

Ana da Cunha Barros

REN Board Member since: April 2021

Other current listed Public Company Directorships: None

Other current Public Company Directorships within past 5 years: None

Key Experience and Qualifications

National and international experience in markets and financial advisory: 25 years of experience in investment banking, with a focus on mergers and acquisitions, debt and share capital issues, from working for large international banks based in Lisbon, Madrid, London and New York, gaining a strong knowledge of finance, financial markets, economics, strategy, regulation and risk in a global context.

Career Highlights

- Abanca Corporación Bancaria (Spain) Independent Non-Executive Director and Member of the Risk Committee – 2019 to present date
- ECS SGOIC Non-Executive Director – October 2019 to present date
- Barclays Managing Director in Investment Banking – June 2010 to January 2018
- Salomon Brothers / Citigroup Director of Investment Banking - February 1996 to May 2010
- Nomura International Financial Analyst in Investment Banking – January 1994 to December 1996

Other Professional Experience and Community Involvement

During her career, Ana has worked on a variety of strategic, financing and risk management transactions in Europe, Latin America and US across several sectors such as financial institutions, energy, utilities, transportation, industrials and telecommunications. In Portugal, Ana has advised boards of directors on several major private and market operations. Ana has also experience with a wide range of stakeholders, including corporations, financial institutions, debt and equity investors, regulatory authorities, rating agencies and the media. Ana is also Co Vice-President of WomenExecs on Boards at USA from October 2022 to present date.

Education

MBA in Finance from Cass Business School (1993) and a degree in Business Management from the Economics University of the Porto University (1992). Course “Global ESG Competent Boards Designation” (2021), course in Corporate Governance IDP-C at INSEAD (2019), course “Women on Boards: Succeeding as a Corporate Director” at Harvard Business School (2017). Multiple courses in the areas of sustainable energy and digitisation: Sustainable Energy at MIT (2022), cybersecurity Risk Management at RIT (2022), Energy with Environmental Constraints at Harvard (2021), digital Transformation at MIT (2020) and Fintech at NYU (2019).