

BIOGRAPHICAL NOTE

Mr. Fidel Ferreras Alonso ISSA Vice-President



Mr. Fidel Ferreras Alonso, who has a degree in law and is a social sciences graduate, is a member of the technical staff of the Spanish Social Security Administration. He has published over 80 articles in Spanish and foreign journals on topical issues relating to Spanish and international social security and has co-authored various books on social security.

He has been a speaker in many national and international conferences. He is a member of the European Institute of Social Security in Louvain, Belgium, an advisor to the European Commission and the European Parliament, and a trainer at the International Training Centre of the International Labour Organization (ILO).

In his professional activity in the Spanish administration, he has held various posts, including Director General of the National Mutual Fund for Local Administration (*Mutualidad Nacional de la Administración Local*) from 1990 to 1993, Director General of the National Social Security Institute (*Instituto Nacional de la Seguridad Social*) from 1993 to 1996 and Secretary General of the Educational and Cultural Advisory Board (*Consejería de Educación y Cultura*) to the Executive Council of the Communities of Castilla la Mancha/Toledo from 1996 to 1997. Since 2004, he has once again been Director General of the National Social Security Institute.

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