

## **Ana Carrilho**

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Ana Carrilho graduated in Agro-Industrial Engineering Instituto Superior de Agronomia, in Lisbon, initially developed her interest in the production of olive oils during the completion of her thesis, entitled "Definition of the optimal period of harvest of olives and characterization of the oils of two cultivars in the DOP – North Alentejano".

In 2005 made a Master's in Oliviculture and Oliotechnology at University of Cordoba, Spain having the opportunity to work in the "Almazara Experimental – Instituto de la Grassa, topics such as Influences of Inertization in the process of virgin olive oil extraction and quality of the oils obtained. She is also Post-graduated in Management by Nova School of Business and Economics in Lisbon.

In 2003, developed a professional internship in Italy, in Product Quality Control at Carapelli. The following year, she returned to Lisbon, where she obtained a research scholarship, where she followed projects in the Olives and Olive Oil area until 2008. In the company Olivais do Sul was Technical Director, having been responsible for Quality and Environment, Production and Laboratory.

In 2013 he joined the Esporão team, assuming the responsibility of the Company's Olive Oil Business Area.

Ana Carrilho is a full member of the olive oil panel test of the Instituto Superior de Agronomia. It is also worth noting the accumulation of jury responsibility in several National and International Contests of Virgin Olive Oil such as: Argoliva, Argentina; Mario Solinas, Spain; Ecotrama, Spain; Expoliva, Spain; EVOOLEUM; world's 100 best extra virgin olive oils, Spain; Trophée Premium, Morocco; Feira de Santarém, Portugal; Ovibeja, Portugal; Olivomoura, Portugal, Sol d'Oro, Italy and OliveJapan, Japan and expert in sensorial analysis at the International Olive Council.

She is also director at Casa do Azeite – Olive Oil House and director at CEPAAL – Center for Studies and Promotion of Alentejo Olive Oil.

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