

SOCIAL INCLUSION OPPORTUNITIES

TANGIBLE HERITAGE

collection of ideas

INSTITUTO MARQUES DE VALLE FLOR

Created in 1951 as a private institution of public utility, IMVF is a foundation for development and cooperation, that started its activity as a NGDO in 1988, in Sao Tome and Principe. From the 90s onward, expanded its action to other countries, mainly Portuguese Speaking Countries and broaden the scope of intervention. In 2017 widened again the sphere of activities to new geographies in Africa and Latin America as well. The results achieved have turned IMVF into a key stakeholder in different areas of expertise and intervention such as Cooperation and Development.



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CULTURAL HERITAGE AREA

IMVF has been working towards the enhancement of cultural identities, promoting them as dialogue, transformation and innovation spaces. Our activity has focused upon cultural heritage recognition projects and on supporting participatory and solidarity processes, including local income generating activities, such as sustainable tourism. In the past years, we have developed projects in three countries: Brazil, Guinea-Bissau and Cape Verde, from which around 40 thousand people benefit on an annual basis.