

# CV

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## EDUCATION

- 2007/2014 faculdade de arquitectura do porto (FAUP), pt  
integrated master in architecture (16/20=A)
- 20012/2013 G30 program, university of tokyo, jp  
exchange program
- 2014.11 master thesis, faup, pt  
'a matéria das ideias' (20/20)

## RESEARCH

- 2012/2013 nakagin capsule tower, tóquio, jp  
inhabitant/investigator with filipe magalhães
- 2020/2021 daniels faculty of architecture, toronto university, ca  
'usual suspects' - teacher/researcher with fala
- 2018/2019 department of architecture TUM, munich, de  
'ugly ducks' - teacher/researcher with fala
- 2018/2019 münster school of architecture, FH münster, de  
'ugly ducks' - teacher/researcher with fala
- 2020- (...) faculdade de arquitectura do porto, pt  
'fascination towards frontal framing' - PhD program
- 2022 article and presentation on symmetry: art and  
science | 12th sis-symmetry congress  
'frontally framed compositions. iterations through a  
recognizable trope'
- 2023 canadian centre for architecture CCA, montreal, ca  
'find & tell - umberto riva' - researcher with fala

## TEACHING

- 2015/2016 faculty of architecture STU, bratislava, sk  
teacher - studio ii
- 2018/2019 department of architecture TUM, munich, de  
guest teacher - studio v
- 2018/2019 münster school of architecture, FH münster, de  
guest teacher - studio v
- 2020/2021 DANIELS faculty of architecture, university toronto, ca  
teacher - studio v
- 2019- (...) HEAD haute école d'art et de design, genève, ch  
teacher - studio i to v
- 2023- (...) architectural composition, UNIGE genova, it  
guest teacher - studio iii, theory iii

## WORK EXPERIENCE

- 2011/2012 harry gurger studio, basel, ch  
junior architect
- 2012/2013 toyo ito studio, tokyo, jp  
junior architect
- 2013- (...) fala atelier, porto, pt  
co-founder/partner/architect

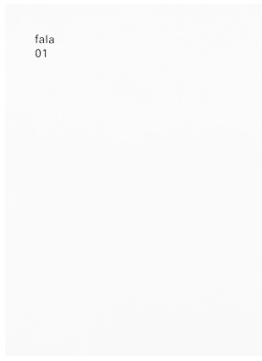
## GUEST CRITICS, WORKSHOPS AND JURIES

- 2022 chair of architectural behaviorology  
atelier bow wow, ETH zurich, ch  
guest critic
- 2021 TEXAS studio eric lapierre EPFL, lausanne, ch  
guest critic
- 2020 living places – simon architecture prize 2020  
fundació mies van der rohe, barcelona, es  
jury member
- 2019 arquia/próxima 18/19 - festival 2020, madrid, es  
jury member
- 2019 porto academy 19', porto, pt  
workshop guest tutor
- 2019 GSAPP columbia university, new york, us  
guest critic, post graduate seminar
- 2018 northumbria university, newcastle, uk  
guest critic, 3rd year seminar
- 2018 tower of rooms by jimenez lai, faup, porto, pt  
guest critic
- 2018 júri blogFQ ,fundación arquia, madrid, es  
jury member
- 2017 made labs, summer school, syracuse fa, it  
workshop guest tutor
- 2016 faculty of architecture STU, bratislava, sk  
guest critic, diploma jury
- 2013 super monumentos urbanos, trienal lisbon, pt  
workshop guest tutor

