



## Counterpart actions: MPU / University of Madeira

Regina Brito and Elaine dos Santos, professors in the Linguistics and Literature MPU Graduate Program, attended the International Congress Pioneers Places: Global Cities Construction, organized by Literature and Lusophone Culture Center (CLEPUL) at the University of Madeira in Portugal (Funchal and Machico).

Professor Elaine dos Santos presented the work *A virtude e a representação do ideal da figura feminina em Lucrecia* (The virtue and the ideal representation of the Lucrecia's feminine figure), and professor Regina Brito, PPGL/MPU coordinator, member of CLEPUL and member of this congress scientific committee, moderated a round table and was invited to speak about the work *600 anos de expansão da língua e a construção da lusofonia – da Madeira ao Timor* (600 years of language expansion and lusophone construction – from Madeira to Timor). The two MPU professors also participated of an action to propagate reading and launched new books in a Funchal Elementary School. They also had meetings with Luísa Marinho Antunes Paolinelli (CLEPUL coordinator) and her team to develop future actions.

