

Delia Ferreira Rubio was born on July 13, 1956, in Córdoba, Argentina.

In 1974, Delia entered Córdoba's National University Law School, where she graduated as Lawyer with the highest awards in 1979. She started her academic career at the Institute of Political Science and then at the Comparative Law Center. In 1982, she published her first book (Right to Privacy) which was awarded the Córdoba's Bar Association's Prize.

Delia Ferreira holds a Ph.D. in Law degree from Madrid's Complutense University. Her dissertation on *Bona Fides* as General Principle of Law, which was awarded *Summa Cum Laude*, was published in 1984 in Madrid.

When Delia returned to Argentina, she was designated Assistant Professor at Buenos Aires University Law School. At the end of that year elections were held in Argentina which put an end to dictatorship. Delia was appointed Director of Legislative Projects in Córdoba. In 1988 she was appointed Advisor to the Under Secretary of Institutional Affairs for the Federal Government, in charge of the organization of the presidential election of 1989.

Between 1990 and 2005, Delia served as Chief Advisor for several Representatives and Senators at the National Congress, advising the Constitutional Committee of both the House of Representatives and the Senate. Between 2005 and 2007 she served as Advisor at the National Accounting Office.

After completing those responsibilities, she decided to engage completely in her career as independent consultant. As such she has consulted on anti-corruption and transparency related issues for the OAS, UNDP, IDEA International, Inter-American Development Bank (IADB), NEEDS, Transparency International, CAPEL, IFES, UN-Women, OAS-CIM, DEMOCRACY International, Global Integrity, COUNTERPART, and various other international organizations and NGOs in countries around the world. Dr. Ferreira has worked on projects to promote greater transparency and accountability for political campaign/party financing in Nicaragua, Brazil, Colombia, Peru, Ecuador, El Salvador, Paraguay, Honduras and Jamaica.

In 2017 Delia Ferreira Rubio was elected the Chair of Transparency International and in November 2020, she was re-elected for a second mandate

She is Member of the Vanguard Committee of the WEF Partnership Against Corruption Initiative (PACI), Member of the Board of the UN Global Compact.

She served as Member of the Steering Committee of OGP - Open Government Partnership (2018-2021) and was Co-chair of the Global Future Council on Anti-corruption of the World Economic Forum (2019-2022).

She was President of Poder Ciudadano in Argentina (2008-2010).

Dr. Ferreira Rubio has authored numerous publications on Transparency and Anti-corruption, Political Corruption, Public and Parliamentary Ethics and Comparative Politics, among other subjects.