- 2023 task failed successfully - florence, it  
afterlives - porto, pt  
some ideas on collective housing - faup porto, pt
- 2022 clocks and clouds - centennial hall tokyotech, jp  
six projects - tokyo university of the arts, jp  
clocks and clouds - usi mendrisio, ch  
wtf is heritage? - florence, it  
architects, not architecture - on-line
- 2021 multiform - london, uk  
some houses - toronto, ca
- 2020 the possible architecture - vienna, at  
seven question - eth zurich, ch  
billboards - rome, it  
lenses as tools - faup porto, pt  
mies' legacy - genoa, it  
gloriously repeating - houston, usa
- 2019 methodic optimism - garage moscow, ru  
recent works - vigo, es  
duets - cite d'architecture, paris, fr  
methodic optimism - barbican, london, uk  
cats & columns - casa da cerca, almada, pt  
recent works - fa lisbon, pt  
constructing practice - gsapp, new york, us  
tropes - sydney fa, au  
methodic optimism - brisbane fa, au  
methodic optimism - kingston fa, london, uk
- 2018 architecture of rooms - kadk, copenhagen, dk  
single lines - vienna, at  
collectives - casa da arquitectura, porto, pt  
perspectives - riba, london, uk  
postmodern agenda - pomostroika, berlin, de  
recent works - syracuse fa, florence, it  
recent works - northumbria university, newcastle, uk  
images - iscte lisbon, pt  
the school of tourism - mao, ljubljana, si  
portness - passos manuel, porto, pt
- 2017 masquerades - stockholm  
polyphonic repertoire - fa, ferrara, it  
borders - riba, london  
three perspectives - indizajn festival, zagreb, hr  
nostalgia - fa, siracusa, it  
new typologies - architecture fringe, glasgow, uk  
incerteza viva - serralves foundation, porto, pt  
ongoing projects - ensa strasbourg, de  
tropes - architectural association, london, uk  
anticlimax - trienal lisbon, pt
- 2016 circumstance - tu munich, de  
improvisation - berlin, de  
gerações xyz - ist lisbon, pt  
after the party - lisbon, pt  
methodic optimism - kit karlsruhe, de  
persistence - casa della architettura, rome, it  
anticlimax - campo, rome, it  
methodic optimism - fa Évora, pt
- 2015 innocence - fa lisbon, pt  
innocence - eaum guimarães, pt  
first steps - vienna, at  
housing proposals - syracuse university, london, uk  
structure/ idea/ representation - fa covilhã, pt  
structure/ idea/ representation - fa coimbra, pt
- 2014 soapbox - florence, it  
recent works - istanbul, tr  
collective action - istanbul, tr  
21 projects - bratislava, sk  
affordable living - ljubljana, si  
anticlimax - faup, pt
- 2013 anticlimax - lisbon, pt  
20 words + 20 images - pecha kucha, tnsj, pt

- 2023 find and tell / umberto riva - cca  
fala - a+u #637  
fala / obra radical - AV  
fala - 10 minutes: architects and designers in conversation  
task failed successfully - lila strauss #05  
fala - rum magazine #1
- 2022 fala meets siza - daidalos  
colour as a material - riba journal  
drawing: seven attempts - drawing matter  
fala - dwell  
tying the fragmented reality - a+t#56  
fala - bauwelt 12.2022  
banal, irritating, charming - zeppelin#165  
on cats and columns - ccjournal  
new generation - l'architecture d'aujourd'hui #447  
on house in kakio - what is a house for  
seven questions - eth carrousel
- 2021 from paper to porto - the architect's newspaper  
fun, fast and furious - riba journal  
constructing practice - gsapp publication  
aiming for personality - architectural design / multiform  
fala - confer  
interview - azure  
suspended house - doma#4
- 2020 av proyectos - #098  
50 best architecture firms 2020 - domus  
the tyranny of terrazzo - new york magazine  
fala - indeseem delft  
airbnb machine - the architectural review  
the homescape / the new commute - koozarch  
architectes sans modération - d'architectures #279  
fala - 2g magazine #80
- 2019 fala atelier - nu #46  
fala atelier in porto - werk, bauen+wohnen #10  
narrative, as behaviour and as knowledge - taiwan architect  
en ce moment chez... fala - l'architecture d'aujourd'hui  
simplicity - plat 8.0 journal  
the home upgrade - gestalten publishing  
atlas of emerging practices - itinerant office  
compor - revista ma #2  
44 low-resolution houses - princeton university  
abragão housing - fachmagazin architektur  
modest houses - zeppelin magazine #153  
noble ruckseite - baumeister magazine #116  
youth - trans magazine eth #34  
an interview & 4 projects - revista plot #45  
porto 2018 - dedalo magazine #11
- 2018 fala atelier - gram magazine #1  
collages als portretten - 'de architect', netherlands  
layout zine - magazine, armenia  
la rivincita della semplicità - artwave  
fala atelier - carnets magazine, venice  
l'architecture naïve - l'architecture d'aujourd'hui
- 2017 house in rua faria guimarães - roof magazine #10  
entwerfen ohne rendering - baumeister magazine  
what is fala - yale's student run paper  
in search for meaning - exquisite magazine
- 2016 fala - the architectural review  
intimacies - fresh meat journal  
top of the hots - interview, iconist magazine  
naivety, an architectural tool - interview, koozarch  
principe real - interview, espaços e casas  
metabolist irony - betonart #48
- 2015 pedagogical infrastructure - formal academy, shenzhen  
losing on purpose - chicago architecture biennial  
irony - modulator magazine  
living rooms - interior tales, syracuse university  
fala - interview, daad journal  
scandalous - thresholds #43  
entwerfen ohne rendering - interview, baumeister

