

SANTARÉM POLYTECHNIC UNIVERSITY

INTERNATIONAL XV WEEK

INTERNATIONALISATION
OF HIGHER EDUCATION

MAY, 4TH – 8TH 2026



PROGRAMME

MONDAY, 04.05.2026

09:30–10:00 REGISTRATION

ISPOT (SANTARÉM POLYTECHNIC UNIVERSITY – CENTRAL SERVICES BUILDING)

10:00–10:15 OPENING REMARKS

JOÃO MOUTÃO – PRESIDENT OF SANTARÉM POLYTECHNIC UNIVERSITY

10:30–11:30 OPENING SESSION

INTERNATIONALISING FOR PEACE: THE TRANSFORMATIVE ROLE OF UNIVERSITIES

MARTA LVA, PROFESSOR AT SANTARÉM POLYTECHNIC UNIVERSITY – SCHOOL OF EDUCATION

VITOR BARRETO, COORDINATOR OF THE SCIENTIFIC–PEDAGOGICAL COUNCIL OF UTIS – UNIVERSITY OF THIRD AGE OF SANTARÉM AND PROFESSOR OF GEOGRAPHY AND GEOPOLITICS

RONY DARAZI, VICE RECTOR FOR COOPERATION AND INTERNATIONALIZATION, UNIVERSITÉ ANTONINE, LEBANON

11:45–12:45 STRATEGIC PANEL I

INTERNATIONALISATION POLICIES AND STRATEGIES

DENISE CASTILHO DE MATOS, INTERNATIONALISATION COORDINATOR AT FORMER ERASMUS + NACIONAL AGENCY IN PORTUGAL, CURRENTLY HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTE – PUBLIC INSTITUTION

13:00–14:30 LUNCH

14:30 STRATEGIC PANEL II

PROFORMANCE+ TOOL TO ENHANCE INTERNATIONALISATION QUALITY IN LEARNING AND TEACHING IN HIGHER EDUCATION INTERNACIONAL

BÁRBARA GABRIEL, VICE-DIRECTOR FOR INTERNATIONALIZATION, INNOVATION AND INCLUSION, DEPARTMENT OF MECHANICAL ENGINEERING – UNIVERSITY OF AVEIRO

17:00 CULTURAL PROGRAMME

VISIT AND DINNER AT QUINTA DA LAGOALVA VINEYARD

TUESDAY, 05.05.2026

10:00–11:00 WORKSHOP I – INTERNATIONAL PARTNERSHIPS – EUROPEAN ALLIANCES

CRISTINA NOVO, PRO-PRESIDENT FOR COORDINATION OF EUROPEAN ALLIANCE ACE2–EU

11:30–12:30 WORKSHOP II – CURRICULUM INTERNATIONALISATION

DENADA LICA & SILVANA GASHI UNIVERSITY "ALEKSANDER MOJSIU, DURRËS, ALBÂNIA

12:30–14:00 LUNCH

14:00–15:00 WORKSHOP III – PORTUGUESE LANGUAGE CRASH COURSE

PAULA FERREIRA, DEPARTMENT OF LANGUAGES AND LITERATURES, SCHOOL OF EDUCATION, SANTARÉM POLYTECHNIC UNIVERSITY

15:15 CITY HALL RECEPTION AND VISIT TO HISTORICAL CITY CENTRE

WALKING TOUR

WEDNESDAY, 06.05.2026

10:00–11:00 STRATEGIC PANEL III: INTERNATIONAL TEACHING METHODOLOGIES – COLLABORATIVE ONLINE INTERNATIONAL LEARNING

ANA LOUREIRO & PATRÍCIA PEREIRA, PROFESSORS, SCHOOL OF EDUCATION, SANTARÉM POLYTECHNIC UNIVERSITY

11:30–12:30 STRATEGIC PANEL IV – INTERNATIONAL TEACHING METHODOLOGIES – BLENDED INTENSIVE PROGRAMMES

TELMO TEOTÓNIO, PROFESSOR PROFESSOR & RESEARCHER – SPORTS TRAINING DEPARTMENT AT SPORT SCIENCES SCHOOL OF RIO MAIOR, SANTARÉM POLYTECHNIC UNIVERSITY

IRENE CICARINO, ASSISTANT PROFESSOR IN BUSINESS MANAGEMENT – SCHOOL OF MANAGEMENT AND TECHNOLOGY, SANTARÉM POLYTECHNIC UNIVERSITY

12:30–13:30 LUNCH

14:00 CULTURAL PROGRAMME – VISIT TO ALMOUROL CASTLE

THURSDAY, 07.05.2026

08:00 CULTURAL PROGRAMME – FÁTIMA, BATALHA, ÓBIDOS, WEST COAST

FRIDAY, 08.05.2026

BILATERAL MEETINGS