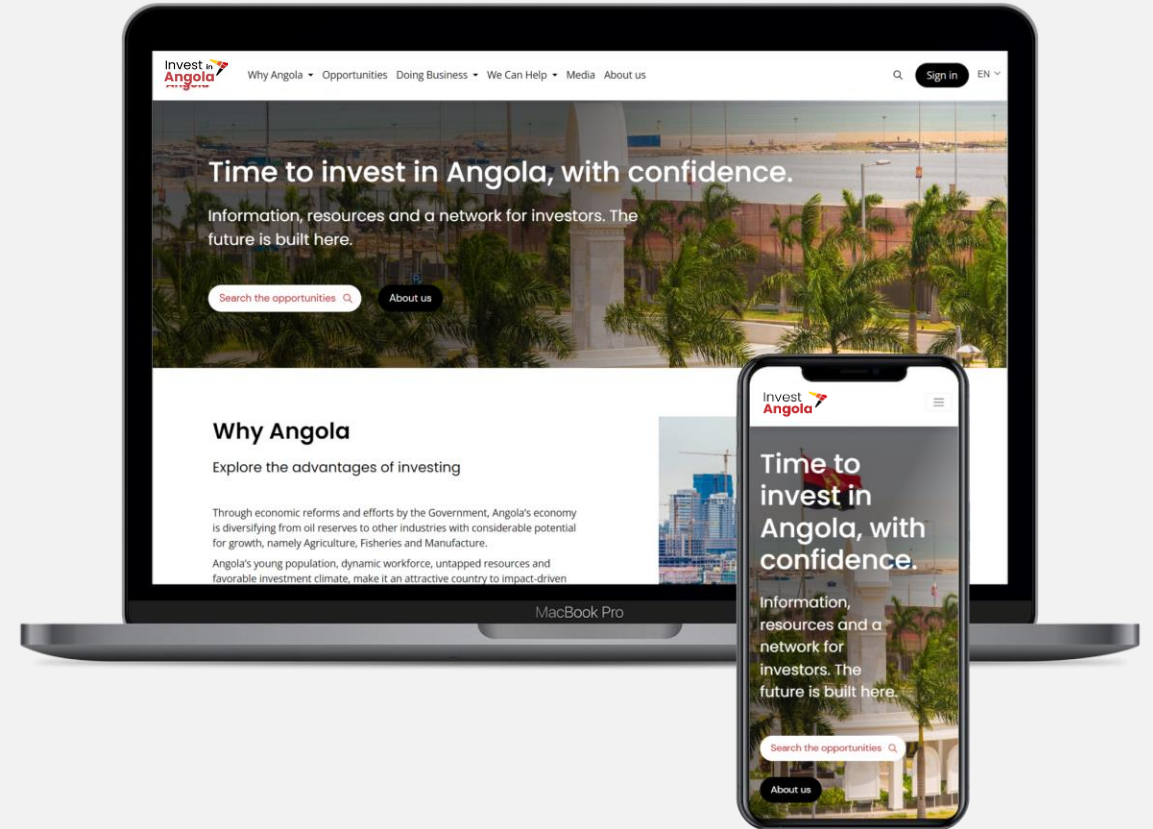


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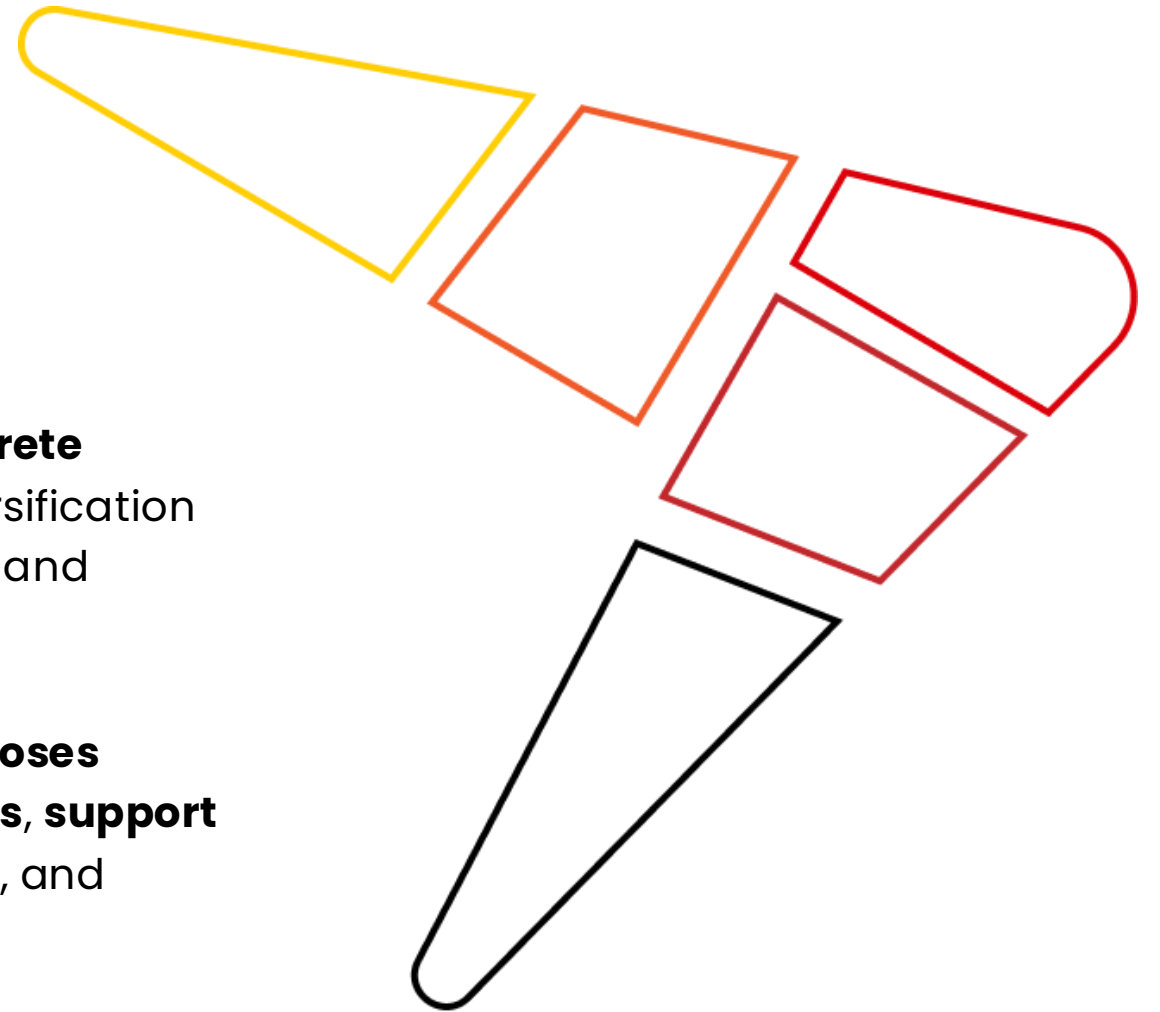
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Context

investinangola.ao is a Portal dedicated to **promote concrete investment opportunities in Angola**, focused on the diversification of the national economy while promoting Angola's image and attracting and inform potential investors.

With a focus on international investors, InvestAngola **discloses relevant information** on a different range **of opportunities, support information** to the investor, **how to do business in Angola**, and provides guidance on the steps-to-take.



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user tests

1. Project General Information

1.1 Generic Information

Project name: Angola's Geo-referenced Investment Guide

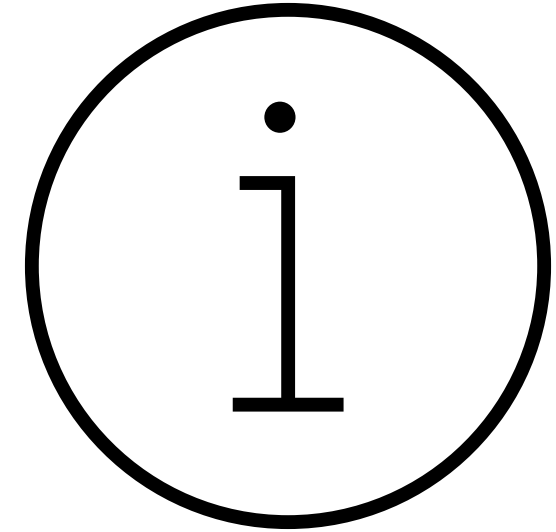
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1.2 LIST OF RECIPIENTS

- Portal visitors
- Investors registered on the portal
- Promoting entities

1.3 CHANGE HISTORY TO THE DOCUMENT

Date	Version	Author	Description
30-06-2023	1.0	Leadership Business Consulting	Document Creation



2. Introduction

2.1 INTRODUCTORY NOTE

The main objective of this document is to describe the procedures for using the Angolan Investment Portal – investinangola.gov.ao

Here you can find the structure of the portal, a brief description of the main pages that constitute it and their functionalities.

2.2 PLATFORM

- The platform is accessible via the Internet at the following address: www.investangola.gov.ao
- The platform was developed based on WordPress

2.3 PROMOTERS

- African Development Bank
- Ministry of Economy and Planning, Angola

3. Profiles

3.1 PROFILES

There are two types of profiles that can register on the Portal:

- Users
- Promoting Entities

Visitors, entities and other individuals can only register as regular Users.

3.1.1 USERS

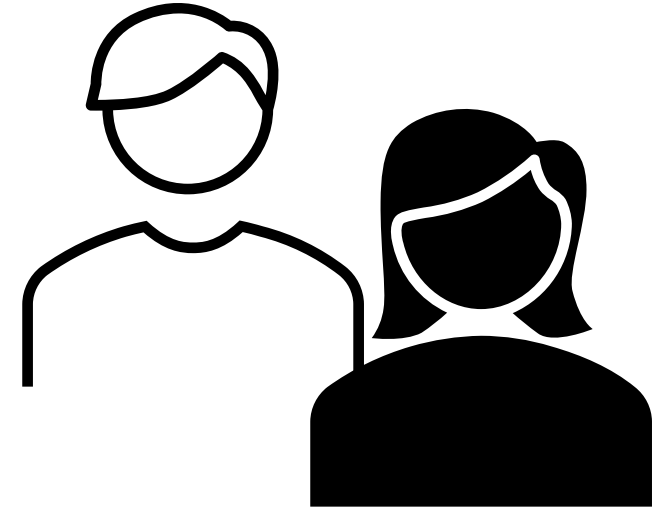
- Individuals
- Entities

3.1.2 PROMOTING ENTITIES

Duly authorized and registered directly by the Portal Manager.

Include:

- Ministries of Angola's Government
- Other public entities responsible for specific investment opportunities in Angola



4. Log in/ Register

4.1 ENTER

To enter the platform it is necessary to enter the access credentials created during registration.

4.2 SHORTCUTS SECTION

If you want to register or recover the password, there are shortcuts under the "Login" form that redirect the user to the desired one.

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4.1 Sign in

Email

Password

Keep me signed in

Sign In

4.2 [Don't have an account yet?](#)
[Forgot your password?](#)

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4. Log in/ Register

4.3 REGISTRATION PROCESS

To access reserved information, the user must register on the platform, needing to complete a simple procedure divided into 3 steps:

- User Information
- Preferences
- Summary

4.4 USER DATA & Information

It is mandatory for registration to fill in the following fields:

- First name | Last name | Email | Country | Password | City | Date of birth

The screenshot displays the 'Invest in Angola' website's registration process. At the top, the navigation bar includes the logo and links for 'Why Angola', 'Opportunities', 'Good to Know', 'We Can Help', 'Media', and 'About us', along with a search icon and 'Sign In' and 'EN' buttons. Below the navigation, a progress indicator shows three steps: '1 User information', '2 Preferences', and '3 Summary'. The current step, '4.4 User Information', is highlighted. The form contains the following fields: 'First name *', 'Last name *', 'Email *', 'Password *', 'Country *', 'City *', 'Date of birth *', and 'Phone number'. A 'Next >' button is located at the bottom of the form. A stylized pencil icon is overlaid on the right side of the form.

5. Homepage

5.1 HEADER

It is common to the entire portal and includes the logo of the portal, which when clicked directs the user to the Homepage. Includes the main menu of the portal and access to the user's reserved area.

5.2 HOME SECTION

It introduces the user to the ultimate purpose of the portal and invites them to perform one of two actions: "Search Opportunities", which refers to the page "Opportunities", where all the investment opportunities are presented; and "About Us" (about the portal), which refers to the About page.

5.1

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5.2



Why Angola

Explore the advantages of investing

Through economic reforms and efforts by the Government, Angola's economy is diversifying from oil reserves to other industries with considerable potential for growth, namely Agriculture, Fisheries and Manufacture.

Angola's young population, dynamic workforce, untapped resources and favorable investment climate, make it an attractive country to impact-driven investors seeking strong returns.

[More information →](#)



5. Homepage

5.3 WHY ANGOLA

A brief summary of the Why Angola Page, with a button (“More information”) that links to that page.



