

## CURRICULUM VITAE

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### Academic degrees

**Master in Sociology** (2008), Program in Comparative Organisation and Labour Studies.

Faculty of Social and Behavioural Sciences, University of Amsterdam.

Dissertation: *A Momentum for Old Divisions. Responses of Brazilian Immigrant Workers to the Policy Framework of Flexicurity: A Case Study.*

Supervision: Prof. Dr. Martha Montero-Sieburth, University of Massachusetts-Boston; Prof. Dr. Marc van der Meer, University of Amsterdam.

**Graduation in European Studies** (2005), Major in Policy and Development.

Humanities School, University of Lisbon.

### Teaching position

**Guest Lecturer in Sociology of Work and Leisure** (2011-12).

Master's Program in Women's Studies, Open University Portugal.

### Research projects

2010-13: *Domestic services and migrant workers: the negotiation of the employment relationship*, PhD project, SOCIUS: Research Centre in Economic and Organizational Sociology, Technical University of Lisbon. Supervision: Prof. Dr. Sara Falcão Casaca and Dr. Sarah K. van Walsum.

2009-11: *Voting abroad: political participation and citizenship of Portuguese emigrants*, CIES-IUL: Centre for Research and Studies in Sociology, Lisbon University Institute. Coordination: Prof. Dr. Joana Azevedo.

2007-10: *Employment changes and gender relations: bringing four lenses together (gender, class, age and ethnicity)*, SOCIUS: Research Centre in Economic and Organizational Sociology, Technical University of Lisbon. Coordination: Prof. Dr. Sara Falcão Casaca.

2008: *Integrated system of information and knowledge on gender*, CesNova: Research Centre in Sociology, New University of Lisbon. Coordination: Prof. Dr. Manuel Lisboa.

## Publications

### Books

Abrantes, M., 2011. *Borders: opportunities and risks for immigrant workers in cities of the Netherlands*. Saarbrücken: Lambert.

### Book chapters

Abrantes, M. and Peixoto, J., forthcoming. Género, imigração e flexibilidade laboral: o caso dos serviços domésticos [Gender, immigration and labour flexibility: the case of domestic services]. In: S. F. Casaca, ed. *Mudanças laborais e relações de género: novos vetores de (des)igualdade*. Lisbon: Fundação Económicas & Almedina.

Abrantes, M., 2011. Trabalhadores imigrantes em tempos de flexigurança. Um estudo de caso sobre brasileiros em cidades holandesas [Migrant workers in times of flexicurity. The case of Brazilians in cities of the Netherlands]. In F. Carrillo Flórez and A. Malamud, eds. *Migrações, coesão social e governabilidade: perspectivas euro-latino-americanas*. Lisbon: Imprensa de Ciências Sociais, pp. 191-206.

Azevedo, J., Belchior, A., Lisi, M. and Abrantes, M., 2011. Direitos e procedimentos do voto emigrante: análise exploratória do caso português [External voting rights and procedures: an exploratory analysis of the Portuguese case]. In: J. M. Resende et al. *Pluralidades públicas do público? Controvérsia em educação, saúde e nos modos de ser solidário*. Portalegre: Instituto Politécnico de Portalegre, pp. 287-310.

### Papers

Abrantes, M., forthcoming. You're not there to make the world any cleaner: domestic services and knowledge societies. *European Societies*.

Abrantes, M., forthcoming. Labour sociology and domestic work: three contributions. *Proceedings of the 1 International Meeting on Work, Organizations and Occupations: conceptual recompositions and empirical challenges*, Lisbon, Portuguese Sociological Association.

Abrantes, P. and Abrantes, M., 2012. What is the impact of educational systems on social mobility across Europe? A comparative approach. SOCIUS: Research Centre in Economic and Organizational Sociology, School of Economics and Management, Technical University of Lisbon, Working Paper No. 01/2012, [free access](#).

Abrantes, M., 2010. «I'm just here by chance»: Notes from two research projects on migration, domestic services and the employment relationship. Migration and Diversity Centre, VU University Amsterdam, Working Paper December 2010, [free access](#).

## Reports

Azevedo, J., Belchior, A., Lisi, M. and Abrantes, M., 2012. *Votar no estrangeiro: participação política e cidadania dos emigrantes portugueses* [Voting abroad: political participation and citizenship of Portuguese emigrants]. Lisbon: Observatório da Emigração.

