



Próximamente, el venezolano José Ángel Rodríguez irá por la reelección en el Comité de los Derechos del Niño de la Organización de las Naciones Unidas, período 2019-2022, cuyas elecciones se efectuarán el 29 de junio de 2018, en el marco de la 17ª Reunión de los Estados Partes en la Convención sobre los Derechos del Niño, en Nueva York.

El Comité de los Derechos del Niño es un organismo de las Naciones Unidas que tiene la función de examinar los progresos realizados en el cumplimiento de las obligaciones contraídas por los Estados Partes que han ratificado la Convención sobre los Derechos del Niño.

El Comité, cuya creación se estipula en el artículo 43 de la Convención, también supervisa la aplicación de los dos protocolos facultativos de la Convención, publica su interpretación del contenido de las disposiciones sobre derechos humanos, en forma de observaciones generales sobre cuestiones temáticas y organiza días de debate general.

Durante su primer periodo, José Ángel Rodríguez realizó una importante labor como fiscalizador y observador de proyectos gubernamentales dirigidos a coadyuvar los Derechos del Niño en diversas partes del mundo.



José Ángel Rodríguez Reyes, Attorney graduate from the Central University of Venezuela, Member since 2015 of the Committee on the Rights of the Child of the United Nations. Its main areas of expertise are framed in the themes of childhood, mediation, conflict resolution and human rights. He has provided advice to people who exercise functions in the protection system for children and adolescents in Venezuela, on compliance with the Convention on the Rights of the Child.

Recognized for his work in favor of human rights with the *Police Cross* distinction from the Libertador Municipality of Caracas in his First Class and the *Guarairarepano Order* from the Libertador Municipality Council in his Third Class, as well as the *Order of Merit in the Work* from the Ministry of Labor.

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Candidate for the United Nations Committee on the Rights of the Child 2019-2022

PERSONAL INFORMATION
Place and date of birth:
Caracas, Venezuela;
February 7th, 1967

LANGUAGES: Spanish and English.

ACADEMIC TRAINING

- Lawyer (1996), Central University of Venezuela
- Master's Degree in Constitutional Law, University of Valencia, Spain
- Master in Procedural Law, Universidad Católica Andrés Bello, Venezuela

CAREER

- Vice-president of the Committee on the Rights of the Child of the United Nations (at present)
- General Director of Citizen Services of the Ombudsman's Office (National Human Rights Institution of Venezuela).
- Executive Secretary of the Republican Moral Council.
- Head Judge of the Second Court of First Instance of the Trial of Protection of Children and Adolescents of the Judicial District of Caracas Metropolitan Area.
- Consultant for the United Nations Development Program (UNDP) on the preparation of the 3rd, 4th and 5th Reports of the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela to the Convention on the Rights of the Child and the 4th Report to the Human Rights Committee on the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights.



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