



Ana Paula Baptista Grade Zacarias was appointed by the HRVP on 8th March 2011 as Head of Delegation of the EU Delegation in Brazil and is expected to take up duties on 1st May 2011.

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Personal information

First name(s) / Surname(s) **Ana Paula Baptista Grade Zacarias**

Nationality **Portuguese**

Date of birth **05.01.1959**

Gender **Female**

Work experience

Dates	January 2009 – present
Occupation or position held	Deputy Permanent Representative of Portugal to the European Union (Brussels, Belgium)
Dates	November 2005 – December 2008
Occupation or position held	First Resident Ambassador of Portugal to Estonia (Tallinn, Estonia)
Dates	November 2000 – October 2005
Occupation or position held	Deputy Permanent Representative of Portugal to UNESCO (Paris, France)
Dates	January 2003 – January 2005
Occupation or position held	Permanent Representative of Portugal to the Unión Latina (Paris, France)
Dates	November 1998 – October 2000
Occupation or position held	Vice-President of the Camões Institute – Institute for External Cultural Relations (Lisbon, Portugal)
Dates	June 1996 – October 1998
Occupation or position held	Director of Press and Information Department at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs (Lisbon, Portugal) Representative of MFA to the Pavilion of Portugal at the Lisbon World Exposition (EXPO 98)
Dates	February 1993 – May 1996
Occupation or position held	Consul of Portugal in Paraná and Santa Catarina (Curitiba, Brazil)
Dates	July 1988 – February 1993
Occupation or position held	First Secretary of Embassy at the Embassy of Portugal to the USA (Washington D.C, USA)

Dates April 1986 – June 1988
Occupation or position held **Junior Counsellor for International Relations at the Office of the President of the Republic (Lisbon, Portugal)**

Dates October 1984 – March 1986
Occupation or position held **Secretary of Embassy at the Protocol Department of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs (Lisbon, Portugal)**

Dates April 1984 – June 1985
Occupation or position held **Lecturer at the Faculty of Social Sciences, Universidade Nova de Lisboa (Lisbon, Portugal)**

Education and Training

Dates 1979 -1983
Title of qualification awarded Degree in Cultural Anthropology (Four year curriculum and degree theses)
Name and type of organisation providing education and training Universidade Nova de Lisboa
Faculdade de Ciências Sociais e Humanas
Avenida de Berna, 26-C | P 1069-061 Lisboa Portugal

Dates 1977 – 1980
Title of qualification awarded Attendance at initial years of Law Degree Course (three years)
Name and type of organisation providing education and training Universidade Católica Portuguesa
Faculdade de Direito
Caminho da Palma de Cima
1600 Lisboa, Portugal

Personal skills and competences

Mother tongue(s) Portuguese

Other language(s) English, French, Spanish

Self-assessment
European level ()*

English

French

Spanish

Understanding				Speaking				Writing	
Listening		Reading		Spoken interaction		Spoken production			
C1	Proficient user	C1	Proficient user	C1	Proficient user	C1	Proficient user	B2	Independent user
C1	Proficient user	C1	Proficient user	B2	Independent user	B2	Independent user	B1	Independent user
C1	Proficient user	C1	Proficient user	C1	Proficient user	C1	Proficient user	B1	Independent user

(*) Common European Framework of Reference for Languages