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Her research focuses mainly in Environmental and Occupational Health with particular emphasis in chemicals exposure assessment, toxicology and risk assessment. She is involved in several EU projects aiming to deliver exposure data to support policy action. Her research outputs has been published in different scientific journals, counting currently over than one hundred papers and book chapters (more information available in here: https://orcid.org/0000-0003-1015-8760). Additionally, she collaborates as associated editor in several scientific journals.

Public service

Between 2015 and 2018, she worked as a co-opted member of the Risk Assessment Committee in European Chemical Agency (ECHA).

Since 2019, she is working as an expert adviser for the Portuguese Environment Agency in issues related with chemical safety.

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