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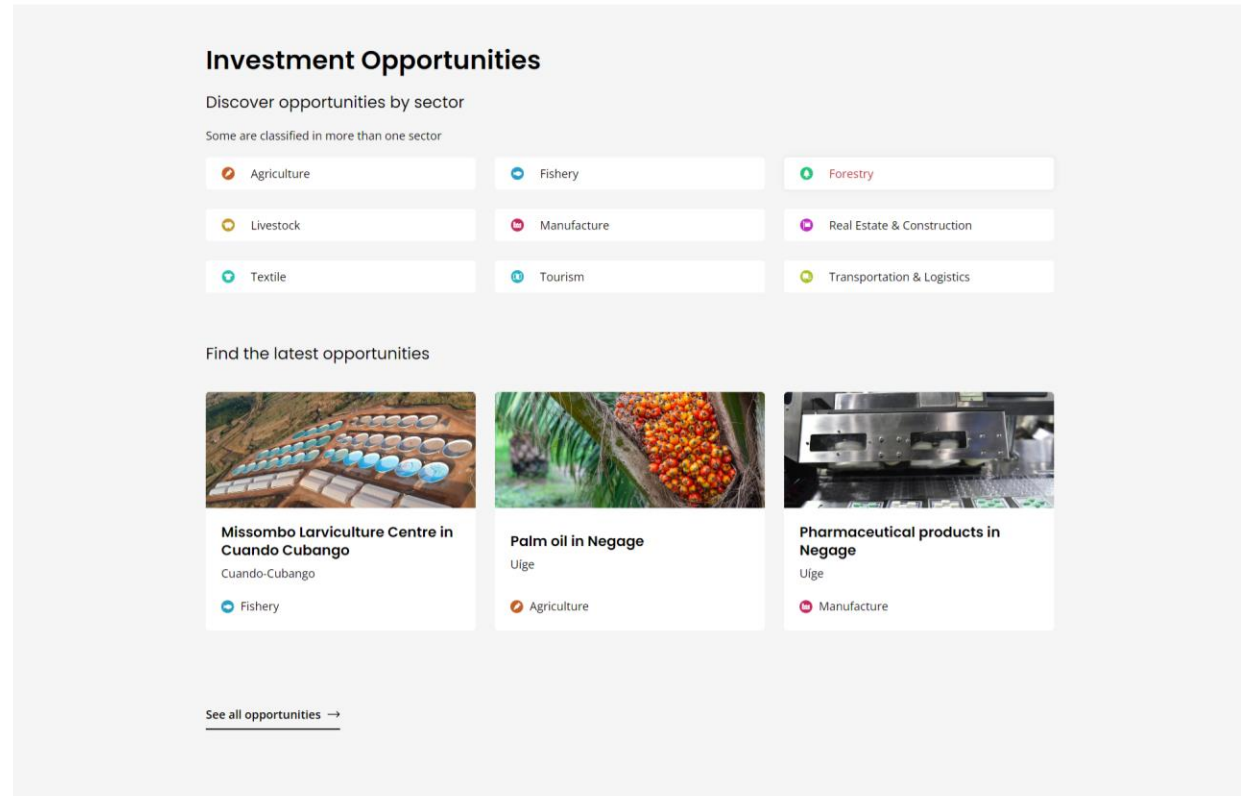
5. Homepage

5.4 INVESTMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Display of 3 Cards, each with one of the available investment opportunities disclosed in the Portal. These cards include the investment opportunity title, its main image, the province where it is located and the activity sector.

Below there is a button (“See all opportunities”), that leads the user to the Opportunities page.

The user can also go to the Opportunities page with already filtered opportunities by sector, by clicking in one of the available sectors of the “Discover opportunities by sector” section.



5. Homepage

5.5 MEDIA




Most recent news shared on the Portal. For each News, it is presented the title, a brief excerpt and an image. By clicking on any part of the news itself, the user will be redirected to the page containing the full article.

5.6 SEE ALL MEDIA

If the user wants to access all the media already published on the portal, he must click on the "See all media" button in the upper right corner of the news section.

Media

Get updated now to build the world of tomorrow



Workshop Showcased the Portal's Progress and Encouraged Stakeholder Engagement
A highly anticipated workshop took place on April 26 at the esteemed Hotel Trópico in...

Site Visit – Capanda Agro-Industrial Complex
In the scope of identifying relevant investment opportunities, the consulting team from LBC embarked on...

Ministry Hosts Workshop to Present Productive Investment Portal Development Project
The Ministry of Economy and Planning recently organized a workshop to introduce the Productive Investment...

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5. Homepage

5.7 FOOTER

It contains the logos of the main financing entities

5.8 SECONDARY MENU

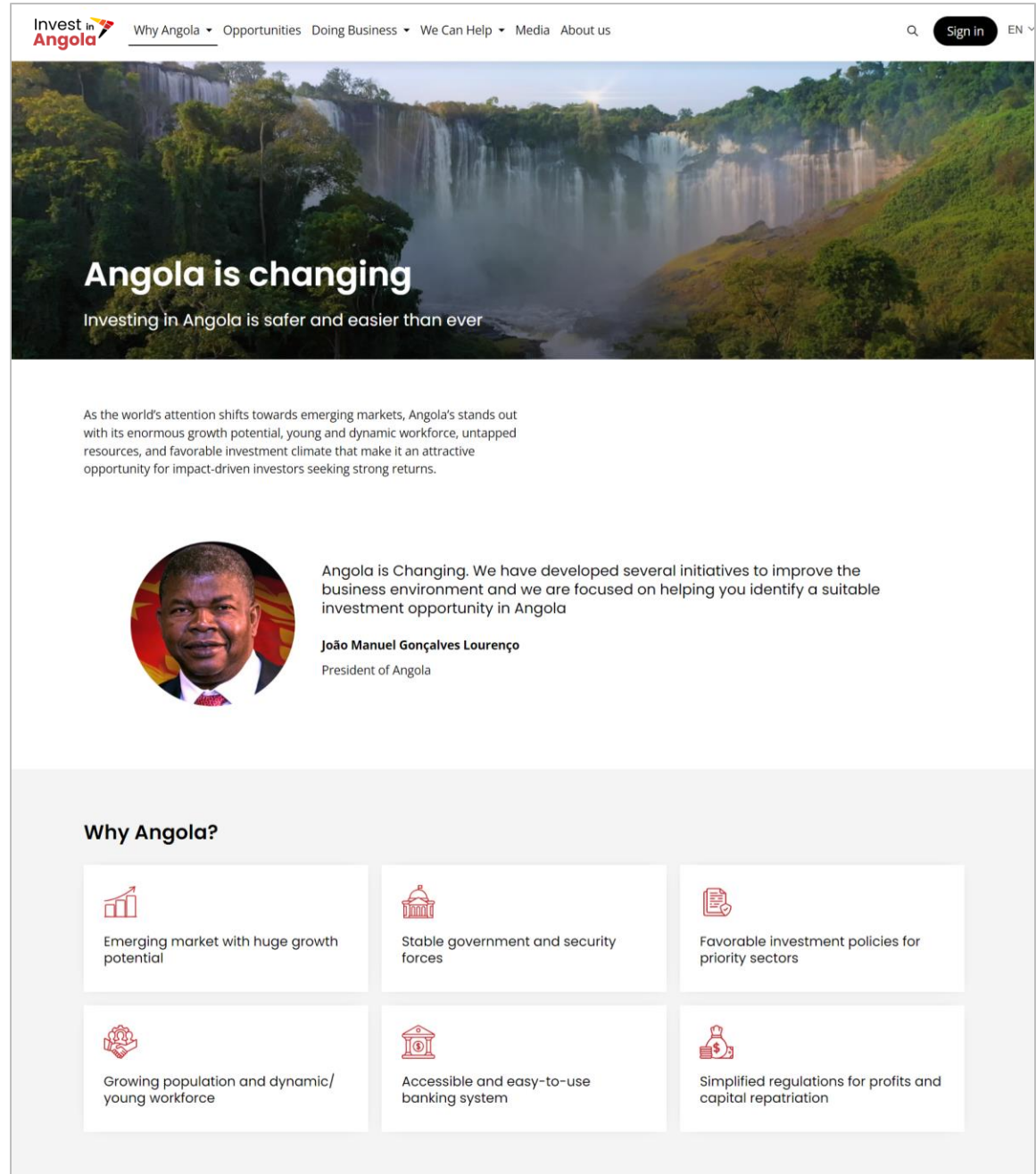
The Secondary Menu of the portal is located below the footer and allows the user to access the contacts page, this user guide, the site map and the privacy policy page.



6. Why Angola

6.1 ANGOLA IS CHANGING

This page discloses the most significant changes in Angola's business environment, while answering the main question of the tab "Why Angola?" (why invest in Angola?). The page highlights the main reasons why Angola is considered a strategic market with huge growth potential.




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Angola is changing







Investing in Angola is safer and easier than ever

As the world's attention shifts towards emerging markets, Angola stands out with its enormous growth potential, young and dynamic workforce, untapped resources, and favorable investment climate that make it an attractive opportunity for impact-driven investors seeking strong returns.

 Angola is Changing. We have developed several initiatives to improve the business environment and we are focused on helping you identify a suitable investment opportunity in Angola

João Manuel Gonçalves Lourenço
President of Angola

Why Angola?

 Emerging market with huge growth potential	 Stable government and security forces	 Favorable investment policies for priority sectors
 Growing population and dynamic/young workforce	 Accessible and easy-to-use banking system	 Simplified regulations for profits and capital repatriation

6. Why Angola

6.2 SUCCESS STORIES

This page presents relevant testimonials from national and international entrepreneurs who have invested in Angola and succeeded.

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Success Stories

Testimonials from entrepreneurs like yourself

Paula Carvalho
CEO, Capanda's Farm

"We invested in this farm in 2015. Since then, we have sold more than 10 thousand tons of rice to the local market and have exported more than 40 thousand tons to other foreign countries. The sustainability and success of our business was easily assured by many factors, with emphasis to the favorable tropical climate for such culture."

Some of the successful businesses in Angola

CMA CGM DIMASSABA VEOLIA LONAGRO Grupo CICOPAL
tecnovia Angola CASTEL Nestlé Coca-Cola Kikovo

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6.3 INTEGRATED DEVELOPMENT PROJECTS

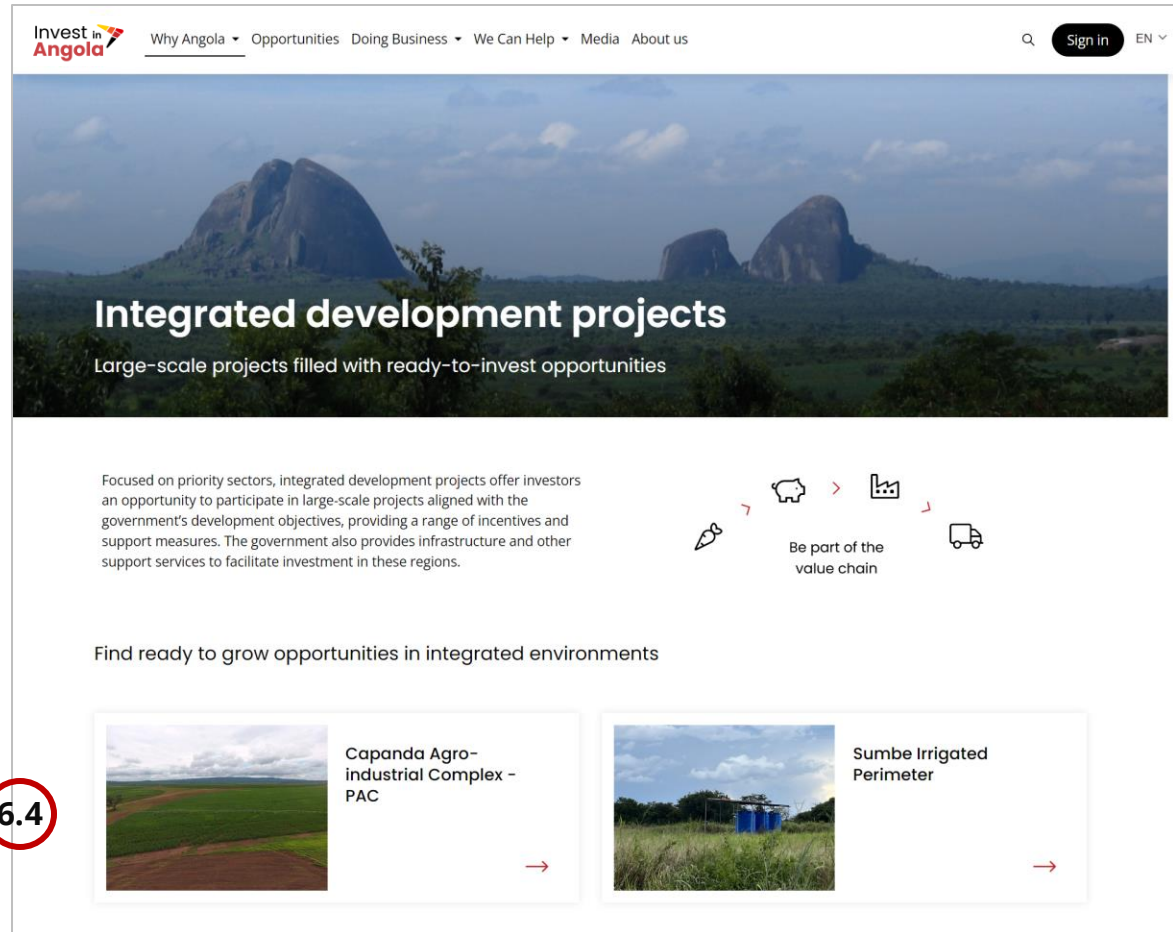
This page exhibits the available integrated development projects in the Portal, which are large-scale projects aligned with the government's development objectives.

