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Born in Pamplona (Navarra). He is currently Vice-Secretary of the Board of Directors and Secretary (non Member) of the Audit and Compliance Committee of GAMESA CORPORACIÓN TECNOLÓGICA, S.A.

He holds a Law degree from the University of Navarra, a Master in European Studies from the University of Louvaine in Belgium and did doctorate courses in Law at the Complutense University in Madrid and specialized in Corporate Law at the Bank of Spain's Training Center.

He finished his studies in International Law at the Hague International Academy of Law, in Comparative Law and International Organizations at Strasbourg and the Collège Universitaire d'Etudes Fédéralistes in Nice, Val d'Aosta.

He is a practicing lawyer and currently holds several positions, including member and President of the Audit Committee of Abantia Corporation, Secretary General of the Sociedad General de Autores y Editores (SGAE), Member of the Executive Committee of the Real Instituto Elcano de Estudios Internacionales y Estratégicos, Patron of the Spain-United States Foundation's Governing Board, Patron of the Spain-China Foundation's Governing Board and Patron of the Euroamerica Foundation; and member of the Board of Directors of Inmobiliaria Colonial, S.A., and member of its Executive Committee and its Appointments and Payments Committee, and Chairman of its Audit and Control Committee.

He has held several positions throughout his professional career. He was an advisor to the Minister and to the Secretariat of State for Relations with the European Community (negotiating Spain's accession to the European Community, May 1978-1983), General Manager of Asesoramiento Comunitario, S.A. belonging to Grupo Banco Hispano Americano (1984-1985), an Expert sitting on the E.U. Committee on SME policy, a researcher-consultant for the Andes Pact (Board of the Cartagena Agreement), Lima Peru (1976), an advisor to the Centro de Investigación y Técnicas Políticas CITEP (1977-1978), a member of the World Federalist Youth Secretariat (Amsterdam, The Netherlands), Secretary of the European League for Economic Cooperation, a member of Hispania Nostra's Governing Board, Secretary of the Fundación para el Progreso y la Democracia, Treasurer of the Madrid Bar Association, and a member and Secretary to the Board of Directors of Hispasat Mexico.

He also taught at the Political Sciences Department of the Complutense University and the Institute for European Studies of the University of Alcalá de Henares, among others.

He is the author of numerous works and has published many articles on economics and general information in the press.



He has also given many talks in Spanish at foreign universities and institutions, as well as delivered papers in Congresses.

He has been awarded the Encomienda de la Orden de Mérito Civil (a Spanish civil distinction).