## Desenrascar (Hugo, Portugal)

Desenrascar, the Portuguese superpower.
Os portugueses não resolvem problemas, desenrascam-se.
Desenrascar is the ability the Portuguese people have to think on their feet, quickly adapting to adversity and finding quick, alternative and creative ways of solving, or at least circumventing, a problem.

In all truthfulness, it's mainly the latter. It's recognized as a skill while, most of the time, the need for its existence is also caused by their own doing, with the proneness for leaving everything to the last minute or not taking the necessary time to thoughtfully plan ahead. In their essence, the Portuguese people are dreamers and romantics at heart, always hopeful that tomorrow's problems will never come to pass, so they rather invest their time living in the present and longing for their past.

Ah, saudade. Nevertheless, whichever way you decide to look at it, it's still an impressive skill to witness firsthand.