



RODRIGO A. CARAZO

AMBASSADOR

Permanent Representative of Costa Rica
to the United Nations in New York (2018-2022)

Professional development in the public sector includes: first Ombudsman of Costa Rica (1993-1997); Member of the Legislative Assembly (2002-2006).

Professional development in the private sector includes: being a liberal professional since 1971 in the fields of Economy, Law and International Relations. He has also served as a consultant for International Organizations (Governmental, Intergovernmental, Non-Governmental) as well as for private entities. He has 48 years of experience as a businessman in commercial, industrial, tourist, agricultural and service sectors.

Academic background includes: serving as a university professor in Costa Rica and in the United States and the University of Peace; Member of the Board of the public Distance University in Costa Rica; he holds a Law Degree from the University of Costa Rica and a similar degree in Economic and Social Sciences from the University of Costa Rica, a PhD in Political Science and International Relations from the University of Geneva- Switzerland and has completed further studies in History and International Law.

He speaks Spanish, English and French.

Ambassador Carazo is 72 years old, married, father of 4 daughters and grandfather of 11 grandchildren.