



## Rodrigo Oliveira

Regional Under Secretary of the Presidency for External Relations (SsRPRE)

Rodrigo Vasconcelos de Oliveira was born in Ponta Delgada, Azores, on March 3, 1976.

He graduated in Law at the University of Lisbon in 1999 and completed his Master's Degree at the University of the Azores in 2004 with the presentation of the dissertation "O Mandado de Detenção Europeu e o Espaço de Liberdade, de Segurança e de Justiça" (The European Arrest Warrant and the Space of Freedom, Security and Justice).

Having worked as a lawyer, he suspended his practice in 2006 when he entered into office as Regional Director for European Affairs and External Cooperation of the IX Government of the Azores.

From 2003 and 2009, he held a teaching position at the University of the Azores, where he taught the subjects of Public International Law and Private International Law to the European Studies and International Politics course.

He also served as Regional Under Secretary for European Affairs and External Cooperation of the X Government of the Azores.

In November 2012, he took office as Regional Under Secretary of the Presidency for External Relations of the XI Regional Government of the Azores with powers in the areas of European affairs, external cooperation and communities.