

## Carlos Manuel Matias Coimbra Member of the Board – Statistics Portugal



He was appointed Member of the Board of Statistics Portugal in 2012.

He was Director of the National Accounts Department at Statistics Portugal, from 2007 to 2011. Before he worked at *Banco de Portugal* (the National Central Bank), where he was Deputy Director of the Statistical Department (2004 to 2007) and Coordinator of the Portuguese economy area at the Department for Economic Studies (2001 to 2004).

He has served on the Portuguese Presidency of the EU, in 2000, as Coordinator of the Mission Team of the Ministry of Finance and assured the Portuguese representation at the EU Economic and Financial Committee. He was economic advisor to the Portuguese Prime-Minister, between 1998 and 2000.

His professional career started during the eighties as economist of the Studies Department of the General Confederation of the Portuguese Workers and as technical advisor working for trade unions. During the nineties, he worked at the Central Bank, as responsible for the sector of short-term analysis and also at Statistics Portugal, as coordinator of quarterly national accounts sector.

Carlos Coimbra graduated in Economics at *Instituto Superior de Economia e Gestão* (ISEG), Technical University of Lisbon, in 1983, and he is invited assistant Professor at the Economic Department of *ISCTE - Instituto Universitário de Lisboa* (ISCTE-IUL) since 1993.