



**4SPIC '17**



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Summer Portuguese Intensive Course  
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# PORTUGUESE AS A FOREIGN LANGUAGE

- Level A1 (Beginners level)**
- Level A2 (Elementary level)**
- Level B1 (Intermediate I level)**
- Level B2 (Intermediate II level)**

**From: August 28<sup>th</sup>, 2017**  
**To: September 15<sup>th</sup>, 2017**

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### Portuguese as a Foreign Language Levels: A1, A2, B1 and B2

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#### Deadlines:

- Deadline for registration: June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2017
- Divulging definitive lists: July 19<sup>th</sup>, 2017

#### Fees:

- Classes+Cultural Activities = 405€
- Course+Cultural Activities+Accommodation = 660€
- Classes+Surfing Course = 535€
- Course+Surfing Course+Accommodation = 790€

#### Course structure:

The 4SPIC'17 course has a total duration of **90 hours**, divided as follows:

- 60 hours in the classroom: Portuguese Language (24 hours), Oral Expression Workshops (13 hours), Writing Expression Workshops (13 hours), Multimedia Laboratory (10 hours)
  - 22 hours of cultural activities: discovering the natural, tangible and intangible heritage of the city and region of Aveiro
  - 22 hours of sports activities: discovering the natural beautiful of the ocean and taking the surfing course
- 8h of complementary activities: opening and closing ceremonies.



The **University of Aveiro (UA)** is a public institution with a mission to provide and develop graduate education, research and cooperation with society. Founded in 1973, it quickly became one of the most dynamic and innovative universities in the country. For over 35 years, it has offered foreign students an intensive and supportive environment that creates opportunities to gain a solid foundation for their proficiency in Portuguese.

Any adult foreigner (for whom Portuguese is a foreign language) can apply to the 4SPIC'17 course, whether or not they are resident in Portugal, as may mobility students (Erasmus+ Exchange Students), whether or not linked to the UA.

Note: applications from citizens of countries where Portuguese is the official language will not be accepted.



#### Aims:

This course offers training in Portuguese as a foreign language, at the A1, A2, B1 and B2 levels of the Common European Reference Framework for Languages (CEFR).

The objectives of the course are to provide the tools learners need to overcome linguistic barriers and to improve their Portuguese communication skills and their knowledge of Portuguese culture. The teaching component will cover a number of domains – language, culture, sport, industry, tourism, architecture, history, etc. – with the aim of facilitating participants' later integration into workplaces and Portuguese society as a whole.

The sharing of linguistic, cultural and societal knowledge will help broaden personal and professional horizons and open up new opportunities, particularly for any future mobility students at the University of Aveiro (UA).



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