



# Ana Sanches

## CEO of Anglo American Brazil

Born in Belo Horizonte (Minas Gerais), Ana Sanches is an economist with nearly 30 years of experience in finance, auditing, strategic planning, and new business development.

The executive joined Anglo American in 2012, during the deployment of the company's iron ore business in Brazil, the Minas-Rio System.

In December 2023, she became president of Anglo American in Brazil and has also been chairwoman of the Board of Directors of the Brazilian Mining Institute (Ibram) since February 2024 – both positions had never been previously held by women.

Ana Sanches has twice been named (2018 and 2024) one of the most influential women in global mining by the Women in Mining (WIM) movement.

She was named Personality of the Year in the Mining Industry in 2024 by the Brasil Mineral magazine.

In 2025, she received the Valued Executive award by the Valor Econômico journal in the Metallurgy and Mining category.