The highlight on these kind of projects let the user find ready to grow opportunities in integrated environments.

6.4 AVAILABLE INTEGRATED DEVELOPMENT PROJECTS

Here you can find Integrated Development Projects that currently have opportunities disclosed in the Portal.

6.3



The screenshot shows the 'Integrated development projects' page on the Invest in Angola portal. The page features a navigation bar with the logo and menu items: 'Why Angola', 'Opportunities', 'Doing Business', 'We Can Help', 'Media', and 'About us'. A search icon and 'Sign in' button are also present. The main header image shows a landscape with large rock formations and the text 'Integrated development projects' and 'Large-scale projects filled with ready-to-invest opportunities'. Below this, a paragraph explains that these projects are focused on priority sectors and offer investors an opportunity to participate in large-scale projects aligned with the government's development objectives, providing a range of incentives and support measures. The government also provides infrastructure and other support services to facilitate investment in these regions. To the right of the text is a diagram showing a value chain with icons for a pig, a factory, and a truck, with the text 'Be part of the value chain'. Below the text is a call to action: 'Find ready to grow opportunities in integrated environments'. At the bottom, there are two project cards: 'Capanda Agro-industrial Complex - PAC' and 'Sumbe Irrigated Perimeter', each with a small image and a right-pointing arrow.

6.4

6. Why Angola

6.5 PAGE OF AN INTEGRATED DEVELOPMENT PROJECT

This page describes what the selected Integrated Development Project consists of, including relevant details for potential investors, presents the user with relevant pictures and shows the investment opportunities from that Integrated Project that are currently being promoted in the **investinangola.ao** Portal.

6.5

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Capanda Agro-industrial Complex – PAC

At a glance

Located in the province of Malanje, PAC – Pólo Agro-industrial de Capanda aims to boost and accelerate the diversification of the economy through public and private investment in the agriculture and forestry sectors. The favourable climate in the region, as well as the existence of road infrastructure and supply of electricity are attractive factors for investing in the pole. Many enterprises already operating in PAC are demanding for new businesses to complete the value chain of their products.



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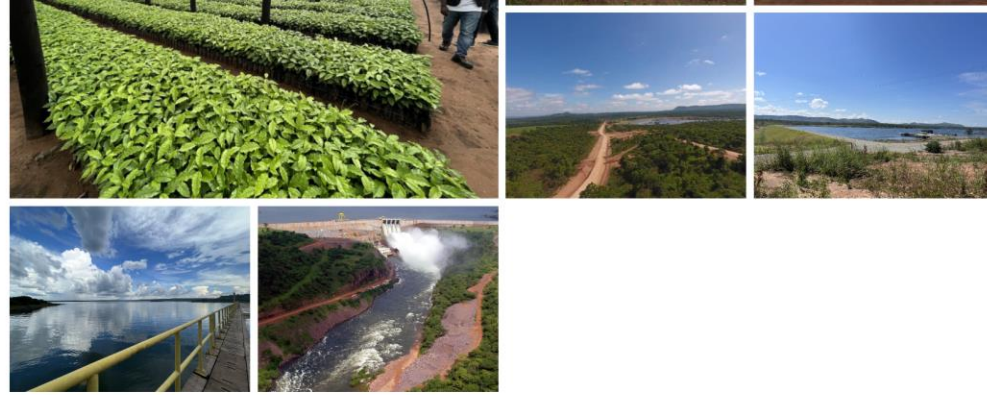
Project details

PAC has an area of 411.000 hectares, of which around 293.000 are for agro-productive development, 113.000 are areas of interest for environmental conservation, and around 5.000 are urbanized and/or occupied by humans. Located entirely in the province of Malanje, it is partially within the municipalities of Cacuso (72,6% of the PAC area), Malanje (19,2%), and Caxito (7,2%).

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6.6 INVESTMENT OPPORTUNITIES

By clicking on one of these investment opportunities, a new tab will be open, redirecting the user to the page “Opportunities”, with that particular investment opportunity selected.



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Ongoing investment opportunities

6.6



Fish Farming Unit

Malanje

Fishery



Capanda Farm

Malanje

Agriculture



Quizenga - Lutete Farm

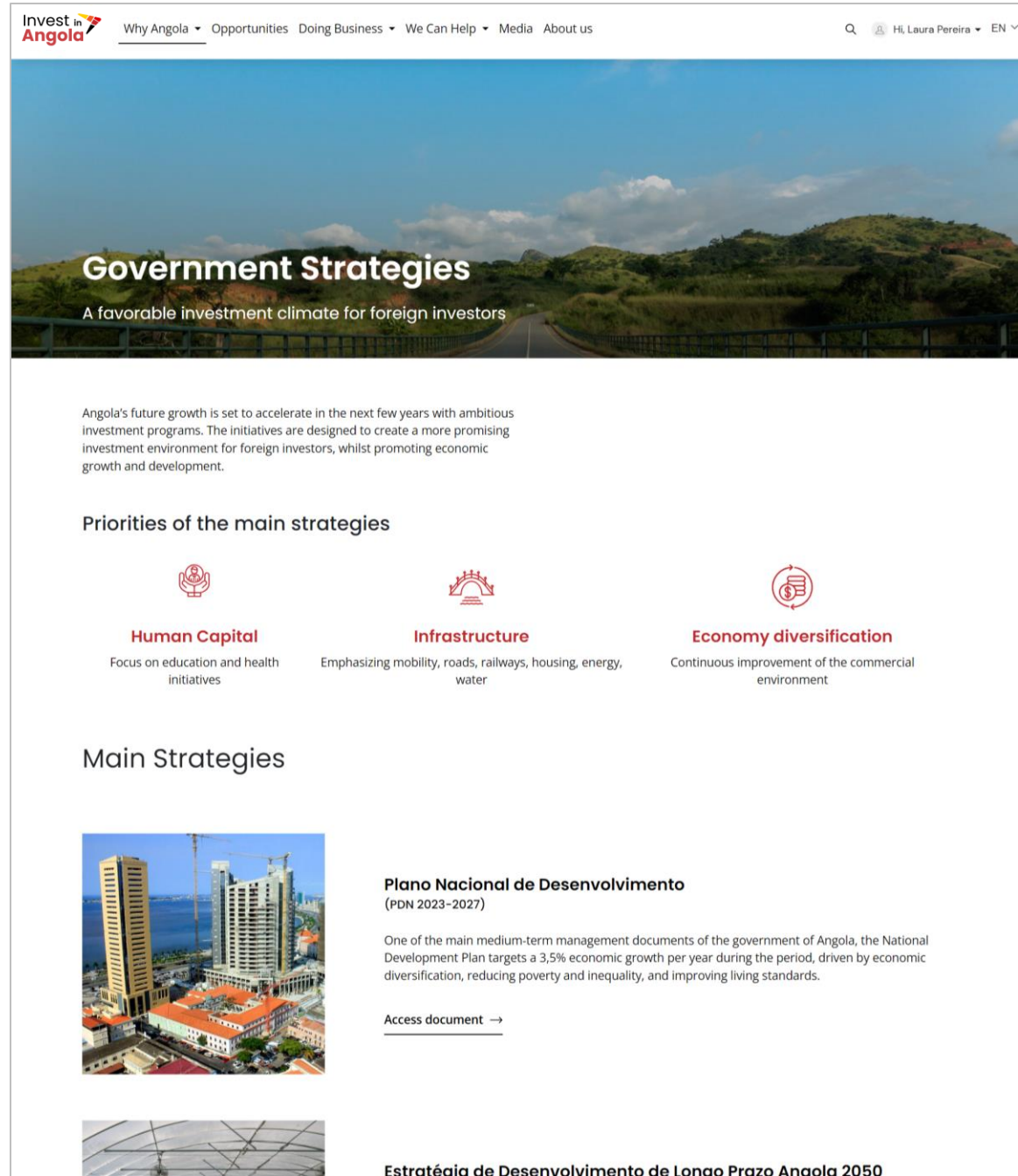
Malanje

Agriculture

6. Why Angola

6.7 PAGE OF GOVERNMENT STRATEGIES

This page describes the priorities and main strategies of the Government, disclosing all the relevant strategies and programs implemented that contribute to a more promising investment environment for foreign investors.



The screenshot shows the 'Government Strategies' page on the Invest in Angola website. The page features a navigation bar with links for 'Why Angola', 'Opportunities', 'Doing Business', 'We Can Help', 'Media', and 'About us'. The main heading is 'Government Strategies' with the subtext 'A favorable investment climate for foreign investors'. Below this, a paragraph states: 'Angola's future growth is set to accelerate in the next few years with ambitious investment programs. The initiatives are designed to create a more promising investment environment for foreign investors, whilst promoting economic growth and development.' The page lists three priorities: 'Human Capital' (focus on education and health initiatives), 'Infrastructure' (emphasizing mobility, roads, railways, housing, energy, water), and 'Economy diversification' (continuous improvement of the commercial environment). Under 'Main Strategies', the 'Plano Nacional de Desenvolvimento (PDN 2023-2027)' is highlighted, described as a medium-term management document targeting 3.5% economic growth per year. An 'Access document' link is provided. The bottom of the page shows the start of the 'Estratégia de Desenvolvimento de Longo Prazo Angola 2050' section.

7. Opportunities

7.1 SEARCH OPPORTUNITIES' MENU

This menu is located on the left side of the **Opportunities** page and lets the user search/filter opportunities available in the Portal by:

- Name of opportunity
- Sector
- Type of investment
- Province
- Estimated Investment Value
- Is or not part of a specific Integrated Development Project?
- Land size (in square meters)

In addition, the user can decide whether to organize the results of the search by latest or oldest.

The screenshot displays the 'Invest in Angola' website interface. At the top, the logo 'Invest in Angola' is visible, along with navigation links: 'Why Angola', 'Opportunities', 'Doing Business', 'We Can Help', 'Media', and 'About Us'. A user profile 'Hi, Laura Pereira' and language 'EN' are also present. The main content area is titled 'Search opportunities' and features a search bar and a dropdown menu for sorting by 'Latest opportunities'. A red circle highlights the '7.1' label next to the search bar. Below the search bar, three opportunity cards are listed:

- Quizenga - Lutete Farm**: Capanda Agro-industrial Complex - PAC, Malanje, Agriculture. Includes a 'Locate' button.
- Capanda Farm**: Capanda Agro-industrial Complex - PAC, Malanje, Livestock. Includes a 'Locate' button.
- Fish farming unit in Capanda**: Capanda Agro-industrial Complex - PAC, Malanje.

To the right of the cards is a map of Angola with various colored markers indicating the locations of these opportunities. A legend on the right side of the map lists sectors: Forestry (green), Fishery (blue), Textile (teal), Transportation & Logistics (yellow), Livestock (orange), Manufacture (red), and Agriculture (brown). The map also shows regional boundaries and major cities.

7. Opportunities

7.2

OPPORTUNITY CARD'S LIST

Each Opportunity Card in the list represents a different opportunity being promoted.

Each Card includes:

- **Main picture** – clicking here will open the Card for more details
- **Title of the investment** – clicking here will open the Card for more details
- **Province**
- **Sector**
- **Title of the associated Integrated Development Project** (if applicable)
- **Bookmark Button** – clicking here will save this Card in your personal area (if already logged in)
- **Locate Button** – clicking here will center the map on that specific investment

7.2

The screenshot displays the 'Invest in Angola' website interface. At the top, there is a navigation menu with links for 'Why Angola', 'Opportunities', 'Doing Business', 'We Can Help', 'Media', and 'About Us'. A search bar is located below the navigation. The main content area is titled 'Search opportunities' and features a list of three opportunity cards. Each card includes a main image, a title, a subtitle, a location, and a sector. The cards are: 1. 'Quizenga - Lutete Farm' (Agriculture), 2. 'Capanda Farm' (Livestock), and 3. 'Fish farming unit in Capanda' (Agriculture). To the right of the list is a map of Angola with various colored markers corresponding to the sectors in the cards. A legend on the right side of the map identifies the sectors: Forestry (green), Fishery (blue), Textile (teal), Transportation & Logistics (yellow), Livestock (orange), Manufacture (red), and Agriculture (brown). The map also includes a scale bar (200 km) and a search bar.