- 2023 the hand and the machine - collective exh., national museum, oslo, no  
die architektur im buch. das buch in der architektur - hamburg, de  
das haus im buch - düsseldorf, de  
discursiv color - forum stadtpark, graz, at
- 2022 pictures - single exhibition, weissenhof, stuttgart, de  
caiu - collective exh., gama rama, faro, pt  
os novos novos - collective exh., ccb, lisbon, pt  
fala pictures - architekturalerie, stuttgart, de
- 2021 objects of fascination - mad, brussels, be  
em casa - collective exh., ccb, lisbon, pt  
nosy hoods - dimanche, geneva, ch  
unfolding pavilion - collective exh., venice biennale, it  
dialogues japan : europe - ait architektursalons, hamburg, de
- 2020 está nos desenhos - universidade do minho, guimarães, pt  
in memoriam - yale university, new haven, us  
dialogues japan : europe - ait architektursalons, munich/hamburg, de
- 2019 architects at play - collective exh., civa brussels, be  
half pipe - instalation, cité de l'architecture, paris, fr  
what is ornament? - collective exh., lisbon architecture triennale, pt  
alternative history - collective exh., civa brussels, be  
rejected - collective exh., ohio state university, us  
new beauties - collective exh., nice, fr  
museum show - collective exh., dkuk, london, uk  
alternative history - the architecture foundation, london, uk  
cats & collumns - single exhibition, casa da cerca, lisbon, pt  
wonderland - collective exh., mam19' maia, pt  
bonheur du jour - mob furniture exhibition, santiago del chile/  
lisbon, cl/pt
- 2018 low-resolution houses - collective exh., princeton school arch., us  
recent works - single exhibition, skopje, mk  
incerteza viva - portuguese pavillion, venice biennale, it  
fold - collective exh., fa nebraska, us  
tempietto exemplum - collective exh., yale fa, us  
carnets - collective exh., venice fa, it
- 2017 atlantic design - collective exh., exponatec, koln, de  
fala's folly by paulo catrica - single exhibition, fa ferrara, it  
re-constructivist architecture - collective exh., riba, london, uk  
incerteza viva - fundação de serralves, porto, pt  
room of plinths - collective exh., chicago arch. biennial, us  
prototypes and experimental drawings - aram gallery, london, uk  
new typologies - architecture fringe, glasgow, uk  
portraits - dom-ino gallery, strasbourg, de  
spaces without drama - collective exh., graham f., chicago, us  
present tense - collective exh., syracuse univ., florence, it
- 2016 25architects/5absent - collective exh., pavillon de l'arsenal,  
paris / marseille, fr  
portraits - single exhibition, junta, panama city, pa  
25 architects / 5 absent - collective exh., marseille, fr  
generazione - collective exh., rome, it  
desplans - collective exh., stockholm, se  
unfolding pavilion - collective exh., venice, it  
anticlimax - single exhibition, campo, rome, it  
la narration du quotidien - collective exh., lausanne, ch  
innovation in architecture - collective exh., lisbon, pt  
parthenon - installation, existenzweek, leuven, fr  
habitar portugal 12-14 - collective exh., porto, pt  
re-constructivist architecture - collective exh., ierimonti  
gallery, new york, us
- 2015 the state of the art of architecture - chicago arch. biennial, us  
decorbuziers - collective exh., athens, gr  
unfeasible - collective exh., walter knoll, london, uk  
birdhouse - collective exh., migrant garden, piacenza, it
- 2014 2nd design biennial - collective exh., istanbul, tr  
21 projects - single exhibition, cvernovka, bratislava, sk  
affordable living - collective exh., mao, ljubljana, si  
anticlimax - single exhibition, faup, porto, pt
- 2013 anticlimax - lisbon architecture triennale, pt  
p.o.p. - collective exh., storefront gallery, new york