Casaca, S. F. et al., 2011. *Mudança do emprego e relações de género: cruzando quatro eixos de análise (género, classe, idade e etnicidade)* [Employment Changes and Gender Relations: Bringing Four Lenses Together (Gender, Class, Age and Ethnicity)]. Lisbon: SOCIUS: Research Centre in Economic and Organizational Sociology and CES: Centre for Social Studies.

## Other publications

Abrantes, M., 2012. Uma convenção e as convenções [A convention and the conventions], Plataforma Barómetro Social, [free access](#).

## Paper presentations

### 2011

Labour sociology and domestic services: three contributions. In: I International Meeting of the Portuguese Sociological Association on work, organizations and occupations: conceptual recompositions and empirical challenges. University of Porto, 7-8 July.

(with Azevedo, J.) Portuguese emigrants' political participation and citizenship: a longitudinal analysis (1976-2009). In: IMISCOE Workshop on migrants and external voting in the EU: new prospects and challenges for research and policy-making. Academia Belgica, Rome, 26-27 May.

Brazilian migrants in the Netherlands: borders under construction. In: International Symposium of CEISAL – European Council of Social Research on Latin America: The BRICs. Brazil as an emerging power. University of Salamanca, 7-8 April.

(with Belchior, A. and Azevedo, J.) Padrões de participação política na emigração portuguesa: uma análise longitudinal (1976-2009) [Patterns of political participation in Portuguese emigration: a longitudinal analysis (1976-2009)]. In: Research workshops of CIES-IUL: Centre for Research and Studies in Sociology. Lisbon University Institute, 9 March.

(with Belchior, A., Lisi, M. and Azevedo, J.) A longitudinal analysis of Portuguese emigrants' voting behavior, 1975-2009. In: IPSA - International Political Science Association and ECPR - European Consortium for Political Research Joint Conference: Whatever happened to north-south? University of São Paulo, 16-19 February.

### 2010

(with Azevedo, J., Belchior, A. and Lisi, M.) MPs and MP candidates' recruitment process in the emigration constituencies: a longitudinal analysis (1975-2009). In: Candidatos e campanhas eleitorais: as eleições legislativas de 2009 em perspectiva. Lisbon University Institute, 18-19 October.

(with Azevedo, J., Belchior, A. and Lisi, M.) The electoral participation of Portuguese citizens residing abroad, 1976-2009. In: ESA Research Network 27 Interim Meeting: Southern European societies. Cascais, 1-2 October.

Sociology, domestic work and gender: a critical insight. In: XVII ISA World Congress of Sociology. Gothenburg, 11-17 July.

(with Azevedo, J. and Lisi, M.) Votar no estrangeiro: participação política e cidadania dos emigrantes portugueses [Voting abroad: political participation and citizenship of Portuguese emigrants]. In: V Congress of the Portuguese Association of Political Science. Aveiro, 4-6 March.

## 2008

Immigrant workers in times of flexicurity: a case study of Brazilians in Dutch cities. In: VI Annual Meeting of RedGob: Euro-Latin American Network of Governability for Development. Institute of Social Sciences, Lisbon, 9-10 December, [free access](#).

## Other academic activities

### 2011

Chair of a session on *City and culture in action: politics, practices and cultural identities*, Second international conference of young urban researchers. Lisbon University Institute, 11-14 October.

Speaker on *Domestic services and migrant workers: the negotiation of the employment relationship*, Doctoral seminars in economic and organizational sociology, School of Economics and Management. Technical University of Lisbon, 22 February.

### 2010

Visiting scholar of the Migration and Diversity Centre, VU University Amsterdam, September-December.

### 2008

Data collector in the research project *A qualitative study of science museums adult audiences*, CIES-IUL: Centre for Research and Studies in Sociology, Lisbon University Institute. Coordination: Prof. Dr. António Firmino da Costa.

## Other activities

2008-09: Collaboration in the activities of *Respect - European Network of Non-Governmental Organisations for the Rights of Domestic Workers* ([www.respectnetworkeu.org](http://www.respectnetworkeu.org)).

2005-11: Participation in the projects and Member of the Board (2010-11) of *rede ex aequo: association of lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and allied youth* ([www.rea.pt](http://www.rea.pt)).

2002-05: English-Portuguese translation of scientific and literary texts for CIES-IUL: Centre for Research and Studies in Sociology, publishing house Nova Vega and others.