

RESUMÉ

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Date of Birth: November 16th, 1956

Nationality: Portuguese

ACADEMIC QUALIFICATIONS:

- 1981: BA (Licenciatura) in History at the School of Arts and Humanities, University of Lisbon (Faculdade de Letras da Universidade de Lisboa).
- 1990: Post-graduation in Social Museology at the UAL – Autonomous University of Lisbon (Universidade Autónoma de Lisboa).
- 2010-2014: PhD candidate at the Interuniversity Doctoral Programme in History (PIUDHist – Programa Interuniversitário de Doutoramento em História). The thesis, supervised by Professor Hermenegildo Fernandes (School of Arts and Humanities, University of Lisbon) was centred at the *foggara* system as the structure of the Ahaggar culture centres and the problems around this irrigation model (1845-1962).

WORK EXPERIENCE:

- 2013-2017: Professor-Librarian at the Group of Schools Nuno Gonçalves, in Lisbon.

INSTITUTIONAL AFFILIATIONS:

- 2010: Associate researcher of the Centre for History of the University of Lisbon.
- 2013: Member of the Scientific Committee of the *Colloque International sur l'Eau et la Culture dans les régions Sahariennes – Adrar*.
- 2014: Member of Scientific and Organisational Committees of the *International Colloquium A Água Conta o Social – as culturas da água nas áreas saharianas e transmediterrâneas, sécs. XIX-XX*.

ORGANISATION OF SCIENTIFIC EVENTS:

- 2008: Co-coordination of the Exhibition *O Sahara – Patrimónios, Arte e Memória*, organised within the framework of «Algiers – 2007 Arab Capital of Culture» and held in the School of Arts and Humanities, the University of Lisbon (with the publication of a bilingual catalogue).
- 2013, February: Member of the scientific committee of the *Colloque International sur l'eau et la culture dans les régions Sahariennes – Adrar*, held in Algeria.
- 2013, December: Curator of the Exhibition *Evocar a Sede para Nomear a Água – As Palavras da Água no Universo Touareg*, held at Roca Lisboa Gallery.
- 2014: Member of the organising committee of the *International Colloquium A Água Conta o Social – as culturas da água nas áreas saharianas e transmediterrâneas, sécs. XIX-XX*, organised by the Centre for History of the University of Lisbon and held at the School of Arts and Humanities, University of Lisbon.
- 2014, January 22nd: Planning, research and texts of the Catalogue of the Exhibition *Evocar a Sede para Nomear a Água – As Palavras da Água no Universo Touareg*. The Catalogue was presented by Professor António Dias Farinha.
- 2014, June 3rd-5th: Curator of the Exhibition *Evocar a Sede para Nomear a Água – As Palavras da Água no Universo Touareg*, held at the Secondary School of Camões (Lisbon), in the framework of the *Environment Week of the School*.
- 2014, November 29th: Inauguration of the Exhibition *Evocar a Sede para Nomear a Água – As Palavras da Água no Universo Touareg*, held at the Centro Português de Fotografia in Porto, with a conference entitled: «A viagem como expressão do universo touareg».
- 2016, May 5th-7th: Member of the Organising Committee of the *International Colloquium «As Culturas Históricas da Água observadas através dos Processos de Conservação da Água e dos Solos – leituras geohistóricas e metodologias de investigação»*, organised by the Centre for History of the University of Lisbon and held at the School of Arts and Humanities, University of Lisbon.
- 2016, May 5th: 5 de Maio – Responsible for the protocol and cooperation framework between the Université Mohamed Khider in Biskra (Algeria) and the University of Lisbon, through the School of Arts and Humanities and its Centre for History, developing the Network

Project «*As Culturas Históricas da Água em Meios Áridos e Semiáridos*». Available online at: www.ulisboa.pt/ulisboa-receb-universidade-da-argelia.

- 2016, September 17th-19th: Member of the Programme Committee, on behalf of the University of Lisbon, of the 4th *International Symposium on Water and Wastewater Technologies in Ancient Civilizations*.
- 2016, September 21st: Organiser of the *Cycle of Conferences Culturas Históricas da Água*, with the presence of Professor Dali Aomar, of the Université Mohamed Khider in Biskra, who gave the following lecture: «L'Architecture de terre en Algérie».
- 2017, October 2nd-3rd: Member of the organising committee of the *Atelier «Percurso de investigação e leituras multidisciplinares na área das culturas da água em meios áridos e semiáridos no quadro da cooperação argelino-portuguesa»*.