7. Opportunities

7.3 OPPORTUNITY CARD

When clicked in, an opportunity card opens, presenting the user with 4 different tabs related with that investment opportunity.

The first tab - **Information** - appears open by default.

7.4 INFORMATION

Contains Generic Information about the opportunity, including the Promoter, the Province where it is located, as well as a description of the opportunity.

The screenshot displays the 'Invest in Angola' website interface. At the top, there is a navigation menu with options: 'Why Angola', 'Opportunities', 'Doing Business', 'We Can Help', 'Media', and 'About Us'. A search bar on the right shows 'Hi, Laura Pereira' and 'EN'. The main content area features a card for 'Quizenga - Lutete Farm' in Malanje, categorized under 'Agriculture'. The card has four tabs: 'Information' (selected), 'Photo gallery', 'Specifications', and 'Contact us'. The 'Information' tab is expanded, showing the following details:

- Sector:** Cereals, Coffee, Eggs, Food, Legumes and oilseeds, Livestock, Manufacture, Pork, Poultry, Vegetables
- Province:** Malanje
- Estimated value:** 100.000 - 500.000 USD
- Promoter:** GESTERRA, S.A. - Arable Land Management (State-Owned)
- Investment type:** Business Exploration, Infrastructure Construction
- Motivation for investment:** (This section is partially visible and contains no text)

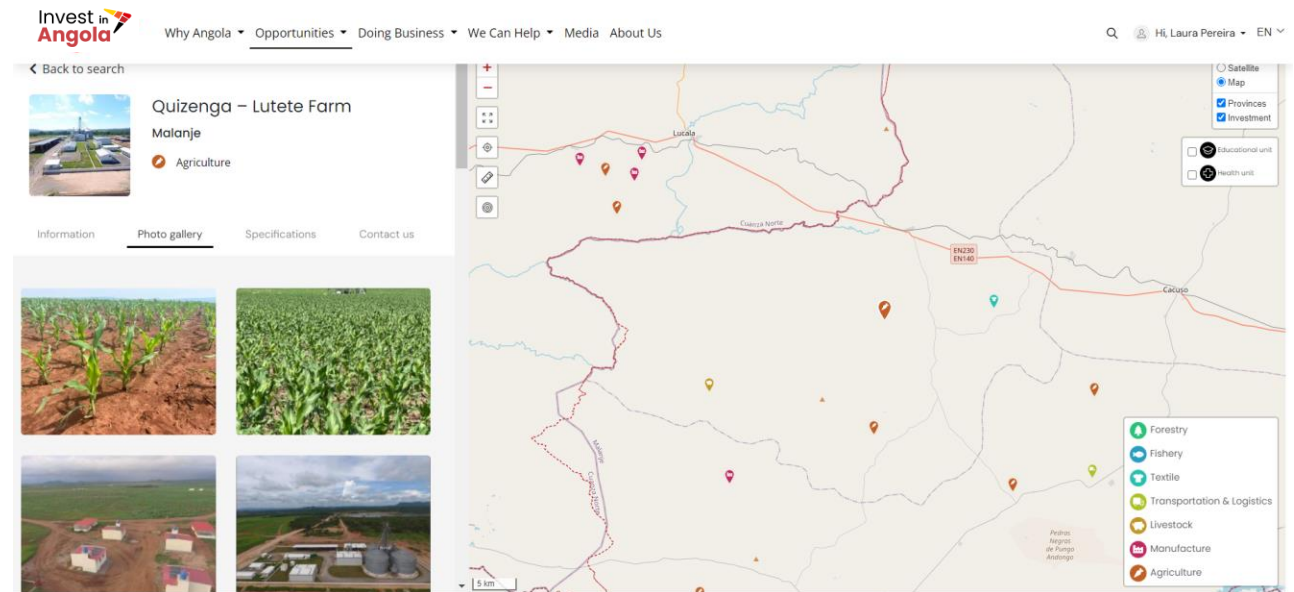
To the right of the card is a map of Malanje province with several location pins. A legend on the map identifies various sectors: Forestry (green), Fishery (blue), Textile (teal), Transportation & Logistics (yellow), Livestock (orange), Manufacture (red), and Agriculture (brown). The map also includes a scale bar for 5 km and a search bar.

7. Opportunities

7.5 TAB – PHOTO GALERY

A gallery of relevant pictures of the investment opportunity, including pictures of the infrastructure, landscape and main assets (if applicable).

The photo gallery in this tab is only visible for logged users.



7. Opportunities

7.6 TAB – SPECIFICATIONS

This tab comprises specific information about the investment opportunity, like the opportunity's accessibility to utilities, total area of the opportunity, among others.

The information in this tab is only visible for logged users.

The screenshot displays the 'Invest in Angola' website interface. The top navigation bar includes 'Why Angola', 'Opportunities', 'Doing Business', 'We Can Help', 'Media', and 'About Us'. The user is logged in as 'Hi, Laura Pereira' in English. The main content area features a search bar and a list of investment opportunities. The selected opportunity is 'Quizenga - Lutete Farm' in Malanje, categorized as 'Agriculture'. Below the title, there are tabs for 'Information', 'Photo gallery', 'Specifications', and 'Contact us'. The 'Specifications' tab is active, showing 'Conservation status' as 'Good condition' and 'Additional information' as 'Not specified'. To the right, a map shows the location of the farm with various colored pins indicating different sectors: Forestry (green), Fishery (blue), Textile (teal), Transportation & Logistics (yellow), Livestock (orange), Manufacture (red), and Agriculture (brown). The map also shows geographical features like rivers and roads.

7. Opportunities

7.7 TAB – CONTACT US

A contact form that allows the user to enter in direct contact with the promoter.

The form is only visible for logged users.

The screenshot displays the 'Invest in Angola' website interface. At the top, the navigation menu includes 'Why Angola', 'Opportunities', 'Doing Business', 'We Can Help', 'Media', and 'About Us'. The user is logged in as 'Hi, Laura Pereira' in English. The main content area features a 'Back to search' link and a project card for 'Quizenga – Lutete Farm' in Malanje, categorized under 'Agriculture'. Below the card are tabs for 'Information', 'Photo gallery', 'Specifications', and 'Contact us'. The 'Contact us' tab is active, showing a form with the following fields: 'Name' (First name and Surname), 'Email address', 'Country' (with a dropdown menu), 'Phone number' (with a '+244' prefix), and a 'Message' text area. To the right of the form is a map of the region, showing various investment opportunities marked with colored pins. A legend on the map identifies categories: Forestry (green), Fishery (blue), Textile (teal), Transportation & Logistics (yellow), Livestock (orange), Manufacture (red), and Agriculture (brown). The map also includes a scale bar (5 km) and a legend for map controls like 'Satellite', 'Map', 'Provinces', and 'Investment'.

7. Opportunities

7.8 MAP

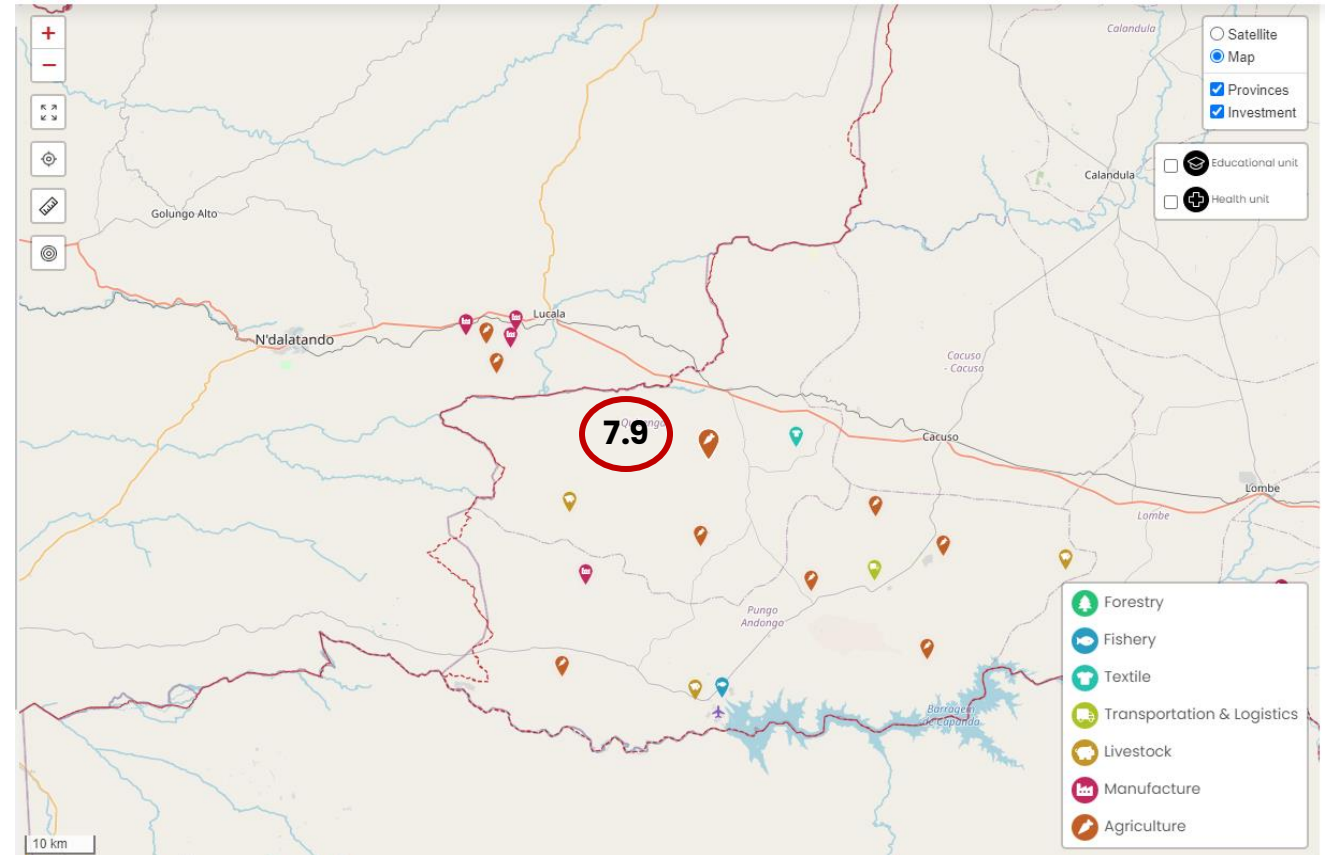
The Map, located on the right side of the **Opportunities** page, shows Angola by default, and has the investment opportunities signalized in their correct locations.

7.9 INVESTMENT OPPORTUNITIES' ICON

Each icon has the sector symbol of the investment opportunity it represents.

By hovering the mouse in one of the icons, the user will be able to read the Title of that investment opportunity.

By clicking on one icon, the user will open that investment opportunity's Card.



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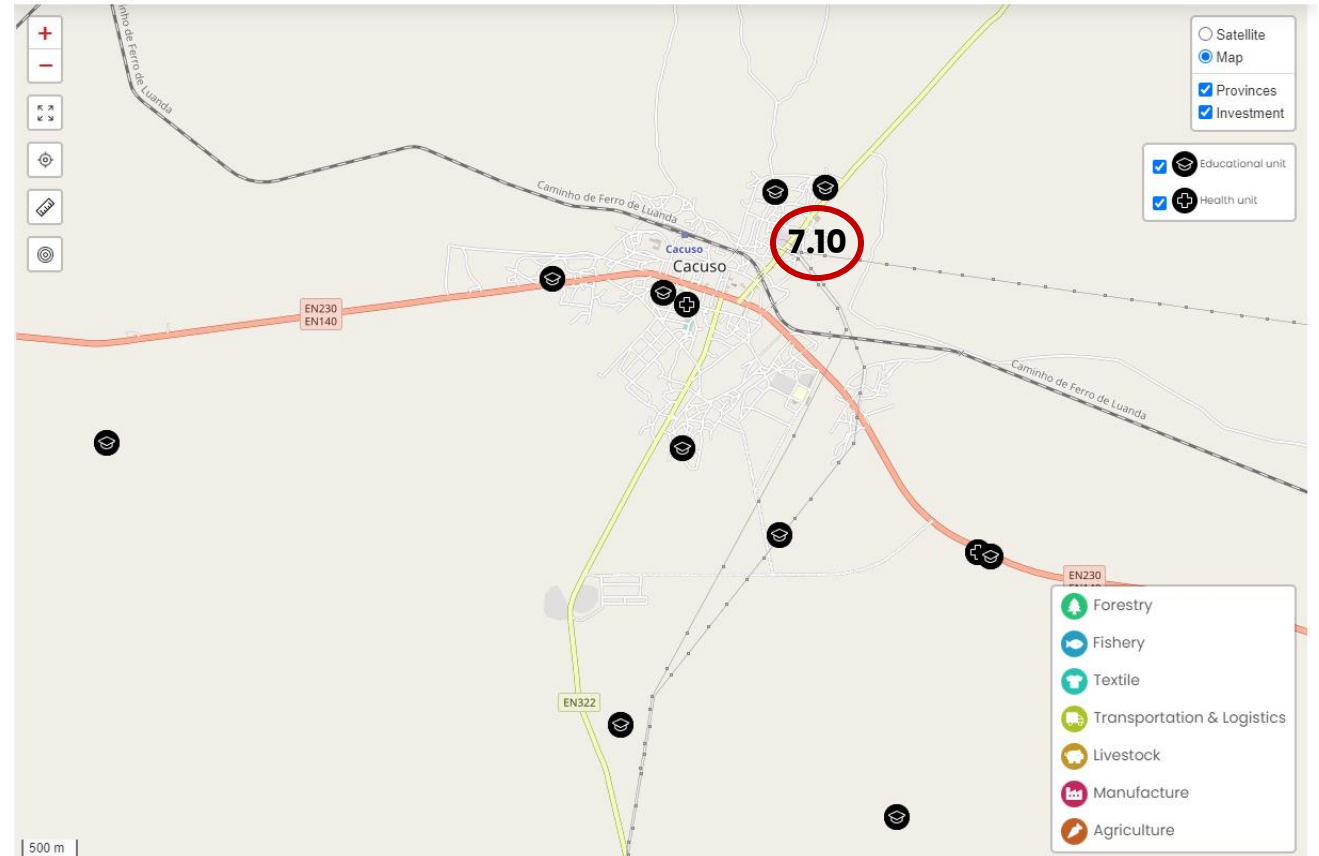
7.10 Points of Interest

The user can select and see on the map some point of interest, such as educational units, health units, airports and train stations.

