



Introduction

Lecture N. 01

Hello! Welcome to my course!

My name is Cátia Cassiano, I am a Certified Translator by trade, and I am your Portuguese instructor!

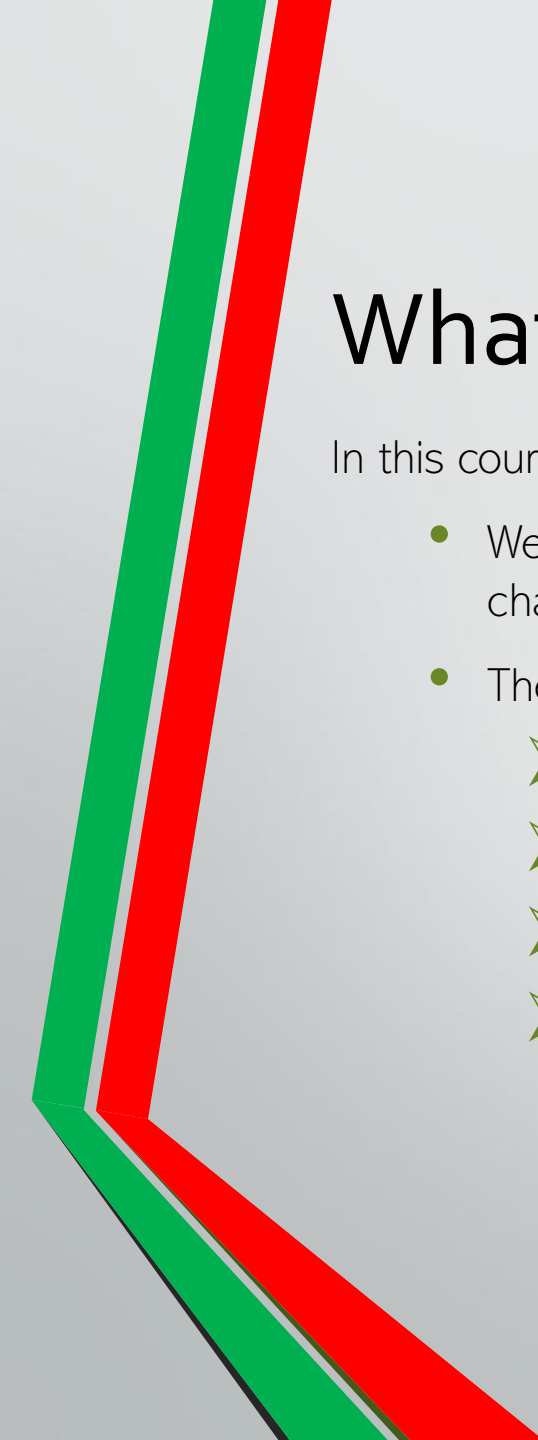
I was born in Lisbon, and I lived there until 2006 when I moved to Australia. I love my job, and I love helping people, so here I am!

This course came from the combination of three factors:

- The need to teach Portuguese to my 8-year-old daughter
- A suggestion from an acquaintance
- The need to promote the Portuguese Language

I hope you enjoy the course as much as I enjoyed doing it. So, let's get started!





What you will learn in the course:

In this course you will learn the Portuguese Language as a native do. For me, that is the only valid way!

- We will start with a little bit of the History of the language, how it spread around the world and the challenges it faces today.
- Then we will move to the rules:
 - The alphabet
 - The phonetics
 - The grammar
 - The words

What you will learn in the course:

At end of each lesson, you will have the Glossary where we will compile all the words learnt in that lesson. Before that, I will add a little practical exercise that will help you reconcile the contents of the lesson and get more confident with the language.

At the end of each Module, you will have Speech Labs. That is a practical lesson where you will learn words and practice your language in practical situations.

So, come with me, let's learn Portuguese!



Thank you so much for attending!

That's all for today! See you next time!

Até à próxima!

