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Agostinho Linhares, CEO of the Research Institute for Digital Economy (IPE Digital), brings over 20 years of telecom sector expertise. He holds a BSc in Electrical Engineering, with an MSc and PhD in Telecommunications. Currently completing an Executive MBA in Business Management, he also holds specialization courses in Telecom Regulation and Public Administration.

He has held key positions at the National Telecommunications Agency (Anatel), including roles such as Manager of Spectrum, Orbit, and Broadcasting, Acting Superintendent, and Advisor to the Board of Directors. Notably, he served as the Head of the Brazilian Delegation in the World Radiocommunication Conferences of 2015 and 2019, Vice-Chair of the Radiocommunication Assembly in 2019, and Vice-Chair of the PCC II of the Inter-American Telecommunication Commission.

In the Executive Branch, he provided valuable expertise as an Advisor to the National Secretary of Telecommunications and as the General-Coordinator of Telecommunications Regulatory Monitoring. He also served as a member of the High Council of the Brazilian Space Agency (AEB) from 2022 to 2023.

Currently, Agostinho Linhares holds the position of Vice-President of the Radio Regulation Board at the International Telecommunication Union. He has published nearly 40 papers covering topics such as EMF and compatibility between radiocommunication services.