List of Lawyers in the Algarve, Portugal

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List of lawyers in The Algarve
Updated: 23 August 2018

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- they have extensive experience of representing British nationals in all legal fields
- they cover the whole country
- they provide a professional, swift service
- they provide translation services for all types of legal documents

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- they cover the whole country
- They have English and French speaking staff
- They have experience of representing British nationals
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- specialities are in Property purchases and sales and all legal services. UK qualified solicitor competent to issue certificates of English law
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- they have experience of representing British nationals
- they cover the whole country

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- they are affiliated to Ordem dos Advogados
- specialisations are in Criminal and Corporate Law
- they have experience of representing British nationals
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**This company has told us the following things:**

- We are affiliated to Ordem dos Advogados (Faro);
- We are a member of the Honourable Society of the Inner Temple, London;
- We are both UK and PT qualified;
- We and our staff speak English, Portuguese and German;
- We specialize in Real Estate, Property Law, Conveyancing, Family Law, Inheritance Law and applications for rental licenses (AL);
- We have vast experience in representing and assisting British nationals.

**This company has told us the following things:**

- they have English and Portuguese speaking staff
- they are affiliated to Ordem dos Evora and Faro
- specialisations are in Asset and Share Sales & Acquisitions, Building Contracts, Company Formation, Company Offshore Matters, Employment Law, Property Purchase & Sales, Inheritance Law, Mortgages, Property Development, Shareholders Agreement,
- they have experience of representing British nationals
- they cover the whole country.
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- they have English and Portuguese speaking staff
- they are affiliated to Ordem dos Solicitadores e Agentes de Execução (OSAE)
- specialist in Property Law and Property Conveyance.
- Company Law. Contracts
- they have experience of representing British nationals
- they cover the whole algarve

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- specialisations are in Civil Law, Commercial and Corporate Law, Criminal Law, Road Accident/Insurances, Family Law, Labour law, Administrative law, Personal Injuries, Wills.
- Inheritance Law, Nationality, Immigration laws, Contracts
- Real Estate, Tourism Law, Tax Law, Collection of Debts, Condominium law and Litigation.
- They provide Legal Aid
- they have experience of representing British nationals
- they cover the whole country
This company has told us the following thing:

- they have English, French, Spanish and Portuguese speaking staff
- they are affiliated to Ordem dos Advogados Faro
- specialisations are in Civil Law, Commercial Law, Criminal Law, Road Accident/Insurances, Conveyance, Family Law, Labour law, Administrative & environmental law.
- Inheritance matters, wills, Property Law, banking & finance.
- they have experience of representing British nationals
- they cover the whole country
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- We and our staff speak English, Spanish and Portuguese.
- We have experience of representing British nationals in all legal fields.
- We specialize in Contracts, Banking and Finances, Criminal Law, Insolvency.
- Family and Inheritance Law, Commercial Law, Corporate Law
- Labour and Employment Law, Real Estate.
- Legal procedure to marry by foreign citizens
- Nationality
- Translation services for all types of legal documents
- We cover the whole country

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- We and our staff speak English and Portuguese.
- We specialize in general legal, legal practice including conveyancing, business, small claims.
- We offer free translation of all and any work we undertake and or instructed
- We have experience in assisting British nationals
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- specialisations are in Marriage Law and Prenuptial Agreements, Property law, Contractual Disputes, Criminal Law, Portuguese and English Divorce, Employment, Family Law, Inheritance, Fiscal Representation, Litigation, Nationality, Personal Injury, Property and Boundary Disputes, Portuguese Wills and Inheritance and Probate and English Wills and Probate and Civil Partnership.
- also qualified to advise on English law and to issue Certificates of English Law
- they have experience of representing British nationals
- they cover the whole country

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This company has told us the following things:

- A full service law firm with 50 years’ experience and over 290 fee-earners
- They have English, Spanish, Italian, French, German, Mandarin speaking lawyers
- They cover the whole country
- Offices in Lisbon, Porto and Faro as well as partnerships in Azores, Madeira, Coimbra and Guimarães
- Vast experience representing British nationals and companies in all legal fields
- They have associated offices in Angola and Mozambique as well as network of partner firms in other Portuguese-speaking countries.
- They are affiliated to Ordem dos Advogados
This company has told us the following things:

- they have English, German and Portuguese speaking staff
- they are affiliated to Ordem dos Advogados Faro
- specialisations are in Civil Law, Criminal Law, Road Accident/Insurances, Conveyance, Family Law, Inheritance matters, wills, Property Law
- they have experience of representing British nationals
- they cover the whole country

This company has told us the following things:

- he speaks English and Portuguese
- he is affiliated to Ordem dos Advogados Faro
- as a UK qualified solicitor he specializes in the issue of certificates of English law
- he has experience of representing British nationals
- he covers the Algarve
This company has told us the following things:

- We have English, German and Portuguese speaking staff.
- We are registered with the Law Society of England and Wales and the Ordem dos Advogados of Portugal.
- We are a multilingual law practice specialising in assisting vendors and purchasers in property conveyancing and off-shore company transactions.
- We prepare building and rental contracts.
- We prepare British Consular declarations regarding UK wills and probate.

This company has told us the following things:

- They have English and Portuguese speaking staff.
- They are affiliated to Ordem dos Advogados Evora and Faro.
- They have experience of representing British nationals who cover the whole country.
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- We are affiliated to Ordem dos Advogados  
- We specialize in and have experience in litigation, debt recovery, property conveyance, real estate & construction, will preparations, successions/inheritances, criminal law, employment law and tax law.  
- We have experience of representing British nations. we cover the whole country

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- We have English and French speaking staff  
- We are affiliated to Ordem dos Advogados – Councils of Lisbon and Faro  
- specializations and experience are in Real estate assistance, Property conveyance, Immigration, Investment Law, criminal law, Civil law, including contracts, family and heritages, real estate and tort, commercial law, including business and corporate, banking, insurance, finance and investment, employment law, tax law, intellectual and industrial property, tourism law, collection of debts  
- we have extensive experience with foreign clients in general, and with British nationals quite in particular  
- we cover the whole country, with solid presence in the Algarve and Lisbon
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- They specialise in Conveyance, Tax Law, Property Law, Commercial Law, Inheritance Law, Probate, Family Law, Tax Representation of Clients, Civil and Criminal Law, Wills, Condominium Law, Debts Collection, court cases, immigration law.

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