

**MORAIS LEITÃO** GALVÃO TELES, SOARES DA SILVA & ASSOCIADOS

# MARIA GOUVEIA

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### **Areas & Industries**

Tax

## **Professional Experience**

Maria Gouveia has been working with Morais Leitão since 2016, as a partner in the firm's tax team.

She has nearly two decades of experience as a tax professional, having worked in the European Commission's Directorate-General for Taxation and Customs Union, as a tax advisor for eight years (she was a tax manager in a Big Four multinational advisory firm) and, since 2016, as a lawyer in Morais Leitão's tax department.

She works in the areas of international and domestic taxation for clients from different sectors and industries, particularly in the context of M&A transactions, venture capital, financing and advising national and international investors in defining investment strategies in Portugal. She has extensive experience in advising banks, insurance companies, investment funds, start-ups, companies in the real estate, technology, energy and healthcare sectors.

Maria Gouveia is an arbitrator at the Administrative Arbitration Centre.

#### **Education**

Law Degree (Faculty of Law, University of Porto, 2005). Post Graduate Studies in Tax (Coimbra Faculty of Law, 2007). Several specialised courses in Tax and Corporate Law. Certified Trainer (CAP) - frequently takes part in internal and external tax trainings.

## **Memberships**

Portuguese Bar Association (admitted in 2008).

## **Languages**

Portuguese, English, French and Spanish.

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