



Ambassador Mario Oyarzabal

Ambassador of the Argentine Republic to the Kingdom of the Netherlands and Permanent Representative to the International Organizations in The Hague since 2020

Currently also a Member of the Permanent Court of Arbitration, the International Humanitarian Fact-Finding Commission established by Additional Protocol I to the 1949 Geneva Conventions, the Panel of Arbitrators and Conciliators of the International Center for Settlement of Investment Disputes (ICSID), Arbitrator and Conciliator nominated under Art. 2 of Annexes V and VII of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea, Argentine Commissioner to the International Whaling Commission

Joined the Foreign Service in 1997. Deputy Consul in New York (1998-2005). Minister Plenipotentiary at the Permanent Mission of Argentina to the United Nations: Vice-President of the UN General Assembly Special Committee on Peacekeeping Operations (2011-12), Deputy Permanent Representative of Argentina before the UN Security Council (2013-2014), Vice-President of the UN High-Level Committee on South-South Cooperation (2015). The Legal Adviser of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Worship (2016-2020).

Former Agent and Legal Counsel of Argentina before the International Court of Justice and the International Tribunal for the Law of the Sea. Delegate to the International Maritime Organization, the International Seabed Authority, UNCITRAL, UNIDROIT and the Hague Conference on Private International Law

Law degree from the National University of La Plata (1991), LLM from Harvard Law School (2006). Adjunct Professor at the University of La Plata (since 1995). Lectured a Special Course at the Hague Academy of International Law (January 2020)

Author/editor of 4 books and more than 40 scholarly articles on International Law published in Argentina, other Latin-American countries, Europe and the United States

Languages: Spanish and English (fluent), Portuguese, French, Italian, German (read)

Married to Dan Hallman (photographer, born in the United States)