

Biographical Note



Born in 1962, **Fernando Melo** is, since September 2018, the CEO of Amorim Cork Flooring, S.A., the Worldwide leader in production and distribution of cork floor with 2 plants in Portugal with 130 M euros annual revenue, 520 employees, bellowing to AMORIM Group.

Fernando Melo began his professional career in the Transport Industry, and in 1994 he took the position of Country General Manager of TNT Express, the first company in which he received the EFQM Award Gold Winner in 2001. Fernando Melo was also the CEO of GroundForce Portugal.

In 2011 decided to embrace the Pharmaceutical Distribution Industry, as CEO of Alliance Healthcare Portugal, having also won the EFQM Gold Award Winner in 2015.

Last Awards and Recognitions

- Investors in People Accreditation (IIP) - Amorim Cork Flooring and International Sales Unities (march, 2021)
- LinkedIn Recognition – The Second Most CEO Influencer in Portugal (July 2021)
- Portuguese Quality Leader 2021 - APQ Recognition Award (November 2021)
- EFQM Model Recognition for Excellence 3 Stars. (December, 2021)
- European Quality Leader 2021 EOQ (European Organization for Quality) Recognition Award out of 24 Countries nominees (September 2022)

Fernando Melo is graduated in Mechanical Engineering from the FEUP (Faculty of Engineering of the University of Porto – Portugal), and with Master Degree in Management Development by the University of Warwick (UK).