**EXECUTIVE PROGRAMME** 

# CHIEF SUSTAINABILITY OFFICER

PROGRAMME DIRECTORS **JOÃO PINTO** 



The significance of sustainability issues in corporate operations is on the rise. To address this crucial challenge, the appointments of Chief Sustainability Officers (CSOs) within corporate decision-making structures have been increasing. This role is currently prevalent in leading companies and will become a necessity for those aiming to secure their future. Through the Executive Course for Chief Sustainability Officers, you can refine your expertise and get ready to embrace this responsibility.

# **TARGET AUDIENCE**

Executive directors; non-executive directors; front-line directors; leaders of non-governmental organizations; senior officials from central and local public administration.

# **GOALS**

Equip participants to grasp the intricacies of the sustainability agenda across its diverse dimensions, emphasizing the interdependencies and systemic nature of its analysis. Guide them through a process that starts with identifying collective challenges and extends to overcoming the individual challenges faced by decision-makers today. Expose them to cutting-edge sustainability and regenerative thinking and practices, enabling them to make well-founded decisions that secure the success of any organization. Understand the strategic significance of sustainability issues, their relevance to the board of directors, and the increasing importance of CSOs in decision-making processes.

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## **STUDY PLAN**

CURRICULAR UNITS	HOURS	PROFESSORS
Sustainability Fundamentals - Policies, Science and Action	20	Luis Rochartre
Systems Thinking and sustainability as a key element of leadership	20	António Vasconcelos, João Brás
Circular and disruptive innovation	12	Manuela Pintado
Business strategy in the context of circular economy and sustainability	8	Luís Marques, João Meneses
Sustainable finance	16	João Pinto, Paulo Alves
Regenerative business and investments	4	João Pinto
Total	80	

## **PARTNERSHIPS**









The urgency and relevance of sustainability has come to justify an integrated perspective at the highest level of organizations. Therefore, the role of Chief Sustainability Officer emerged as an agent dedicated to building this collaboration between the various members of the board, as a dedicated and full-time responsibility.

**TIAGO FORIAZ** Founder & Managing Partner The Epic Talent Society

# THE SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS















9 INDUSTRY, INNOVATION AND INFRASTRUCTURE



10 REDUCED INEQUALITIES











13 CLIMATE ACTION

8 DECENT WORK AND ECONOMIC GROWTH



















## FIND OUT MORE:



## **EXECUTIVE COORDINATION**

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# **SCHEDULE**

Fridays from 14h30 to 18h30 And Saturdays from 9h00 to 13h00

#### **FORMAT**

Blended

**DURATION: 80 HOURS** 

**ECTS:** 16

**INVESTMENT:** 3.600 €

# **ACCESS TO THE CAREER** AND DEVELOPMENT OFFICE











CAREER SESSIONS

# **SPECIAL CONDITIONS**

Partners, protocol entities, and afiliated companies of Católica Porto Business School, along with their employees, as well as Alumni of Universidade Católica Portuguesa, benefit from a 10% discount on the tuition fee. In the case of two registrations from the same institution, there is a 10% discount on the investment; for three or more registrations, this discount will be 15%. These discounts are not cumulative.

For payment made in full prior to the start of the programme, an additional 5% discount applies.