



Carlos E. Represas has worked for Nestlé during 42 years (1968-2010) in seven different countries (USA, Brazil, Spain, Ecuador, Venezuela, Mexico, and Switzerland).

From 1994 to 2004 he was Executive Vice-President – Head of the Americas for Nestlé, S.A. based in Switzerland. He was also Chairman of the Board of Nestlé Holdings, Inc., in the USA and he Co-Chaired different joint ventures of Nestlé (Beverage Partners Worldwide, S.A. with Coca-Cola; and Dairy Partners Americas with Fonterra Co-operative Group of New Zealand), and was a member of the Board of the JV of Nestlé with General Mills, Cereal Partners Worldwide, S.A.

In 2004 he retired from his executive responsibilities at Nestlé and remained as Chairman of the Board of Nestlé Group Mexico, a position he held during 27 years (1983-2010).

Carlos is an Economist from the National University of Mexico (1963-1967), and has attended different post-graduate programs in the National Polytechnic Institute of Mexico, at IMD in Switzerland, and at Harvard University in USA.

Represas served in the Board of Directors of Bombardier, Inc., in Montreal, Canada (2004-2019), the Board of Directors of Merck & Co., Inc. in USA (2009-2017), the Board of Directors of Swiss Re Group in Zurich (2010-2017), and the Board of Directors of Swiss Re America Holding in USA (2010-2019). He has been appointed Chairman Latin America Bombardier Inc. (2011-2020), Chairman of the Advisory Board of Bombardier Mexico (2007-2020), Trustee of the National Health Institute of Genomic Medicine in Mexico (President from 2004-2012), President of the Mexico Chapter of the Latin American Chamber of Commerce in Zurich, Switzerland (since 2004), Board Member of the Mexican Health Foundation (since 1985) (Vice-President from 2011 to 2014), Member of the Latin America Business Council (CEAL) (since 2004). He joined the Board of Dean's Advisors of the Harvard School of Public Health from 2011 to 2013.

Carlos E. Represas was Board Director of Vitro in Monterrey, Mexico (1998-2008), and Chairman of the Center of Economic Studies for the Private Sector (CEESP), in Mexico (1990-1994).

He has been decorated by the Governments of Venezuela (1982 and 1986), Brazil (2000), Ecuador (2002), Chile (2003), and the province of Quebec-Canada (2017)

He received a Doctor Honoris Causa Degree from the Universidade Federal de Vicosa in Minas Gerais, Brazil in 1998, and also from the Mexican Academy of International Law in 2001. He received the Gordon Grand Fellow Award from Yale University in 1995.

Carlos has been a speaker at the University of Yale, USA; University of York, Canada; Wharton School, University of Pennsylvania, USA; Saïd Business School, University of Oxford, England; INSEAD, Fontainebleu, Paris; Universidad Anahuac, Mexico City; University of Tennessee, Knoxville, USA; IPADE, Mexico City.