

## PERSONAL INFORMATION



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## JOB APPLIED FOR

## WORK EXPERIENCE

September 2013 – Present

**Undergraduate Researcher**

Lisbon Baby Lab (FLUL/CLUL) Alameda da Universidade 1600-214, Lisbon (Portugal)

These tasks were part of the EBELa Project-*Eyes and Brain - Early Markers of Language Development* (EXCL/MHC-LIN/0688/2012). This project was funded by national funding through the FCT/MCTES (PIDDAC).

Description: Recruiting subjects, getting in touch with families in order to get them to do the experiments with proper consent, applying the AOSi scale and the CDI form to subjects, running experiments, and following the subjects the process of evaluation of language acquisition after the experimental tasks.

June 2013 – August 2013

**Research Assistant**

Harvard Laboratory for Developmental Studies. 33 Kirkland Street 02138, Cambridge, MA (United States)

This internship was part of a project on Language in Autism. I had to develop different abilities to go through this internship: I had to recruit several children by calling their parents, I participated in recruiting actions in public places, attended to meeting where research objectives were established and run experiments with children and adults, coded data of typically developing children and children with autism.

May 2012 – June 2013

**Undergraduate Researcher**

Lisbon Baby Lab (FLUL/CLUL) Alameda da Universidade 1600-214, Lisbon (Portugal)

These tasks were part of the DEPE Project- *Desenvolvimento da Estrutura Prosódica e Entoação* (PTDC/CLE-LIN/108722/2008). This project was funded by national funding through the FCT/MCTES (PIDDAC).

Description: Organizing the lexicon of a corpus of five children. This corpus contained productions from eleven months of age until four years and ten months. These data were used to create a database named PLEX5 which was the base to the Portuguese version of the MacArthur's CDI and labeling of 572 linguistic productions of an infant according to the prosodic contours of the productions and the pragmatic context in which they occurred.

February 2012 – May 2012

**Collaborator**

Lisbon Baby Lab da Universidade de Lisboa (FLUL/CLUL) Alameda da Universidade 1600-214, Lisbon (Portugal)

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Description: Organizing the lexicon of a corpus of five children. This corpus contained productions from eleven months of age until four years and ten months. The purpose of this corpus was to create a Portuguese version of the MacArthur's CDI and apply it to children who are native speakers of Portuguese.

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

2011 – Present

**Undergraduate Student in Language Sciences**

Faculty Of Letters of the University of Lisbon, Lisbon (Portugal)

2008 – 2011

**High School**

Escola Secundária de Camões, Lisbon (Portugal)

PERSONAL SKILLS

Mother tongue(s)

Portuguese

Other language(s)

	UNDERSTANDING		SPEAKING		WRITING
	Listening	Reading	Spoken interaction	Spoken production	
English	C2	C2	C2	C2	C2
French	B1	B1	A2	A2	A2
DEFE B1					
German	B2	B2	B2	B2	B2

Levels: A1/A2: Basic user - B1/B2: Independent user - C1/C2: Proficient user  
[Common European Framework of Reference for Languages](#)

Communication skills

Organisational / managerial skills

Strong sense of responsibility.

Job-related skills

Computer skills

Advanced user in Analysis and Sound Edition Softwares (Praat, Audacity, Wavesurfer)  
 Advanced user in MS Office Software user  
 Advanced user in Windows Movie Maker  
 Advanced user in File Maker

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Conferences/ Congresses and Workshops

Participation:  
 September 2013:

February 2013: Participated in "Tolkien Construtor de Mundos", Faculty of letters of the University of Lisbon.

December 2012: Participated in the conference "Investigação Psicolinguística: experimentando em uma língua indígena brasileira" by Marcus Maia of the Federal University of Rio de Janeiro (UFRJ), Faculty of Letters of the University of Lisbon

October 2012: Participated in the conference "Your Brain has a Gender?" by Melissa Hines of the University of Cambridge, UK, Fundação Calouste Gulbenkian

February 2012: Participated in the seminar "Diada Catalana", Faculty of Letters of the University of Lisbon.

February 2012: Participated in the extra course *I Curso de História das Religiões: «As religiões mediterrânicas»*, Faculty of Letters of the University of Lisbon.

January 2012: Participated in the extra course *Literatura e Política no Romantismo Português*, Faculty of Letters of the University of Lisbon.

November 2011: Participated in the Conference *The Origins of Language*, by Prof. Michael C. Corballis, Institute for the Health Sciences of the Portuguese Catholic University.

September 2011: Participated in the extra course *I Curso de História do Fantástico e do Maravilhoso: «Entre Mitos, Demónios e Monstros»*, Faculty of Letters of the University of Lisbon.

#### Social Skills

Teamwork experience.

Ability to deal with people from different social and cultural backgrounds.

#### Artistic Skills

Actor in the amateur theatre group of Escola Secundária de Camões for 2 years. Acted in a total of 3 plays.

#### Honors

2012- Merit Scholarship attributed by Goethe-Institut Lissabon

2011- First place winner of Concurso Literário da Escola Secundária de Camões in Short Story and Drama, and winner of the second place in Poetry.

2010- First place winner of Concurso Literário da Escola Secundária de Camões in Poetry and Themed Short Story.

#### Publications

© Frota, S., S. Correia, C. Severino, M. Cruz, M. Vigário & S. Cortês, 2012 PLEX5 - A production lexicon of child speech for European Portuguese / Um léxico infantil para o Português Europeu. Lisboa: Laboratório de Fonética CLUL/FLUL. ISBN 978-989-95713-6-5