

# POST-GRADUATION Security Management



**Next edition**  
15 September 2023



**Workload**  
251 hours  
4 months



**Format**  
Online



**ECTS**  
30



**Timetable**  
Fridays, 18:30 - 22:30  
Saturdays, 09:00 - 18:00

## Structure

This program, recognized by the police PSP (authorization n.º 122) is compulsory for those holding the position of security director (Law n.º 34/2013, of 16 May, amended by Law n.º 46/2019, of 8), has been organized pursuant Order n.º 148/2014, of 18 July, amended by order n.º. 304/2021, of 17 December, this provides solid training in the several areas of private security, allowing its students to acquire a thorough perspective of all the techniques, processes and procedures developed by the same in the most diverse areas of activity where it operates. The program includes a traineeship (elective), a practical experience in real-life context, thus providing them with an opportunity to enhance their skills. Its lecturers include some of the best professionals from security forces and services and the most experienced security directors in Portugal that work in several areas, in a total of forty lecturers. This also ensures that students acquire solid training as security liaison agents in critical infrastructure operators, pursuant Decree-Law n.º 20/2022, of 28 January.

## Objectives

The Post-Graduation in Security Management aims to provide students with skills needed in security management, at different levels and in different activities, as well as provide an opportunity for students to further their knowledge in managing security resources so as to use them to their full potential.

## Who should attend

Those who hold or aim to hold a position in Private Security or a similar area, particularly those holding or aiming to hold the position of security director, security liaison officer and/or contact person for the infrastructure of critical infrastructure operators, those responsible for self-protection services, financial institutions, companies managing large commercial areas, use of cannabis for medicinal purposes, locations with spaces for dancing, as well as security managers for sports events and those aiming to become trainers in private security.

## Minimum academic qualifications

12th grade or equivalent - Ordinance No. 304/2021, of December 17

## Coordinator

**Ludovico Jara Franco**

# Study Plan

**Introduction to private security**  
 31 hours — 6 ECTS

**Legal regime on private security**  
 12 hours — 2 ECTS

**Physical and electronic security**  
 12 hours — 1 ECTS

**Critical infrastructures – protection and increase in resilience – simulation on reactions to disasters**

**Person security**  
 23 hours — 3 ECTS

**Information security and cybersecurity**  
 12 hours — 1 ECTS

**Fire prevention and protection**  
 13 hours — 2 ECTS

**Planning and management of private security**  
 94 hours — 12 ECTS

**Lectures and visits**  
 35 hours<sup>(1)</sup>

**On-the-job training (elective)**

140 hours — 5 ECTS<sup>(2)</sup>

(1) Includes 3-hour training provided and certified by the Portuguese Central Bank on the methods used to verify authenticity of the Euro banknote and the fight against counterfeiting.

(2) Internship locations are usually located in the Lisbon metropolitan area. After the end of the training, the internship (optional) takes place, with delivery of the reports up to 5 days after the end of the same and later presentation on dates to be agreed.

## Assessment Methodology

At the end of each Curricular Unit (UC), a test will be prepared.

## Payment Conditions

Application	100€
Enrolment	100€
School insurance	20€
Certificate	75€
Tuition fees	1450€*

\*Fee can be paid in 4 instalments or in full. If payment is in full, a 3,5% discount is applied.

\*\*AUTÓNOMA alumni and ADSP associates have a 10% discount on the tuition fee.

## Documentation

Original or certified copy of the Qualification Certificate <sup>(a)</sup>
Photo
Curriculum vitae

<sup>(a)</sup> Qualifications obtained at the Universidade Autónoma de Lisboa do not require authentication. In the case of qualifications obtained abroad, in addition to the authentication of the copy(s) described above, authentication by the Portuguese Embassy or Consulate in the country of origin of the academic qualification or by the Apostille of the Hague Convention is required. If the documents are not in Portuguese, the documents must be translated by a translator recognized by the Portuguese diplomatic representation.

## Availabilities

