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Curriculum Vitae

Prof. Aníbal A. Cavaco Silva (P)

Born in 1939. Graduated with a degree in Finance from the Technical University of Lisbon in 1964, Aníbal A. Cavaco Silva went on to receive his Ph.D. in Economics in 1973 from York University in the United Kingdom. In his academic career he has held various chairs and has written several papers, books and articles on economic and financial subjects. Aníbal A. Cavaco Silva was first elected into the Portuguese Parliament for the Social Democratic Party in 1980 and became Minister of Finance in the same year. In May 1985 he was elected President of the Social Democratic Party and half a year later Prime Minister of Portugal. After a parliamentary defeat, he was re-elected four months later and has since served as Prime Minister.

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