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SPEAKERS’ BIOS
Miguel Cisneiros

Miguel Cisneiros is completing his bachelor's degree in Bioinformatics. Selected for Fulbright's SUSI for Student Leaders on Civic Engagement 2020 (postponed due to the COVID-19 pandemic), he has developed actions to promote diversity and inclusion and to raise awareness to the hearing impaired and LGBT issues. Miguel is also the director of a student's newspaper.
Miguel Vale de Almeida (Lisbon, 1960) is Professor of Anthropology at ISCTE-Lisbon University Institute and Researcher at CRIA – Center for Research in Anthropology. With research in Portugal, Brazil, Spain, and Israel/Palestine, his work has focused on gender and sexuality, as well as on ‘race’ and ethnicity, and postcolonialism. He published several books, two of which in English: ‘The Hegemonic Male’, on masculinity, and ‘An Earth-Colored Sea’, on Portuguese colonialism and postcolonialism in Portuguese-speaking countries. He has also published an edited volume on the body, “Corpo Presente”, co-edited one on colonialismo and post-colonialism, “Trânsitos Coloniais”, and published a collection of his essays on anthropology and citizenship, “Outros Destinos”, as well as a collection of newspaper op-eds, “Os Tempos que Correm”, a book of short stories, “Quebrar em Caso de Emergência”, and an award-winning science-fiction and dystopia novel, “Euronovela”. His latest book, in Portuguese, is ‘A Chave do Armário’, on issues of same-sex marriage and family. As an LGBT rights’ activist, he was a member of Portuguese Parliament, instrumental in the passing of the same-sex marriage and gender identity laws.

Miguel Vale de Almeida was a Fulbright grantee in 1984/1986 and completed his MA in Social Anthropology at State University of New York.
Susanne Hamscha

Dr. Susanne Hamscha is the Diversity Coordinator for the Fulbright Program in Europe (EFDI – European Fulbright Diversity Initiative). In this capacity, she offers diversity trainings, workshops, and seminars for Fulbright commissions, grantees, and partner institutions. Susanne is based with Fulbright Germany in Berlin and can be reached at hamscha@fulbright.de.
Anthony Sis

Anthony Sis is a Posse and Fulbright scholar from Chicago, Illinois dedicated to empowering and enhancing the lives of others through various platforms. Through teaching and advocacy they have been able to merge their personal and professional interests to spread their message of inclusion across several platforms. Anthony currently serves as a Diversity and Inclusion Training Specialist at Cornell University.

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