Capital Markets (Debt)

2018 - André Figueiredo | Capital Markets (Equity)

Best Lawyers

2021 - André Figueiredo | Capital Markets Law

2021 - André Figueiredo | Recommended Lawyers

2020 - André Figueiredo | Recommended Lawyers

2019 - André Figueiredo | Recommended Lawyers

2018 - André Figueiredo | Recommended Lawyers

2017 - André Figueiredo | Recommended Lawyers

Chambers Europe

2021 - André Figueiredo, Band 3 | Banking & Finance Law

2021 - André Figueiredo, Band 2 | Capital Markets

2020 - André Figueiredo | Banking & Finance Law

"He offers experience in diverse corporate financing and restructuring transactions"

2020 - André Figueiredo, Band 2 | Capital Markets

"He demonstrates competencies in both debt and equity, advising on IPOs and bond issuances, including convertible bonds."

2019 - André Figueiredo, Band 2 | Capital Markets

"He leads the team and assists clients with the full gamut of capital markets mandates, spanning structured finance, debt and equity transactions."

2018 - André Figueiredo, Band 3 | Capital Markets

"Sources report: He is thoughtful, hard-working and creative."

2017 - André Figueiredo | Capital Markets

"He has extensive experience in capital markets and in particular single out his skill in debt transactions."

Chambers Global

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"He is reputed for his regulatory knowledge. Client say he is accessible, hard-working and detail-oriented."

2018 - André Figueiredo, Band 3 | Capital Markets

"He receives recognition for his practice, which includes advice on IPOs."

2017 - André Figueiredo | Capital Markets

"Sources acknowledge that "he has extensive experience in capital markets" and in particular single out his skill in debt transactions"

Leaders League

2021 - André Figueiredo | Banking & Finance