

# CAF Resource Center Portugal

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#### Governance of CAF in PT

#### Ministry of Finance

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Ministry of Modernization of the State and Public Administration

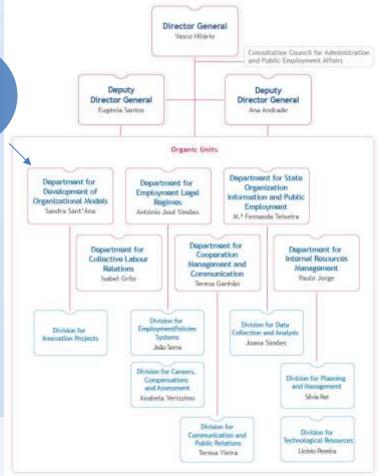
## directorate general for administration and public employment

It is a transversal service of direct state administration included in the Ministry of Finance.

supports the definition of policies for public administration with regard to organization and management, employment and human resources management schemes.



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## Important milestones that helped with CAF promotion

2004

1st CAF National Event

2005

 Quality Program in the Ministry of Social Security and Labor

2007

•3<sup>rd</sup> CAF Event - Lisbon (Portuguese Presidency)

2008

 Performance assessment system in the Regional Government of the Azores

2014

• CAF Education and External Assessment of Schools



#### Resource Center Ativities

TECHNICAL SUPPORT

PROMOTION AND STUDIES

**PARTNERSHIPS** 

SHARING GOOD PRACTICES

**RECOGNITION** 

INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION



### Technical support



Guidelines and templates for all CAF appliance process

Collaboration with the organizations in the planning of their self-assessment process

Clarification of questions via email or telephone (concerning self-assessment and external recognition process)

Facilitation of contacts and partnerships for bench learning



We don't have yet consulting services
We have a very informative website for CAF and CAF Education

### Models, guidelines and templates

For planning: project plan; communication plan; risk plan

**For self-assessment**: SA report structure; SA form; satisfaction

questionnaires

**For improvment**: Action Plan with Prioritization Methodology; sheets for planning improvement actions

Brochure in PT: CAF 2013 and CAF

Education

Models integration: CAF
Edu/EQAVET and External
Assessment model for Schools





#### **CAF Events**



3rd CAF National Event — at the Noble Hall of the Ministry of Finance
"CAF in meeting the challenges of public

155 participants from several PA sectors
Themes: sustainability, stakeholder
engagement, innovation, organizational
learning and organizational empowerment

- 2 plenary sessions
- 8 workshops

organizations"

2 Learning Labs

#### Recent studies

- Study on CAF application in Central Administration (2018)
- CAF in the Portuguese education sector (2017)

Administration and public employment review (RAEP)

Thematic issue: The contribution of selfassessment to the process of school transformation





#### **Networks**



CAF network with central services within each ministry (secretariat-general)

 support for CAF promotion in public services of each sector



## Partnerships



- (on going) diagnosis of the CAF appliance process in central and territorial units (through documental analysis and interviews with top management)
- (next) adaptation of the examples of the CAF model to the context of the police organization



CAF - Police Organizations



(on going) adaptation of the examples of the CAF model to the context of the local authorities

(next) promotion of CAF in local authorities as tool to enhance the implementation of the targets set out in the 17 SDG from Agenda 2030

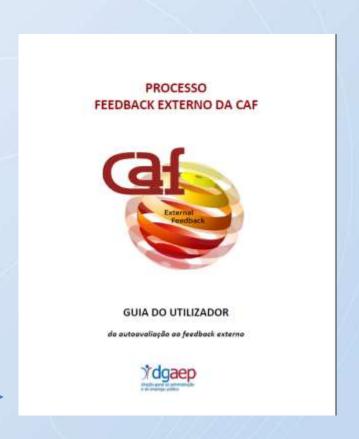


**CAF** - Local Authorities



## External recognition of CAF

- CAF External Feedback process (PEF)
- DGAEP acts as National Organizer for PEF
- Pool of External Feedback Agents
- PEF brochure in PT





Ends in 2020

## Financial support to projects

- Support System for Modernization and Capacity of Public Administration
- 14 applications approved for Preformatted Operation 3: "Quality Management and Process Management Capacities and Methodologies, Subproject A - Implementation of the CAF Self-Assessment Model in Public Administration"
- € 1,861 million



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## Project CAF 2.0

- Application to SIIGeP innovation program for public administration
- Innovative methodology for CAF application aiming facilitate quick diagnostics of public services and promoting organizational innovation
- Collaborative project with the participation of CAF advanced users in the conception of a Guide and a tool for self assessment
- The new approach is being tested in the scope of an experimental project with tree public organizations



# Cooperation with UNIDO/ONU in Cape Verde

UNIDO is the specialized agency of the ONU that promotes industrial development for poverty reduction, inclusive globalization and environmental sustainability

#### DGAEP provides technical assistance on:

- Pilot-experience in public services that are relevant to improve the business environment in Cape Verde (in the justice and economic sectors)
- Training of SA Teams and project leaders
- CAF External Feedback Process





#### Recommendations

- Integrate CAF's promotion strategy in the context of ongoing public policies to improve public management, linking, where possible, with incentive systems
- Develop answers to minimize the difficulties of using the model
- Promote the development of collaborative CAF application projects within the relevant government areas

**Source**: study on CAF application in Central Administration done in 2018





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