7.11 Other functions

The user can also use this button to zoom in and out in the map, center the map in the main view of Angola, check coordinates on a specific point, check distances with a ruler, and circle the selected investment with 3 circles with different radius.

7.11

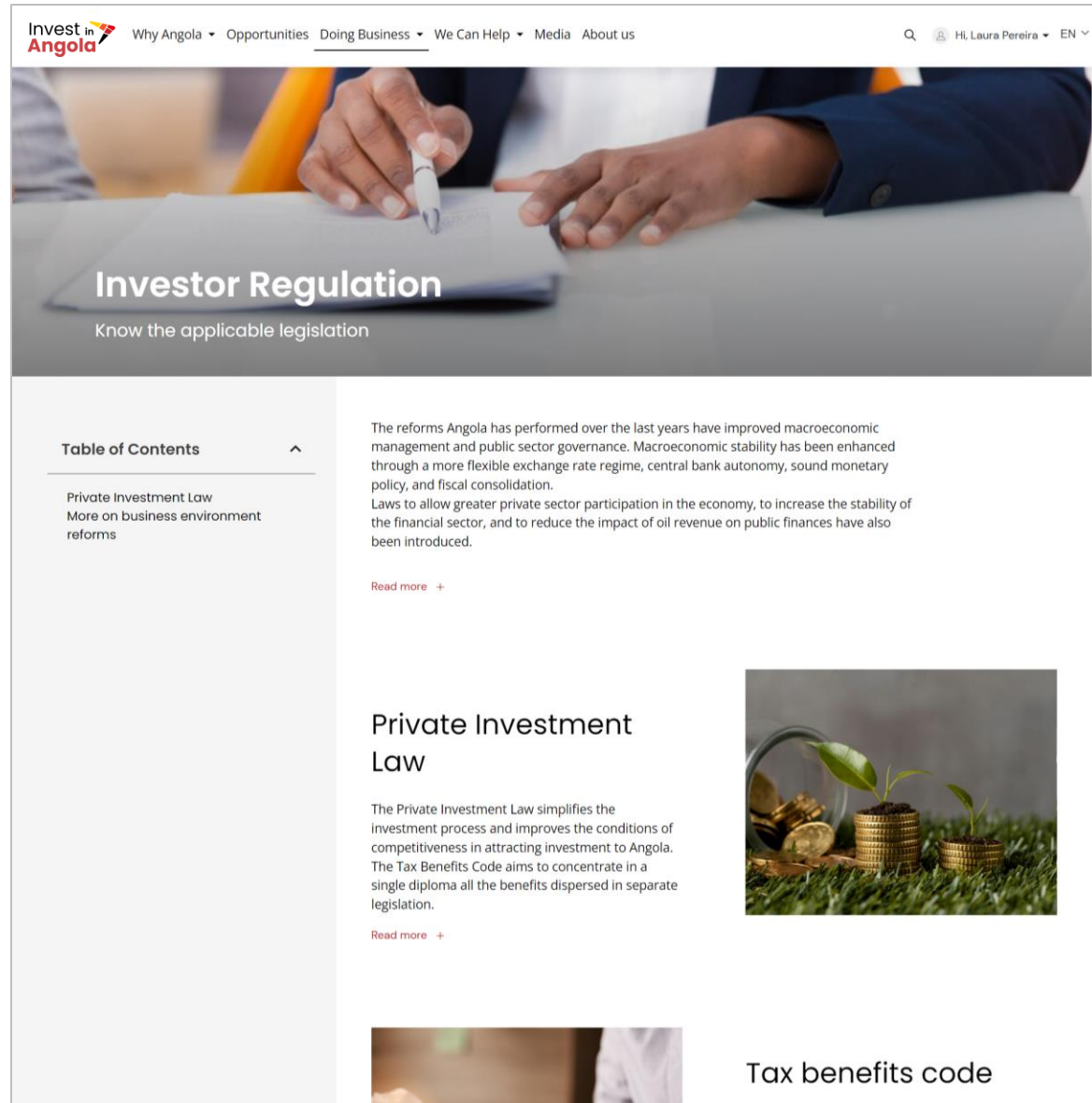


8. Doing Business

8.1 INVESTOR REGULATION PAGE

This page shows the relevant and applicable legislation for investing in Angola, regarding:

- Private Investment Law
- Tax benefits code
- Competition Law
- General Labor Law
- Law of Public Contracts
- Land Law
- Public-Private Partnerships Law
- Immigration Law
- Commercial Activities Law
- Rules and procedures for execution of capital operations
- Taxes on corporate income
- Bilateral investment and taxation treaties
- More on business environment reforms



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Investor Regulation

Know the applicable legislation

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- Private Investment Law
- More on business environment reforms

The reforms Angola has performed over the last years have improved macroeconomic management and public sector governance. Macroeconomic stability has been enhanced through a more flexible exchange rate regime, central bank autonomy, sound monetary policy, and fiscal consolidation. Laws to allow greater private sector participation in the economy, to increase the stability of the financial sector, and to reduce the impact of oil revenue on public finances have also been introduced.

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Private Investment Law

The Private Investment Law simplifies the investment process and improves the conditions of competitiveness in attracting investment to Angola. The Tax Benefits Code aims to concentrate in a single diploma all the benefits dispersed in separate legislation.

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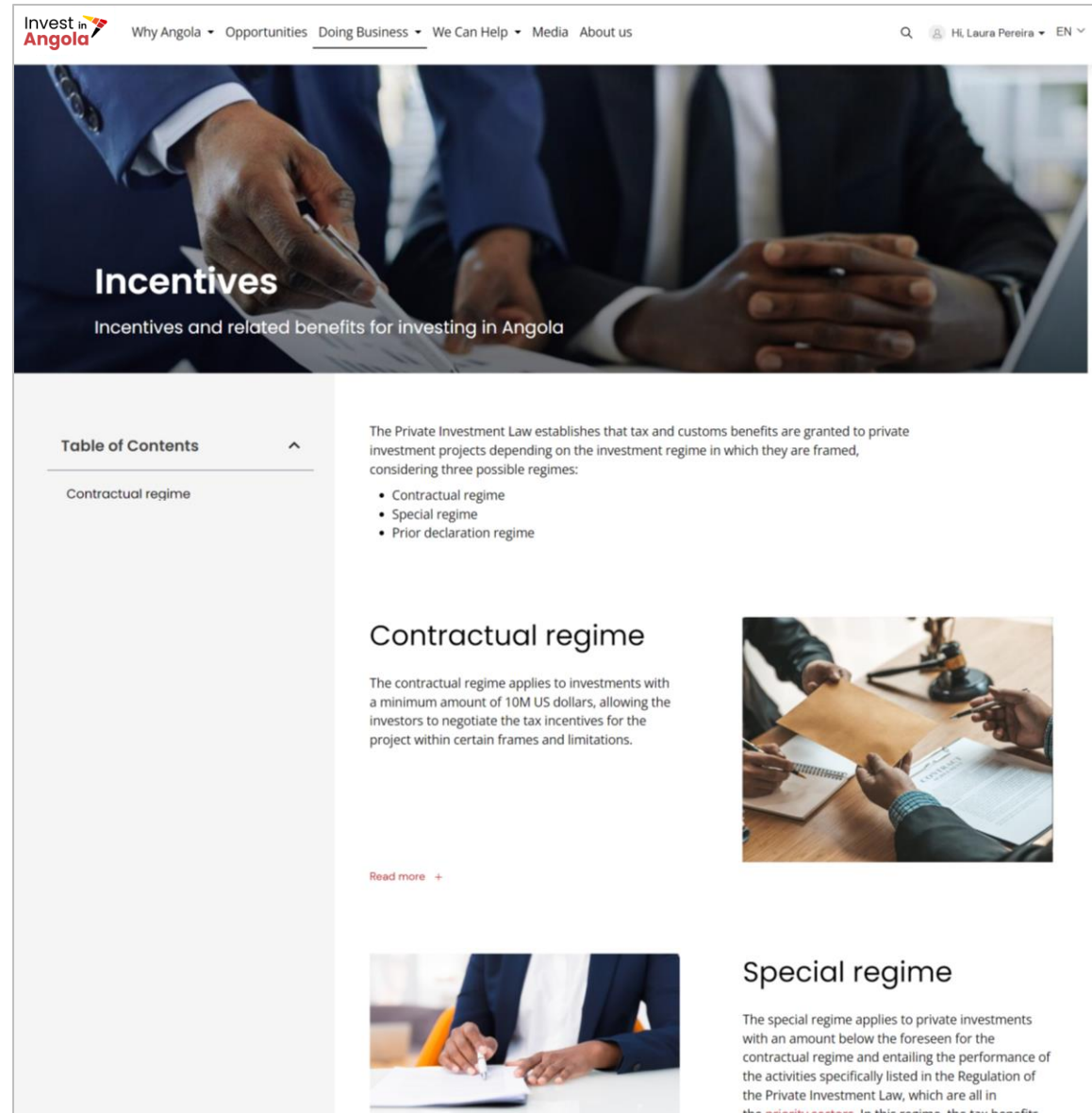
Tax benefits code

8. Doing Business

8.2 INCENTIVES PAGE

This page discloses the available incentives and related benefits for investing in Angola, namely the tax and customs benefits that are granted to private investment projects, depending on the investment regime in which they are framed:

- Contractual regime
- Special regime
- Prior declaration regime



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Incentives

Incentives and related benefits for investing in Angola

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- Contractual regime

The Private Investment Law establishes that tax and customs benefits are granted to private investment projects depending on the investment regime in which they are framed, considering three possible regimes:

- Contractual regime
- Special regime
- Prior declaration regime

Contractual regime

The contractual regime applies to investments with a minimum amount of 10M US dollars, allowing the investors to negotiate the tax incentives for the project within certain frames and limitations.

