

HUMAN LEADERS

INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS CABO VERDE 2026

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Cabo Verde Welcomes Leaders from Three Continents for One of the Largest International Gatherings on Humanized Leadership

Human Leaders International Congress positions Cabo Verde at the center of global discussions on People-Centered Leadership, Innovation, Social Impact, and Sustainable Development.

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Cabo Verde is preparing to host, on **July 24 and 25, 2026**, the **Human Leaders International Congress Cabo Verde 2026**(HLICCV2026), one of the most relevant international platforms for reflection, dialogue, and solution-building on leadership, human development, and sustainability.

Held at the **University of Cabo Verde Campus** in the City of Praia, the congress will bring together over **500 participants**, including business leaders, religious leaders, policymakers, academics, entrepreneurs, change agents, civil society organizations, and experts from **12 countries, 3 continents**, and **12 international delegations**, reinforcing Cabo Verde's positioning as a strategic bridge between Africa, Europe, and the Americas.

Under the theme “**Humanized Leadership for a Sustainable and Inclusive Future**”, the congress will promote multidisciplinary debate on the challenges and opportunities shaping the future of organizations, societies, and economies, addressing topics such as:

- ◆ Humanized Leadership
- ◆ Future of Work
- ◆ Digital Transformation and Artificial Intelligence
- ◆ Sustainability and ESG
- ◆ Climate Justice
- ◆ Mental Health and Organizational Well-being
- ◆ Education and Human Capital Development
- ◆ Innovation and Entrepreneurship

An International-Scale Congress

The 2026 edition will feature the participation of 66 national and international speakers, of which 30 are from abroad, representing different sectors of activity, experiences, and geographies.

The program will also include the presence of prominent institutional figures, including His Excellency the President of the Republic of Cabo Verde, Dr. **José Maria Neves**, as well as experts, executives, and leaders from countries such as Angola, Portugal, Brazil, Nigeria, Mozambique, South Africa, France, Luxembourg, Cameroon, Liberia, Senegal, and Guinea-Bissau.

Distinctive Elements

The Human Leaders International Congress was conceived as an integrated platform for learning, networking, recognition, and opportunity generation. Among its main distinctive elements are:

Human Leaders Awards

An international initiative aimed at recognizing leaders, organizations, and projects that stand out for their positive impact, innovation, sustainability, and promotion of humanized leadership.

MatchPoint

A physical and digital networking and matchmaking platform inspired by the best practices of major international events, allowing participants to establish strategic contacts, schedule meetings, and follow the entire dynamics of the congress in real time, fostering institutional relationships, business opportunities, and partnership strengthening.

The Future Is Human Podcast

An international series of interviews with leaders and experts who share experiences, trends, and reflections on the future of leadership and human development.

Explore Cabo Verde Program

A complementary post-congress program designed primarily for international guests, providing an authentic experience of the culture, history, cuisine, and tourism potential of the islands of Santiago, São Vicente, and Santo Antão.

Impact for Cabo Verde

Beyond its academic and business dimension, the congress represents a strategic opportunity for the international promotion of Cabo Verde as a destination for business, knowledge, investment, and innovation.

Institutional Statement

“We believe that the great challenges of our time require a new way of leading. More human, more inclusive, and more sustainable. The Human Leaders International Congress was born to build bridges between people, organizations, and nations, placing Cabo Verde at the center of a global conversation about the future we want to build.”

Lúcia Brito

Curator and President
Human Leaders International Congress Cabo Verde 2026

Technical Data Sheet

Designation	Human Leaders International Congress Cabo Verde 2026
Acronym	HLICCV2026
Theme	Humanized Leadership for a Sustainable and Inclusive Future
Dates	July 24 and 25, 2026
Schedule	08:30 – 18:30
Venue	University of Cabo Verde Campus, City of Praia
Format	In-person and online streaming
Languages	Portuguese, English, and French (simultaneous translation)
Expected Participation	Over 500 participants
Confirmed Speakers and Moderators	66
Countries Represented	12
International Delegations	12
Organization	DILUB Corporate Services
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Media Accreditation and Information

Media professionals interested in covering the congress may request their accreditation through the following address:

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Additional information, program, and communication materials available at:

www.humanleaders.cv/imprensa

About the Human Leaders International Congress

The Human Leaders International Congress is an international platform dedicated to the promotion of humanized leadership, innovation, sustainability, and human capital development. Through the sharing of knowledge, experiences, and best practices, it aims to inspire leaders and organizations to build solutions capable of generating positive impact on people, institutions, and society.

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