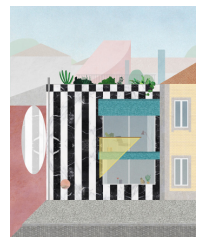
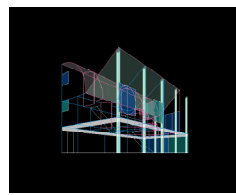
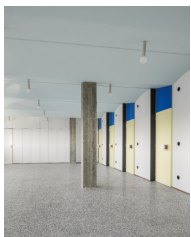
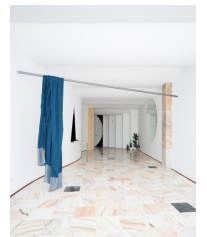
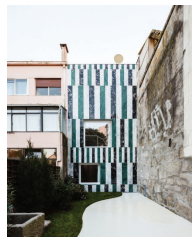


fala is an architecture practice.

founded in 2013, and based in porto, portugal, the atelier is led by filipe magalhães, ana luisa soares, ahmed belkhodja and lera samovich. fala has lectured worldwide at different universities and institutions, including the tokyo centennial hall, eth zurich and usi mendrisio, the graham foundation in chicago, rice university in houston, the bozar in brussels, and casa dell'architettura in rome. besides the current teaching positions in paris, geneva, lisbon and milano, fala has taught at the faculties of architecture in toronto, venice, munich and london, among others, and its work has been exhibited at the architecture biennials in venice and chicago, the serralves foundation and the pavillon de l'arsenal in paris, with single exhibitions in germany, italy, france and portugal. fala's work has been widely published in digital and printed media, including domus, l'architecture d'aujourd'hui, arquitetura viva, bauwelt and the architectural review. 2G dedicated a monographic issue (#80) to fala's work and A+U will do the same in october 2023 (#637). fala received the spotlight award by the rice university in 2020.