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Special regime

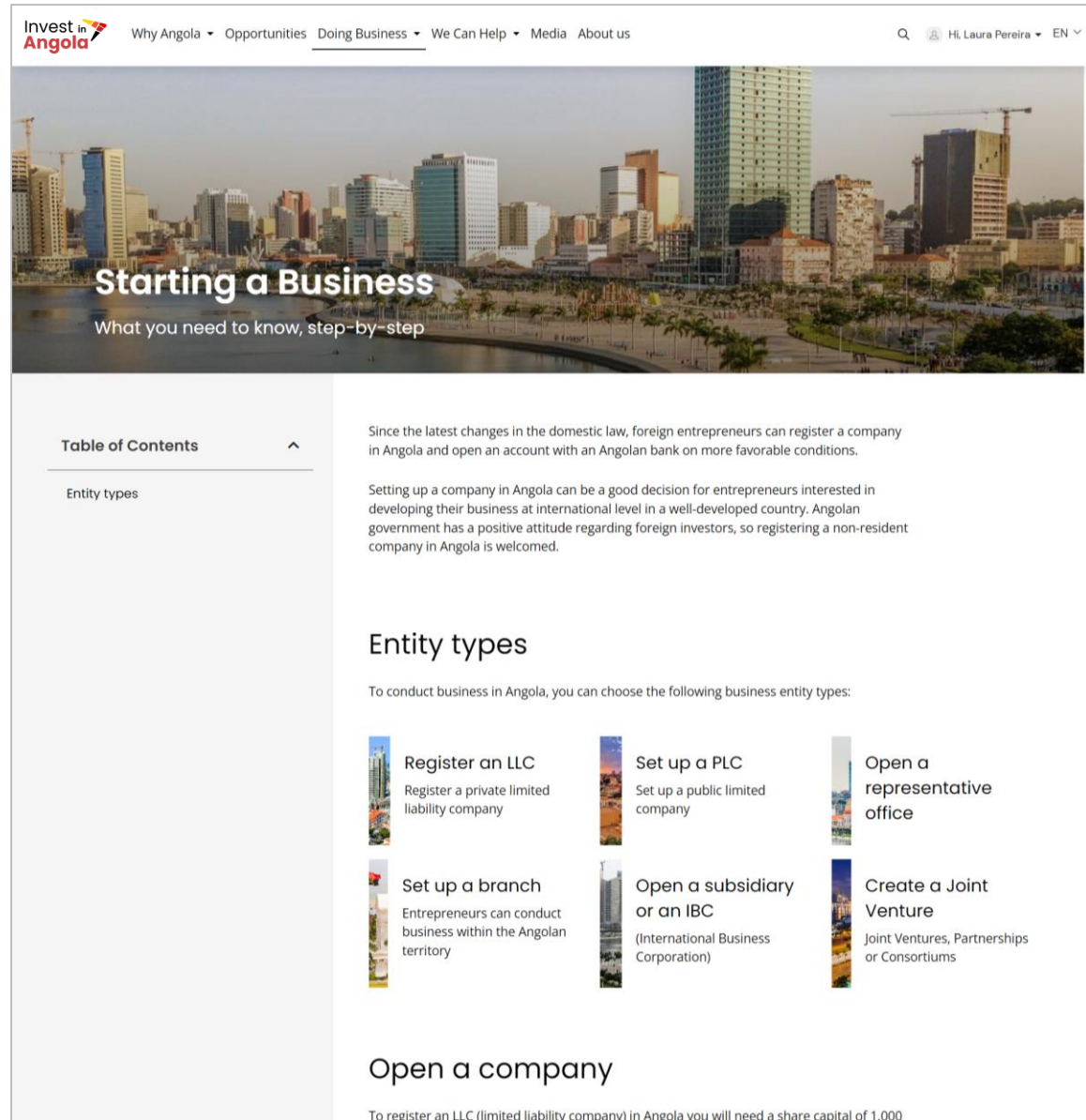
The special regime applies to private investments with an amount below the foreseen for the contractual regime and entailing the performance of the activities specifically listed in the Regulation of the Private Investment Law, which are all in the priority system. In this regime, the tax benefits

8. Doing Business

8.3 STARTING A BUSINESS PAGE

In this page, the user can find good-to-know info for starting a business in Angola, including info regarding:

- Entity types
- Process of opening a company
- Steps of an investment proposal
- The applicable tax rates
- Other information, such as advertising and trade promotion



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- Entity types

Since the latest changes in the domestic law, foreign entrepreneurs can register a company in Angola and open an account with an Angolan bank on more favorable conditions.

Setting up a company in Angola can be a good decision for entrepreneurs interested in developing their business at international level in a well-developed country. Angolan government has a positive attitude regarding foreign investors, so registering a non-resident company in Angola is welcomed.

Entity types

To conduct business in Angola, you can choose the following business entity types:

- Register an LLC**
Register a private limited liability company
- Set up a PLC**
Set up a public limited company
- Open a representative office**
- Set up a branch**
Entrepreneurs can conduct business within the Angolan territory
- Open a subsidiary or an IBC**
(International Business Corporation)
- Create a Joint Venture**
Joint Ventures, Partnerships or Consortiums

Open a company

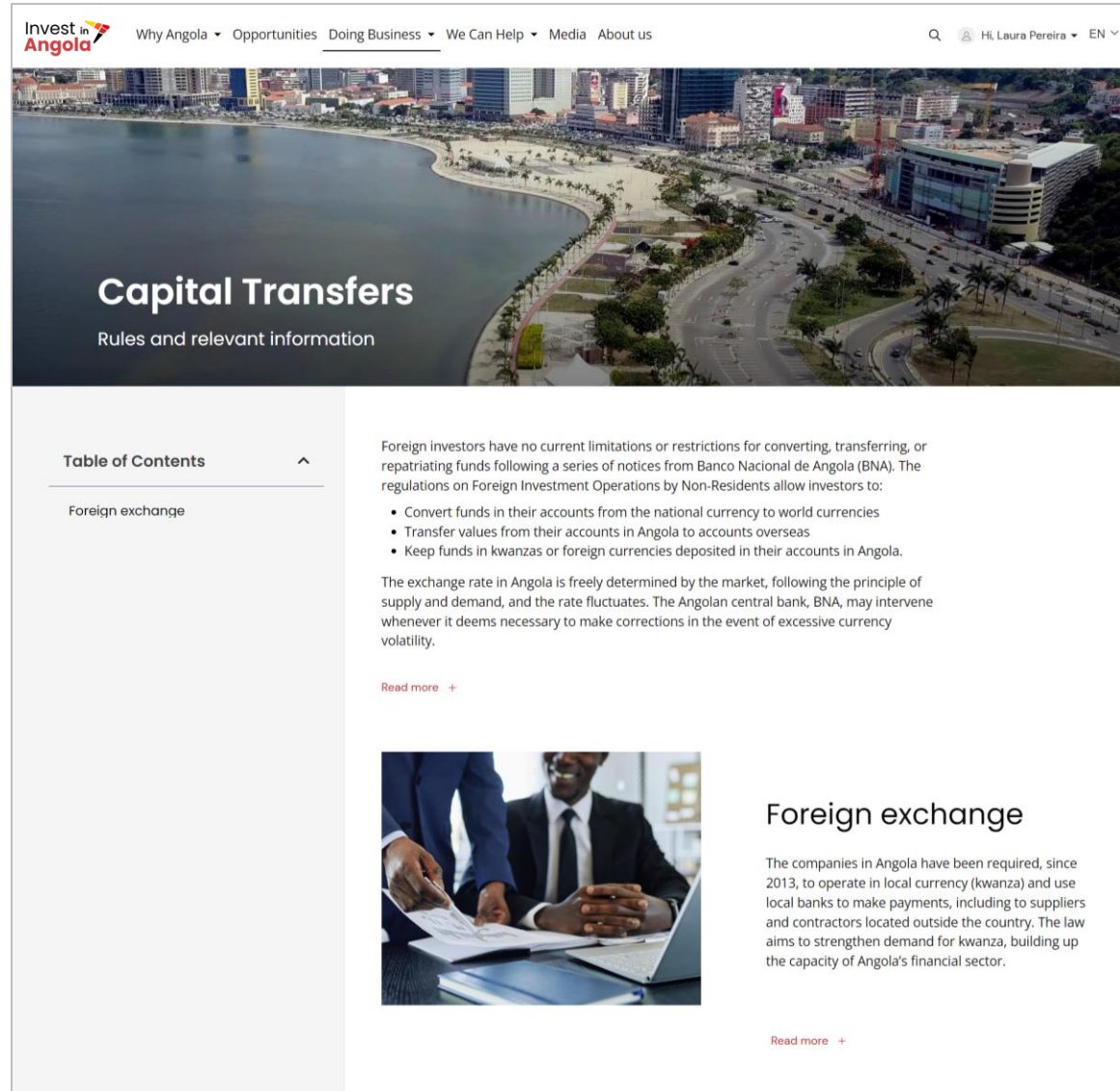
To register an LLC (limited liability company) in Angola you will need a share capital of 1.000

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8.4 CAPITAL TRANSFERS PAGE

This page provides direct information on rules on the capital movement in and out of Angola, specifically related to:

- Currency
- Transfers abroad



The screenshot shows the 'Capital Transfers' page on the Invest in Angola website. The page features a navigation bar with links for 'Why Angola', 'Opportunities', 'Doing Business', 'We Can Help', 'Media', and 'About us'. The main header includes the 'Invest in Angola' logo and a search bar. The page title is 'Capital Transfers' with the subtitle 'Rules and relevant information'. A 'Table of Contents' sidebar on the left lists 'Foreign exchange'. The main content area discusses regulations for foreign investors, including a list of allowed actions: converting funds to world currencies, transferring values to overseas accounts, and keeping funds in kwanzas or foreign currencies in Angola. It also notes that the exchange rate is market-determined. A 'Read more +' link is provided. Below this, there is an image of two men in suits reviewing documents, followed by a section titled 'Foreign exchange' which explains the requirement for companies to operate in local currency (kwanzas) since 2013. Another 'Read more +' link is at the bottom.

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- Foreign exchange

Foreign investors have no current limitations or restrictions for converting, transferring, or repatriating funds following a series of notices from Banco Nacional de Angola (BNA). The regulations on Foreign Investment Operations by Non-Residents allow investors to:

- Convert funds in their accounts from the national currency to world currencies
- Transfer values from their accounts in Angola to accounts overseas
- Keep funds in kwanzas or foreign currencies deposited in their accounts in Angola.

The exchange rate in Angola is freely determined by the market, following the principle of supply and demand, and the rate fluctuates. The Angolan central bank, BNA, may intervene whenever it deems necessary to make corrections in the event of excessive currency volatility.

[Read more +](#)



Foreign exchange

The companies in Angola have been required, since 2013, to operate in local currency (kwanza) and use local banks to make payments, including to suppliers and contractors located outside the country. The law aims to strengthen demand for kwanza, building up the capacity of Angola's financial sector.

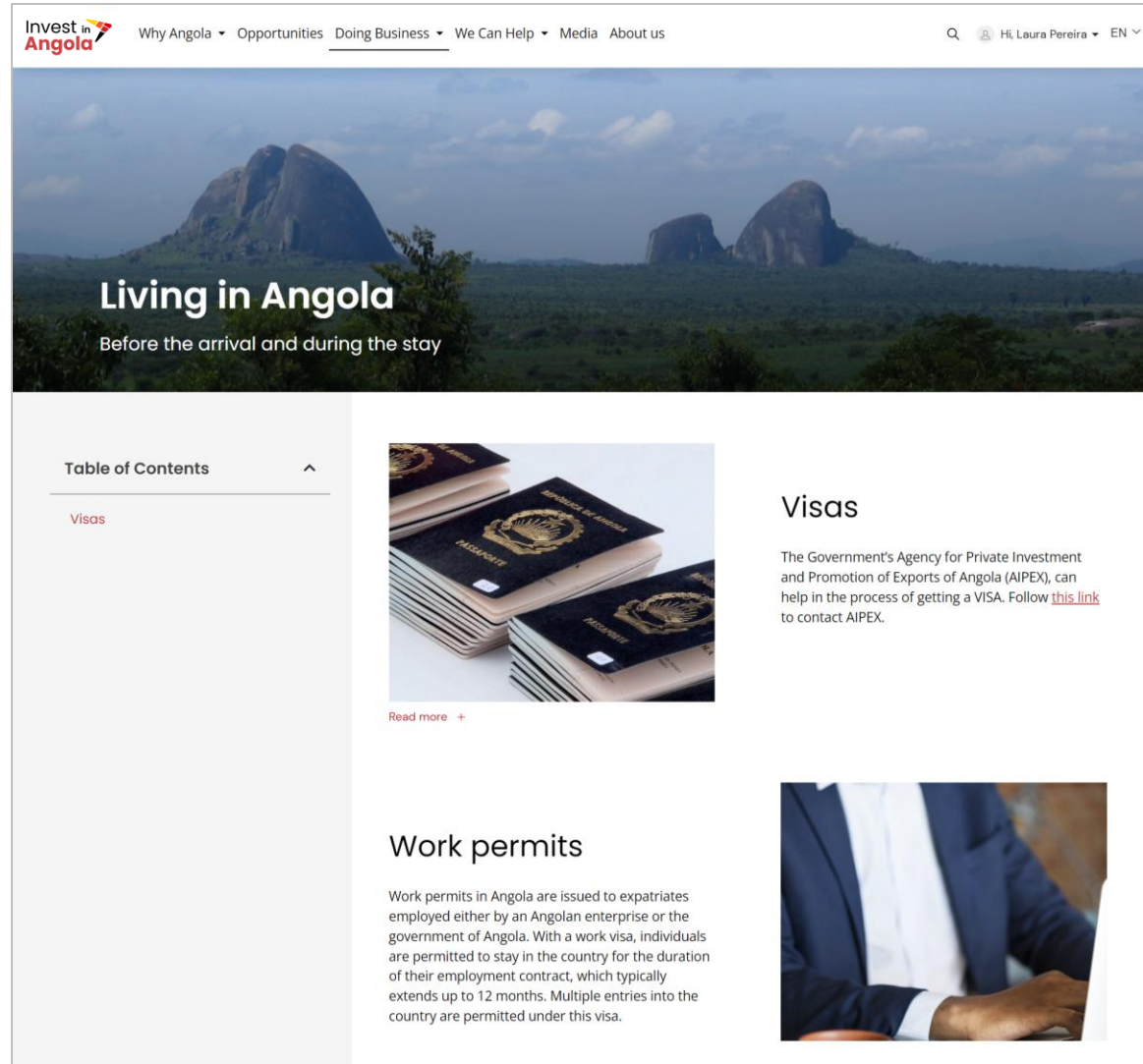
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8.5 LIVING IN ANGOLA PAGE

This page provides insights on how life in Angola is, concerning relevant information for the investors on the following topics:

- **Visas** – information and how to get
- **Work permits**
- **Healthcare** – medical facilities, health insurance, pharmacies, health hazards and emergency services
- **Education** – Education for kids, public, private and international schools
- **Language**
- **Transports**
- **Weather**
- **Culture**
- **Tourism**



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Before the arrival and during the stay

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Visas

The Government's Agency for Private Investment and Promotion of Exports of Angola (AIPEX), can help in the process of getting a VISA. Follow [this link](#) to contact AIPEX.

