

# MDR ADVOGADOS

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#### **Areas & Industries**

Corporate and Commercial, Litigation and Arbitration, Tax, Foreign Investment, Infrastructures, IT and Telecommunications, Oil and Gas, Public-Private Partnerships, Real Estate and Construction

# **Professional Experience**

Bruno Xavier de Pina is an international consultant at MDR Advogados, the exclusive member of the Morais Leitão Legal Circle network in Mozambique, since 2021.

He is a profound expert on the Lusophone world, in particular on the Angolan and Cape Verdean markets, with very relevant experience in cross-border matters. Bruno dedicates particular attention to the telecommunications, electronics, aviation, oil and gas, manufacturing and tourism sectors, exclusively advising international companies on their local investments.

Bruno Xavier de Pina was a partner and coordinator of the International Angola Group (which included the Angola Desk, in Portugal, and coordination of BCSA, the Angolan law firm) at PLMJ, where he was responsible for its strategy for Portuguese-speaking African countries. Previously, he worked at Deloitte as tax consultant, Miranda & Associados and at Raposo Bernardo & Associados.

A lawyer since 2004, he specialises in advising on foreign investment operations and projects and the reorganisation of investment projects including foreign exchange, contracts, and associated tax matters.

In 2017 Bruno Xavier de Pina was recognized with the Iberian Lawyer's "Forty under 40" award, having also received, on that occasion, the Outstanding Achievement award.

#### **Education**

Law Degree (University of Lisbon School of Law, 2001). Postgraduate Studies in Taxation - *Gestão Fiscal das*Organizações (ISEG - Lisbon School of Economics and Management, 2003).

## **Memberships**

Portuguese Bar Association (admitted in 2004). Sao Tome and Principe Bar Association (admitted in 2008).

### **Languages**

Portuguese and English.