about  
fala atelier

fala



selected projects  
with fala atelier

001 public library setubal, pt 2013, competition	024 pala masterplan lausanne, ch 2015, competition	049 primeira pedra venice, it 2016	082 house of many faces porto, pt 2022, built	114 house within a few lines porto, pt 2022, built	165 housing block porto, pt 2022 - (...), ongoing
002 social housing lisbon, pt 2013, competition	025 chiado apartment lisbon, pt 2015, built	050 garden pavilion porto, pt 2021, built	084 fountain with a roof zurich, ch 2017, competition	116 mob furniture lisbon, pt 2018, built	166 house transformation mondim de basto, pt 2022 - (...), ongoing
003 university stadium porto, pt 2013, competition	026 cultural center bamiyan, af 2015, competition	051 álvares cabral 372 porto, pt 2021, built	086 apartment on a mint floor porto, pt 2019, built	118 house within three gestures rio tinto, pt 2021, built	167 atelier mondim de basto, pt 2022 - (...), ongoing
004 anticlimax exhibition lisbon, pt 2013, built	027 the little kiosk chicago, usa 2015, competition	052 reasonable housing penafiel, pt 2018, built	087 house without idea lisbon, pt 2022, built	119 'masks' exhibition porto, pt 2020, built	168 collective housing maia, pt 2022, competition
005 vertical museum moscow, ru 2013, competition	028 bauhaus museum dessau, de 2015, competition	056 corner building porto, pt 2022, built	088 house along a wall porto, pt 2018, built	121 school extension glarisegg, ch 2020, competition	170 tinne young museum klausen, it 2022, competition, 2nd place
007 cultural center reinos, es 2013, competition	030 completed houses marco, pt 2019, built	057 house in fontainhas porto, pt 2019, built	090 uneven house porto, pt 2019, built	123 a cat & a rabbit lisbon, pt 2020 - (...), ongoing	171 house and atelier porto, pt 2022 - (...), ongoing
008 parthenon pavilion leuven, be 2016, built	031 flagship store porto, pt 2015, built	058 house with a curved wall porto, pt 2017, built	093 atlanta housing atlanta, usa 2018	124 playroof london, uk 2020, competition	172 collective housing setúbal, pt 2022 - (...), ongoing
009 temporary bar porto, pt 2014, built	032 castelo de cartas porto, pt 2015, built	059 house with four columns porto, pt 2018, built	094 house of countless windows porto, pt 2022, built	125 house with an inverted roof guifões, pt 2023, built	173 collective housing almada, pt 2022 - (...), ongoing
010 cultural center grand-saconnex, ch 2014, competition	033 house for a bird piacenza, it 2015, built	067 house and atelier porto, pt 2018, built	097 waves of glass brick porto, pt 2021, built	131 toy shop sardagna, it 2021, built	177 warehouse sobral de monte agração, pt 2022 - (...), ongoing
011 elementary school vaulruz, ch 2014, competition	034 crematorium thun, ch 2015, competition	068 folly for an art piece porto, pt 2017, built	098 fireworks in white porto, pt 2020, built	136 office with asperities porto, pt 2021, built	178 three houses sobral de monte agração, pt 2022 - (...), ongoing
012 namoradeira porto, pt 2014, built	035 house in faria guimarães porto, pt 2016, built	069 houses with lines and dots porto, pt 2016	099 embassy singapore, sg 2018, competition	141 winery torres vedras, pt 2021 - (...), ongoing	179 housing block porto, pt 2022 - (...), ongoing
013 school complex capelas, pt 2014, competition	036 house in marseille marseille, fr 2015	070 broken house porto, pt 2019, built	101 houses of cards marco, pt 2021, built	143 house in lomba porto, pt 2021 - (...), ongoing	180 housing block porto, pt 2022 - (...), ongoing
016 principe real apartment lisbon, pt 2014, built	038 london apartment london, uk 2015	072 house under a big roof famalicão, pt 2019, built	102 house with pink chimneys porto, pt 2020, built	144 house of three structures vn gaia, pt 2021 - (...), ongoing	181 single family house porto, pt 2022 - (...), ongoing
017 gymnasium yverdon, ch 2014, competition	040 garage house lisbon, pt 2016, built	074 forum do futuro scenography porto, pt 2017, built	103 hostel neuchatel, ch 2019, competition	150 oasis under a building porto, pt 2022 - (...), ongoing	182 single family house porto, pt 2022 - (...), ongoing
018 elementary school romont, ch 2014, competition	042 real estate agency porto, pt 2015, built	075 six houses and a garden porto, pt 2019, built	105 cats and columns almada, pt 2019, built	155 house in afurada vn gaia, pt 2022 - (...), ongoing	184 collective housing lisbon, pt 2023 - (...), ongoing
019 housing development chateau-d'oex, ch 2014, competition	043 apartment with five blue doors lisbon, pt 2016, built	076 school extension viganello, ch 2017, competition	107 folly for sun and sound brussels, be 2019, built	156 cookie cutter retreat sobral de monte agração, pt 2022 - (...), ongoing	185 exhibition lisbon, pt 2023, built
020 leaf shaped gallery sharjah, uae 2015, built	044 catarino house porto, pt 2020, built	077 house around a chimney amarante, pt 2020, built	109 housing oairas, pt 2019 - (...), ongoing	157 housing in Monsanto porto, pt 2022 - (...), ongoing	186 housing block porto, pt 2023 - (...), ongoing
021 elementary school ursy, ch 2014, competition	047 amorim administrative building porto, pt 2016	079 suspended house porto, pt 2020, built	111 museum in a park kortrijk, be 2019, competition, 2nd place	158 masterplan & collective housing tienen, be 2022, competition	189 scenography lisbon, pt 2023, built
023 house for three generations marco, pt 2021, built	048 house in paraiso porto, pt 2017, built	081 small house amarante, pt 2018, built	113 maat cafe lisbon, pt 2020, built	164 truz-truz collection porto, pt 2022 - (...), ongoing	191 collective housing lisbon, pt 2023, competition