



EMBEDDED IN YOUR BUSINESS.

Litigation & Arbitration

Litigation demands absolute understanding of the client's business, the surrounding environment and the meticulous eye of a seasoned litigant.

SLCM has built an extensive knowledge base which reaches into all the core sectors of the Portuguese Economy. We provide the expertise and the talent to achieve practical and expedient solutions to our clients.

Arbitration is experiencing significant growth in civil, corporate and administrative areas, with our lawyers acting as counsel or arbitrators.

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SETTLING DISPUTES AND RESOLVING CONFLICT IN PRE-LITIGATION AND LITIGATION SCENARIOS...

...WITH A TENACIOUS AND UNCOMPROMISING
FOCUS ON THE CLIENT'S BEST INTEREST IN COURT

_ Preventing conflicts from arising through dispute resolution mechanisms in early stages of the process

_ Anticipating litigation and assessing compliance with contractual and non-contractual obligations

_ Drafting arbitration agreements and clauses

_ Preparing and implementing problem-solving strategies in pre-litigation and litigation scenarios

_ Negotiating settlements both in and out of court

HOW?

_ Anticipating issues
_ Primary legal care
_ Analysing dispute scenarios identifying options and advising on best course of action

TO WHOM?

_ Banks
_ Companies
_ Funds and Management Companies
_ Public Entities
_ Private Individuals
_ Insurance Companies
_ Financial Companies

WITH WHO?

_ Seasoned lawyers with extensive experience and specialized focus on the litigation *metier*

_ Multi-disciplinary support teams in specific and particularly complex issues

_ Providing legal representation and counselling in civil and commercial suits, both judicial and arbitral, including:

- commercial law
- family law
- property law
- inheritance law
- contractual default
- intellectual property

_ Providing legal representation and counselling in criminal and misdemeanour proceedings

_ Providing legal representation and counselling in enforcement proceedings and interim measures

_ Acting as arbitrators in institutional and *ad hoc* arbitration