



Bio Note

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Main activities:

As Professor of Public International Law (Universitat Jaume I, Spain):

- Author of 4 books and more than 60 published scientific papers on several subjects of international law (disarmament and arms control verification, international responsibility of States, international organisations, human rights, international administration of territories, climate change and protection of cultural heritage)
- Supervision of PhD, Master thesis and different R+D Projects (public funds)
- More that 25 years teaching Public international Law, EU law and the Law of International Organisations
- Guest scholar/fellow/professor at the NY University, Université Paris II, Università Rome (Tor Vergata) and Naples (Partenope), University of Cambridge (LCIL) and University College London Qatar.
- Editor-in-Chief of the *Spanish Yearbook of International Law*

As Expert and Consultant:

- Off-counsel of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Spain
- Spain's delegate to the Meeting of the States Parties to the 2001 UNESCO Convention of the protection of the underwater cultural heritage
- Off-counsel of the Ministry of Culture of Spain
- Counsel and advocate of Spain before the International Tribunal for the Law of the Sea
- Legal expert for UNESCO in missions to Uruguay, Panamá and El Salvador
- Legal consultant for UNESCO in formative missions in Bahrain, Jamaica and Paris
- Consultant Scholar of the Cultural Heritage Center of the University of Pennsylvania

Consultancy and drafting of new legislation (hard and soft):

- Spain (Law on General Navigation and National Plan for the protection of underwater cultural heritage)
- UNESCO (Operative Guidelines of the 2001 UNESCO Convention)
- Ecuador (new legislation implementing 2001 UNESCO Convention and Declaration of the new contiguous zone)
- Qatar (new legislation on the cultural heritage of Qatar, in charge of drafting the protection of the archaeological and paleontological heritage)

Member:

- European Society of International Law (founding member)
- Spanish Society of Professors of International Law
- Patron of the National Museum of Underwater Archaeology, Spain
- Life Member Clare Hall College, University of Cambridge
- International Committee for the Underwater Cultural Heritage (ICOMOS)