

Amado Espinosa, Mexico (February 2023)  
Statement of Interest  
IGFSA Executive Committee

To Whom It May Concern:

I'm a physician myself with academic, institutional and entrepreneurial antecedents worldwide, speaking fluently 5 languages. I have developed a clinic, administrative and technical carrier. After being trained as an anesthesiologist, I got an MBA and MCS in Mexico and then a PhD in Germany together with the specialty on Medical Informatics (MI).

When I returned to Mexico I founded an Institute for Medical Informatics, the Mexican and Latin American MI Associations becoming a Board member of the International Medical Informatics Association. Currently I'm a fellow of the International Academy of Health Science Informatics.

In 2000 I launched Medisist, an ongoing company dedicated to research, develop and deploy innovative ICT solutions for the healthcare system in Latin America. I have joined multiple international tech companies as a Senior Consultant on the field of MI.

I have international and intercultural working experience, collaborating with academic, industrial and political organizations worldwide and serving as the international representative of the Mexican Chamber for ICT (since 2006) at ALETI, ASSESPRO, TechAmerica and WITSA.

In 2010 I was an observer at the ITU plenipotentiary Conference (PP-10), **in Guadalajara, Mex.** As WITSA's treasurer I chaired the IT Global Public Policy Summit (GPPS 2011), and the World Congress on ICT 2014 (WCIT2014), a 3,000 participants event with more than 60 countries involved. Both in Guadalajara, Mex.

In 2016 I joined the local Organizing Committee for a successful IGF2016 in Guadalajara, Mex.

I am the current Chair of the Program Committee for the next Mexican IGF ("Foro de Internet de Mexico"), to be held in Merida, Mex. We'll have ICANN and LACNIC as co-sponsors, and CASATIC, IGF Bolivia and LACIGF as co-organizers.

I was a member of the MAG – Multistakeholder Advisory Group IGF, from 2019 to 2022, representing the Latin American private sector, where I chaired the WG for Outreach and Communications. I've attended several editions of the IGF – Internet Governance Forum since 2008.

I am keen to help IGFSA fulfill its mission in supporting the global IGF and the NRIs.

I declare that, in any of the positions I currently hold, I have no conflict of interest with regard to the mission and concrete activities of IGFSA.

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