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Member of the International Tribunal of the Law of the Sea since 1 October 2017

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Education:

Doctor of Law, Università degli Studi di Roma (1970);
Specialization Diploma in International Public Law, Università del Sacro Cuore, Milano (1972);
Master in Arts, International Relations, Saint John's University, New York (1981);
Training Program on Community Law and Cooperation, European Communities, Brussels (February/March, 1974);
International Trade Course, GATT, (Geneva, Summer/Fall 1975);
Summer Course in International Law, The Hague Academy of International Law (The Hague, Summer 1978).

Professional Experience - Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Paraguay (1972-2017):

Judge at the International Tribunal of the Law of the Sea (since 2017)
Vice-Minister of Foreign Affairs (2015-2017);
Director-General, Diplomatic and Consular Academy (2014-2015),
Professor, Universidad de la Integración de las Américas (2014).
Ambassador to Spain, Morocco and Andorra (2007-2013),
Ambassador to Austria, Slovakia, the Czech Republic, Hungary, Slovenia and Greece (2003-2007),
Permanent Representative to the UNIDO, AIEA, CTBTO and UNODC, Vienna (2003-2007),
Vice-Chairman (2004) and *Chairman* (2005) at the UN Commission on Crime
Chairman of the Preparatory Commission of the UN Conference on Crime, Bangkok (2005);
Director-General for Multilateral Political Affairs (2000-2003),
Ambassador to Italy and Greece (1995-1999),
Permanent Representative to the FAO, WFP and IFAD (1995-1999),
Head of delegation, First Session, Assembly of the International Seabed Authority, Kingston (1994);
Vice-Minister for Political Affairs (1993-1995),
Vice-Minister for General Affairs (1990-1993),
Director-General for General Affairs (1989-1990),
Deputy Permanent Representative to the United Nations, New York (1977-1985),
Third UN Conference on the Law of the Sea, New York (1977-1982),
Special Session for the signature of the UN Convention on the Law of the Sea, Montego Bay, Jamaica (1982);
Assistant Professor of International Civil Law, Universidad Nacional de Asunción (1973-1977);
Professor, Universidad Católica de Asunción (1973-1977);
Professor, Paraguayan Diplomatic and Consular Academy (1985-1995, 2000-2002, 2013-2017);

Publications:

- “I confini nel Diritto Internazionale”, Doctoral Thesis, Università degli Studi di Roma (1966);
- “L’utilizzazione dei fiumi internazionali oltre la navigazione”, Diploma’s Thesis, Università del Sacro Cuore, Milan (1972);
- “La accesión al Gatt”, Estudios Paraguayos, Catholic University of Asuncion, (1977);
- “La participación de los Estados sin litoral en la Tercera Conferencia de las Naciones Unidas sobre el Derecho del Mar”, Estudios Paraguayos, Universidad Católica de Asunción (1978);
- “Los países sin litoral y el Derecho del Mar”, Revista Diplomática, Asunción (2015);
- “El Tribunal Internacional del Derecho del Mar: su labor y perspectivas futuras”, Revista Diplomática, Asunción (2018),
- “Land Locked States in Contemporary Law of the Sea”, en “Derecho del Mar: reflexiones, tendencias y perspectivas”, IBDMAR, Bello Horizonte, Brazil (2020);
- “Sistema para la solución de las controversias previsto en la Convención de Montego Bay-Parte XV”, Brazilian Yearbook on the Law of the Sea (2022);
- “Principio 5: Pobreza”, in “Comentario Brasileiro a Declaracao do Rio de Janeiro sobre Medio Ambiente e Desenvolvimento”, Sao Pablo/Belo Horizonte (2022);
- “Itlos Advisory Opinions and International Law”, in Ascomare Yearbook on the Law of the Sea, Volume 2, Guglio Editore, Trieste (2023).

Lectures:

- “The International Law of Fishing”, Lecture at the International Maritime Law Institute (IMLO), Malta, July 2019;
- “Los desafíos jurídicos contemporáneos de los Estados sin litoral”, lecture at the Brazilian Congress on the Law of the Sea, Belo Horizonte, Brazil (2019);
- “Advisory proceedings”, lecture at the ITLOS Montevideo Regional Workshop (2019);
- “Land Locked Countries and the Law of the Sea”, lectures at the Nippon Foundation Capacity Building and Training Program (2019-2023);
- “Advisory Opinion on Fishing in the EEZ of other States (Case No.21)”, lectures in IMLI Course on Peaceful Settlement of Maritime Disputes (2020-2023);
- “Duty of cooperation under the UNCLOS Regime”, participation as a Discussant, 5th International Conference on the Law of the Sea, Seul (2020);
- “El Tribunal Internacional sobre el Derecho del Mar”, in the IX Congreso Brasileño sobre Derecho Marítimo, Portuario y Aduanero, Santa Catalina, Brazil, 2020;
- “La Convención de Las Naciones Unidas sobre el Derecho del Mar y el Tribunal Internacional del Derecho del Mar”, in II Congreso Internacional de las Américas, Santos, Brazil (2022);
- “El Tribunal Internacional sobre el Derecho del Mar: su labor e importancia”, lecture at the School of Law, National University of Asuncion (UNA), 2022.”