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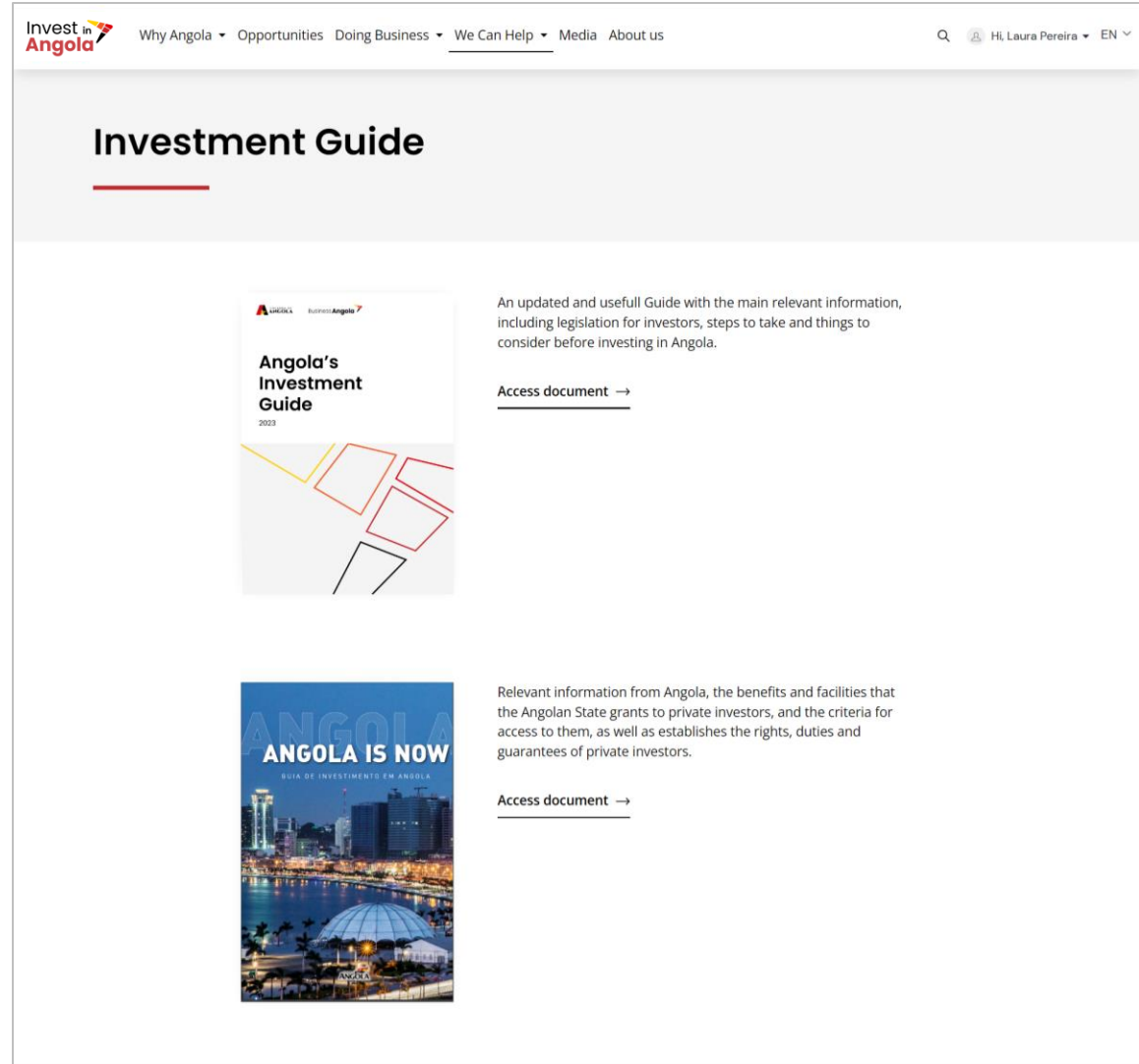
Work permits

Work permits in Angola are issued to expatriates employed either by an Angolan enterprise or the government of Angola. With a work visa, individuals are permitted to stay in the country for the duration of their employment contract, which typically extends up to 12 months. Multiple entries into the country are permitted under this visa.

9. We Can Help

9.1 INVESTMENT GUIDE PAGE

This page provides the user access to 2 updated and useful Guides, with the main relevant information, including legislation for investors, steps to take and things to consider before investing in Angola.



The screenshot shows the 'Investment Guide' page on the Invest in Angola website. The page features a navigation bar at the top with the logo and menu items: 'Why Angola', 'Opportunities', 'Doing Business', 'We Can Help', 'Media', and 'About us'. A search bar and user profile 'Hi, Laura Pereira' are also visible. The main heading is 'Investment Guide'. Below this, there are two featured guides:

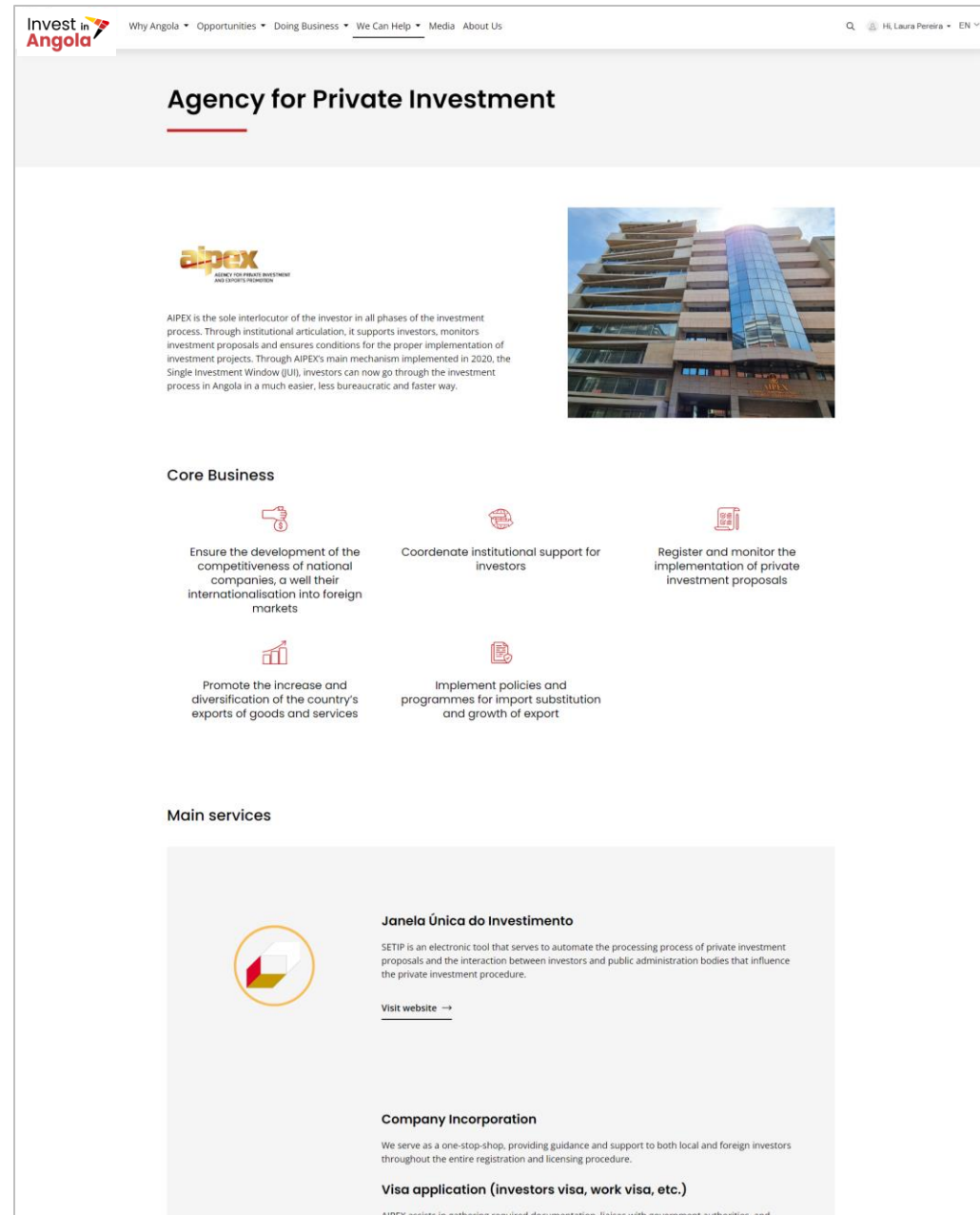
- Angola's Investment Guide 2023:** An updated and useful Guide with the main relevant information, including legislation for investors, steps to take and things to consider before investing in Angola. An 'Access document' link is provided.
- ANGOLA IS NOW:** Relevant information from Angola, the benefits and facilities that the Angolan State grants to private investors, and the criteria for access to them, as well as establishes the rights, duties and guarantees of private investors. An 'Access document' link is provided.

The footer contains the 'BusinessAngola' logo and the text 'Opportunities to build the future', along with the logos of the 'GOVERNO DE ANGOLA' and the United Nations.

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9.2 GOVERNMENT SERVICES PAGE

This page details the main services provided to the investor by the government's investment promotion agency – APEX – such as the revision of private investment proposals, help and guidance in the Visa processes, among others.




The screenshot shows the website for the Agency for Private Investment (APEX) under the 'Invest in Angola' brand. The page title is 'Agency for Private Investment'. It features the APEX logo and a photograph of a modern building. The text describes APEX as the sole interlocutor of investors in all phases of the investment process. Below this, the 'Core Business' section lists five key functions: ensuring competitiveness of national companies, coordinating institutional support, registering and monitoring proposals, promoting exports, and implementing import substitution programs. The 'Main services' section highlights the 'Janela Única do Investimento' (Single Investment Window), an electronic tool for automating the investment process, and provides a link to visit the website. Other services mentioned include company incorporation and visa applications.


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Agency for Private Investment



APEX is the sole interlocutor of the investor in all phases of the investment process. Through institutional articulation, it supports investors, monitors investment proposals and ensures conditions for the proper implementation of investment projects. Through APEX's main mechanism implemented in 2020, the Single Investment Window (JUI), investors can now go through the investment process in Angola in a much easier, less bureaucratic and faster way.



Core Business

- Ensure the development of the competitiveness of national companies, as well their internationalisation into foreign markets
- Coordinate institutional support for investors
- Register and monitor the implementation of private investment proposals
- Promote the increase and diversification of the country's exports of goods and services
- Implement policies and programmes for import substitution and growth of export

Main services

Janela Única do Investimento

SETIP is an electronic tool that serves to automate the processing process of private investment proposals and the interaction between investors and public administration bodies that influence the private investment procedure.

[Visit website →](#)

Company Incorporation

We serve as a one-stop-shop, providing guidance and support to both local and foreign investors throughout the entire registration and licensing procedure.

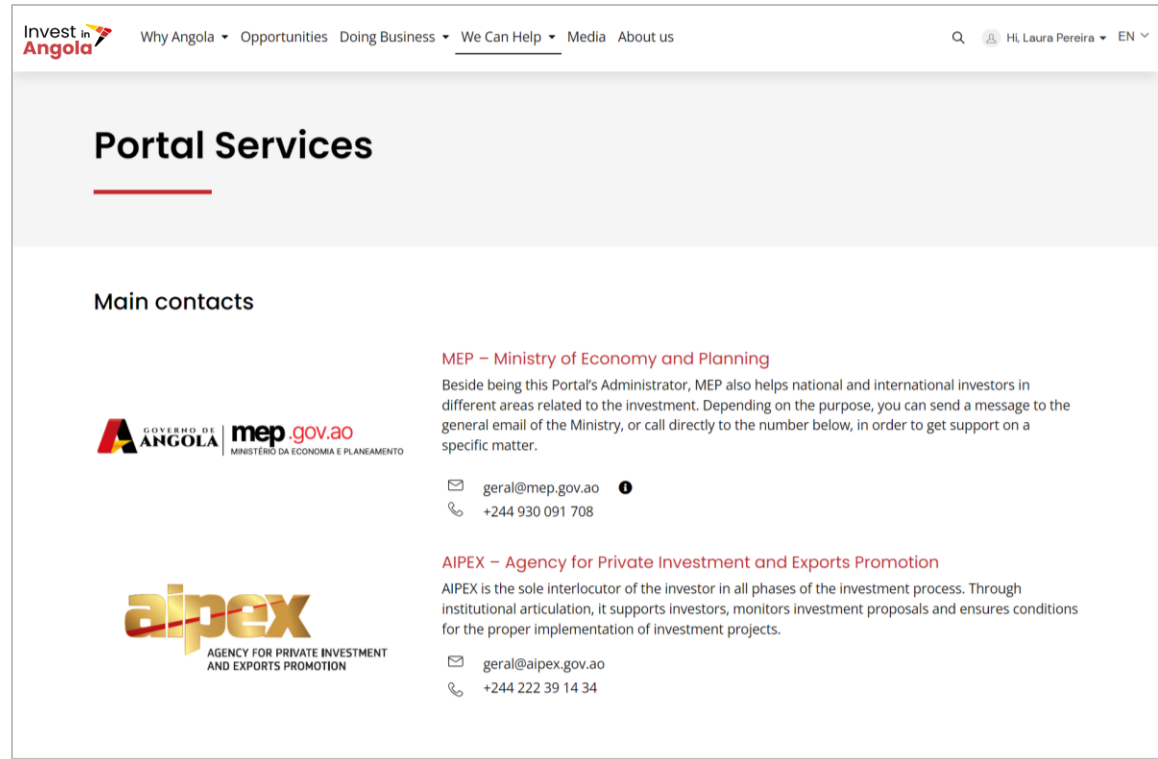
Visa application (investors visa, work visa, etc.)