PARTICIPATION IN RESEARCH PROJECTS AND PROTOCOLS:

- 2008, October: Protocol of Scientific Cooperation between the Centre for History of the University of Lisbon and the Office du Parc National de l'Ahagar (Algeria), in collaboration with the Embassy of the People's Democratic Republic of Algeria in Lisbon.
- 2012: Coordination of the research of the Exhibition *La Cartographie dans l'Histoire d'Algérie – un itinéraire de recherche à travers les collections de la Bibliothèque Nationale du Portugal* (ongoing).
- 2013: Main researcher of the Network *Projecto em Rede As Culturas Históricas da Água em Meios Áridos e Semiáridos*, based at the Centre for History of the University of Lisbon and the Agence de Bassin Hydrographique Sahara (Algeria).
- 2015: Coordination of the *Atelier d'Évaluation du Project en réseau – Cultures de l'eau et les processus historiques de leur constitution dans les milieux arides et semi-ârides*, held at Biskra, Algeria.

PARTICIPATION IN SCIENTIFIC MEETINGS:

- 2010: «O sistema de *foggara* nos centros de cultura do Ahaggar: uma problemática de investigação face a um modelo de irrigação», lecture presented in the *I Seminário Memórias*,

Discursos e Práticas Sociais, organised by the Centre for History of the University of Lisbon and held the School of Arts and Humanities, University of Lisbon.

- 2012, June: «A questão da água no Islão contemporâneo», lecture presented at the *III Curso de História do Islão*, organised by the Centre for History of the University of Lisbon and held the School of Arts and Humanities, University of Lisbon.

- 2013, February: «Le nouveau paradigme de l'eau – le regard des sciences sociales», paper presented in the *Colloque International sur l'eau et la culture dans les régions Sahariennes – Adrar*, held in Algeria.

- 2013, May 29th: «A patrimonialização da água centrada na dinâmica do universo touareg», lecture presented in the *IV Seminário Memórias, Discursos e Práticas Sociais*, organised by the Centre for History of the University of Lisbon and held the School of Arts and Humanities, University of Lisbon.

- 2014, January 22nd-24th: «Uma leitura dos discursos historiográficos sobre o hidro-sistema correspondente ao modelo de irrigação por *foggara*», paper presented in the *Colóquio Internacional A Água conta o Social: as Culturas da Água nas Áreas Saharianas e Transmediterrâneas, séculos XIX-XX*, organised by the Centre for History of the University of Lisbon and held the School of Arts and Humanities, University of Lisbon.

- 2014, February 28th: «Os centros de cultura do Ahaggar – Argélia – da identidade touareg como modelo de organização do espaço no âmbito colonial (1842-1902). Um itinerário de investigação», paper presented in the Centre of African Studies of University of Porto (CEAUP).

- 2014, March 28th: Presentation of the framework of the Network *Projecto em Rede As Culturas Históricas da Água em Meios Áridos e Semiáridos*, with the presence of the Her Excellency, the Ambassador of the People's Democratic Republic of Algeria and the Director of the Centre for History of the University of Lisbon.

- 2014, June 3rd-5th: «As culturas históricas da água em meios áridos e semi-áridos», paper presented in the framework of the *Environment Week* of the Secondary School of Camões (Lisbon), by invitation of Professor Luís Ribeiro (IST – Instituto Superior Técnico, University of Lisbon).

- 2014, November 21st: «A constituição dos saberes centrados nos territórios da água – paradigmas de uma nova cultura da água», paper presented in the *Seminário Internacional*

Definições e Problematizações de uma Rede de Pesquisa sobre as Culturas da Água, held at the Centre of African Studies of University of Porto (CEAUP).

- 2014, November 21st: «O projecto em rede – a justificação de um referencial de observação», participation in the round table of the *Seminário Internacional Definições e Problematizações de uma Rede de Pesquisa sobre as Culturas da Água*, held at the Centre of African Studies of University of Porto (CEAUP).

- 2014, November 29th: «A viagem como expressão do universo touareg», lecture presented in the inauguration of the Exhibition *Evocar a Sede para Nomear a Água – As Palavras da Água no Universo Touareg*, held at the Centro Português de Fotografia in Porto.

- 2015, February 20th: Participation in the *Workshop Ciência, tecnologia, e suas limitações em espaços coloniais*, organised by the Interuniversity Centre of History of Science and Technology at the Faculty of Sciences, University of Lisbon.

- 2015: In the framework of the Project «As Culturas Históricas da Água em Meios Áridos e Semiáridos», 3rd phase, in the context of the elaboration of the strategic plan, it was presented the document «*Rapport de Synthèse des travaux de la réunion à l'Université de Biskra (23 Novembre 2015)*», with the scheduled works for 2016.

- 2016, February 18th-19th: «Entre Paradigmas e Discursos Historiográficos – A identidade das culturas da água nas margens do Mediterrâneo», paper presented at the *II Seminario Red Universitaria de Historia Ambiental (RUEDHA): Dialogos de Saberes Ambientales desde la (in)sustentabilidad*, held at the University of Granada, Spain. Available online at: www.ruedha.hypotheses.org.

