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Sofia Vilas-Boas is a senior associate in the EU and Competition Law practice area where she works mainly in the areas of competition law, consumer and advertising law and contract law. Graduated in Law from the Oporto University Law School, Master in Business Law from the Oporto Law School of the Portuguese Catholic University and LL.M in European Competition Law from the University of Amsterdam. Sofia also completed a specialization course in European and Competition Law at the Coimbra University Law School and a Post-Graduation in Regulation and Competition Law at the Institute for Economic, Financial and Tax Law of the Lisbon University Law School. Prior to joining Garrigues, worked in the legal departments of Nestlé Portugal, S.A. and GALP Energia, S.A., as well as in the EU and Competition department at SRS Legal. Has been a member of the Portuguese Bar Association since 2017.

## Experience

Sofia Vilas-Boas is a senior associate in the European and Competition Law practice area.

Throughout her professional career Sofia has been active in the areas of European and Competition Law, Consumer Law and Contractual Law.

Prior to joining Garrigues, Sofia worked at the legal departments of Nestlé Portugal, S.A. and GALP Energia, S.A. and at the EU and Competition Law Department of SRS Legal.

## Academic background

- LL.M in European Competition Law and Regulatory, by the University of Amsterdam (2019).
- Postgraduate degree in Regulation and Competition from the Institute of Economic, Financial and Tax Law, Lisbon Law School (2018).
- Specialisation course in EU and Competition Law at the University of Coimbra Law School (2018).
- Master's Degree in Business Law from the Law School of the Catholic University of Porto (2015).
- Law Degree from the Faculty of Law of the University of Porto (2013).

## **Memberships**

Member of the Portuguese Bar Association since 2017.

## **Publications**

*Bringing competition law into the digital era - selective distribution and marketplace bans: what should change?, in Competition & Regulatory Review - 45, JANUARY / MARCH 2021.*