APEX assists in authenticating required documentation, liaises with government authorities, and

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9.3 PORTAL SERVICES PAGE

This page provides the user with key contacts related with the Portal's Administrator, that can provide help in different areas of interest.



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Portal Services

Main contacts

MEP – Ministry of Economy and Planning
Beside being this Portal's Administrator, MEP also helps national and international investors in different areas related to the investment. Depending on the purpose, you can send a message to the general email of the Ministry, or call directly to the number below, in order to get support on a specific matter.

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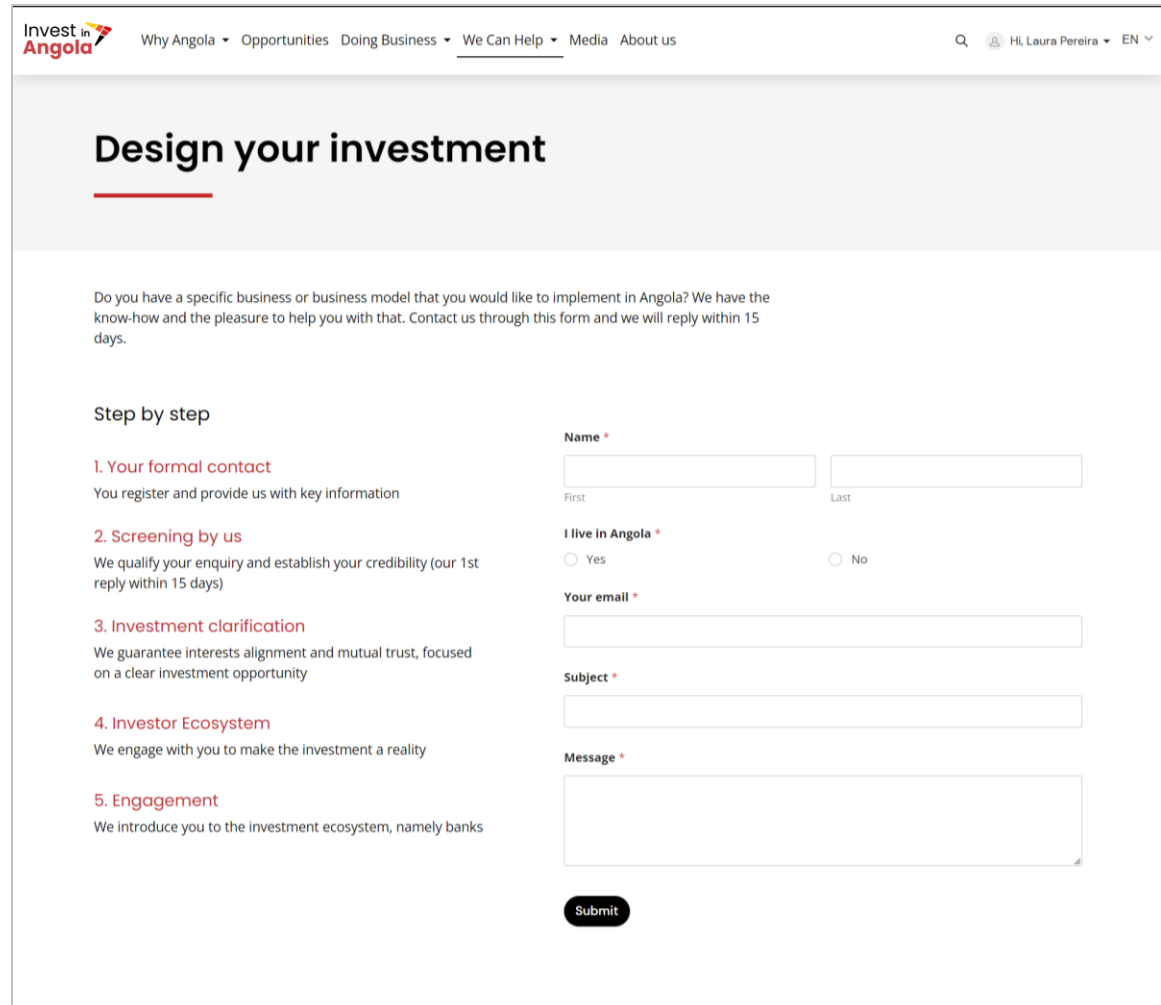
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9.4 DESIGN YOUR INVESTMENT PAGE

This page purpose is to allow investors with a specific business or business model to request assistance in implementing it in Angola. By filling a simple contact form, the Portal staff will be able to assist the user in this demand, speeding up contact with relevant entities.



The screenshot shows the 'Design your investment' page on the Invest in Angola website. The page has a navigation bar with links for 'Why Angola', 'Opportunities', 'Doing Business', 'We Can Help', 'Media', and 'About us'. A search bar and user profile 'Hi, Laura Pereira' are also visible. The main heading is 'Design your investment'. Below the heading, there is a paragraph explaining the purpose of the form: 'Do you have a specific business or business model that you would like to implement in Angola? We have the know-how and the pleasure to help you with that. Contact us through this form and we will reply within 15 days.' The form is divided into two columns. The left column is titled 'Step by step' and lists five steps: 1. Your formal contact (You register and provide us with key information), 2. Screening by us (We qualify your enquiry and establish your credibility (our 1st reply within 15 days)), 3. Investment clarification (We guarantee interests alignment and mutual trust, focused on a clear investment opportunity), 4. Investor Ecosystem (We engage with you to make the investment a reality), and 5. Engagement (We introduce you to the investment ecosystem, namely banks). The right column contains the form fields: 'Name *' (split into 'First' and 'Last' text boxes), 'I live in Angola *' (radio buttons for 'Yes' and 'No'), 'Your email *' (text box), 'Subject *' (text box), and 'Message *' (text area). A 'Submit' button is located at the bottom right of the form.

10. Media

10.1 MEDIA PAGE

This page aggregates all the news shared on the Portal, with the latest news published appearing at the top. It shows the news title, a brief excerpt and a button to read the full news.






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- **Site visit – Sumbé Irrigated Perimeter**
The consulting team from LBC made a visit to the
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- **Workshop showcased BusinessAngola progress and encouraged stakeholder engagement**
A highly anticipated workshop took place on April 26 at
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- **Site visit – Capanda agro-industrial complex**
In the scope of identifying relevant investment opportunities, the consulting
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- **MEP hosts workshop to present Productive Investment Portal development project**
The Ministry of Economy and Planning (MEP) recently organized a
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- **Recent bilateral agreements driving Angola's O&G industry growth**
Angola has signed various bilateral agreements to boost the flow
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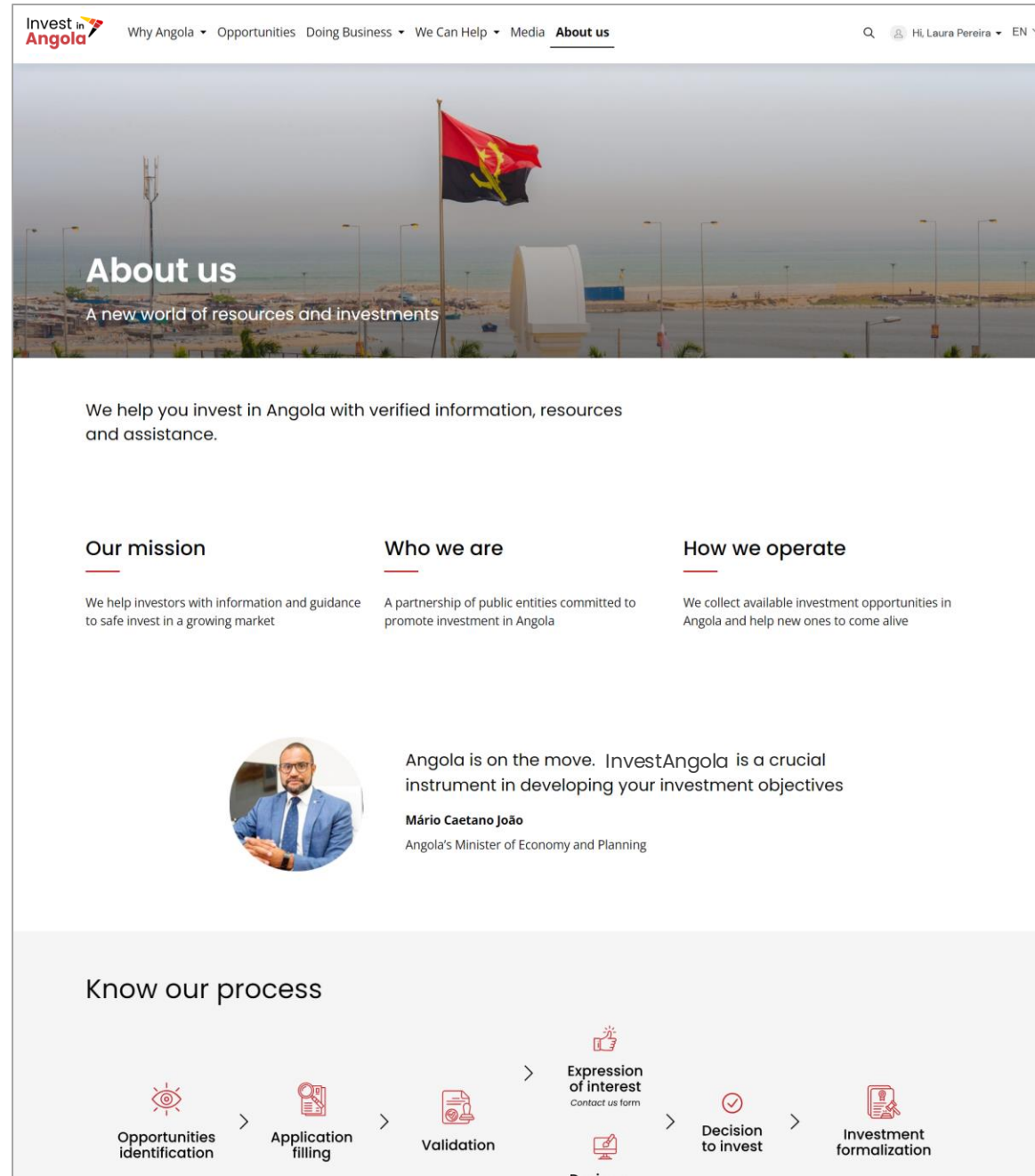
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11. About us

11.1 ABOUT US PAGE

On this page the user can find a more detailed description of the Portal's goals, who runs the Portal and how, which entities do participate in the process, as well as a description of the current stage of the Portal's development.



The screenshot shows the 'About us' page of the Invest in Angola portal. The page features a navigation bar with the logo and menu items: Why Angola, Opportunities, Doing Business, We Can Help, Media, and About us. A search bar and user profile (Hi, Laura Pereira) are also visible. The main content area includes a hero image of the Angolan flag and a headline 'About us' with the tagline 'A new world of resources and investments'. Below this, a paragraph states: 'We help you invest in Angola with verified information, resources and assistance.' The page is divided into three columns: 'Our mission' (We help investors with information and guidance to safe invest in a growing market), 'Who we are' (A partnership of public entities committed to promote investment in Angola), and 'How we operate' (We collect available investment opportunities in Angola and help new ones to come alive). A circular profile picture of Mário Caetano João, Angola's Minister of Economy and Planning, is shown next to a quote: 'Angola is on the move. InvestAngola is a crucial instrument in developing your investment objectives'. At the bottom, a 'Know our process' section displays a horizontal flowchart with five steps: Opportunities identification, Application filling, Validation, Expression of interest (with a 'Contact us form' link), and Decision to invest, followed by Investment formalization.