- 2016, April, 8th: «A identidade das culturas históricas da água nas margens do Mediterrâneo – linhas de observação», paper presented at the *Workshop História Ambiental: Fontes Históricas, Metodologias e Interdisciplinaridade*, organised by the Centre for History of the University of Lisbon and held at the School of Arts and Humanities, University of Lisbon.

- 2016, May 5th-7th: Member of the organising committee of the *International Colloquium «As Culturas Históricas da Água observadas através dos Processos de Conservação da Água e dos Solos – leituras geohistóricas e metodologias de investigação»*, organised by the Centre for History of the University of Lisbon and held at the School of Arts and Humanities, University of Lisbon. In this context, I've developed the research axis of the Network Project «As Culturas

da água em Meios áridos e Semiáridos – Rede de Cidades Promotoras das Culturas da Água – entre o local e o Global».

- 2016, September 17th-19th: In the 4th *International Symposium on Water and Wastewater Technologies in Ancient Civilizations*, in the first session, «As Culturas da Água em Meios Áridos e Semiáridos», I've made inaugural presentation; I've also delivered the paper «The View Point of Social Scientists about the *foggara* irrigation systems» in the session «Cultural Heritage of Water usage», and coordinated the Round Table «Arid and Semiarid Lands: Ancient Knowledge for Exploiting and Distributing Water – Plenary Session», with Professors Ahecine Zinedinne Saouli and Mahmoud Debabeche, of the Université Mohamed Khider in Biskra.
- 2016, October 14th-15th: Participation on the *I Colóquio Internacional «Falas da Água – Água que dá Vida, Água que traz a Morte»*, organised by the IELT (Instituto de Estudos de Literatura e Tradição) and held at the School of Social Sciences and Humanities of the NOVA University of Lisbon, as co-author of the book «Lecturas del Agua» at its public presentation.
- 2016, October 24th: Inauguration of the *Exhibition «Evocar a Sede para Nomear a Água – As Palavras da Água no Universo Touareg»*, at the Museu Municipal de Moura.
- 2016, November 29th: «O sistema de irrigação por *foggara* nos centros de cultura do Ahaggar –Sahara argelino – como modelo identitário da gestão dos espaços agro-hidráulicos», paper presented at the *Colóquio História e Cultura da Água*, held at the Museum of Science of the University of Coimbra. Available online at: www.museudaciencia.org.
- 2017, March 15th-17th: «Some Observations regarding the Algerian Oasian Communities as an ecosystemic matrix and model», poster presented at the 1st *International Meeting on Histories of Nature and Environments: Perspectives and Dialogues*, organised by the Centre for History of the University of Lisbon, the Portuguese Centre for Global History (CHAM) of the NOVA University of Lisbon and the Centre for Administration and Public Policies (CAPP) of the University of Lisbon, and held the School of Arts and Humanities, University of Lisbon.
- 2017, May 4th-6th: «A natureza das comunidades oasianas argelinas – a avaliação da sustentabilidade de um ecossistema (século XIX e XX)», paper presented at the *II Meeting REPORT(H)A – Desafios Ambientais numa Perspetiva Histórica*.

- 2017, May 23th-24th: «Une lecture des communautés oasiennes algériennes – d'une représentation orientaliste à une évaluation de la durabilité environnemental d'un écosystème», opening conference of the *Workshop Patrimoine et Cultures Historiques de l'Eau dans les Milieux Arides et Semi-arides*, held at the Université Mohamed Khider in Biskra, Algeria.
- 2017, October 2nd-3rd: «Um texto fundador – refletir sobre o novo paradigma da cultura da água do ponto de vista das ciências sociais», paper presented at the *Atelier «Percurso de investigação e leituras multidisciplinares na área das culturas da água em meios áridos e semiáridos no quadro da cooperação argelino-portuguesa»*.
- 2017, October 31st: Representative of the Centre for History of the University of Lisbon in the opening session of the *LIS-WATER Lisbon International Center for Water – Center of Excellence on public policies, regulation and management on water services and resources*, based at the LNEC (Laboratório Nacional de Engenharia Civil). Available online at: www.lis-water.org.

ARTICLES PUBLISHED:

- RIBEIRO, Isabel (2016), «El Sistema de irrigación par *foggara* en el Macizo del Ahaggar: la problemática de un modelo de irrigación», in María Isabel Morales Sánchez, Sara Robles Ávila y Maria da Natividade Pires (coord.), *Lecturas del Agua: un acercamiento interdisciplinar desde la cultura y el turismo*. Madrid: Los Libros de la Catarata, pp. 216-224. ISBN: 978-84-9097-208-3.