

MANUEL DIAS

With over 20 years' experience in technology, Manuel Dias started his career at EFACEC leading a R&D team developing real-time systems, then moved to OutSystems to create and lead a new Business Solutions unit and then assumed the Product Management leadership.

In 2010 Manuel joined Microsoft where he currently has the responsibility for a Data & Artificial Intelligence area in the Enterprise market, covering all Business Intelligence, Machine Learning, IoT and Artificial Intelligence initiatives.

Since the beginning of 2018, Manuel co-founded and is currently Vice-President of the new Data Science Portuguese Association (DSPA).

Since 2015 Manuel is also an Invited Professor at NOVA Information Management School (NOVA IMS) in the Data Science and Advanced Analytics Master Degree Programs.

With a strong academic background, Manuel has a graduation in Electronics and Computer Science from Instituto Superior Técnico (IST) and a Master Degree in Information Systems from Instituto Superior de Gestão e Economia (ISEG), where he developed his thesis on mathematical modelling and simulation of Complex Systems.