

## **AMBASSADOR ALEXANDRE ADDOR NETO**

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- Date and Place of Birth: October 30<sup>th</sup> 1943, in Cuiabá, State of Mato Grosso, Brazil

### Education background

- Ambassador Addor Neto studied Law and Social Sciences at the University of Brazil in Rio de Janeiro from 1962 to 1966. He also studied Political Science at the University of Oxford in 1971-72 and obtained a degree (Diplôme d'Etudes Approfondies – DEA) in Economic Policy and Planning from the Institute for the Study of Economic and Social Development at the University of Paris-I, Pantheon-Sorbonne (1977-78).

### Career in the Foreign Service

Having been approved in 4<sup>th</sup> place in the entrance exams for the Brazilian Diplomatic Academy in 1965, the military regime did not allow Addor to join it. He had to appeal to the courts in 1966, and was reinstated in 1989

Second Class Minister – July 19<sup>th</sup> 1989, by order of judicial decision

- Promoted to Minister of First Class in June 22<sup>nd</sup> 1998

### Functions in the Ministry of External Relations in Brasilia

- Advisor - Asia and Oceania Department - September 1989
- Director - Immigration Division – January 1<sup>st</sup> 1990
- Executive Coordinator - Economic Department– January 1<sup>st</sup>, 1991
- Chief of Cabinet - Under Secretariat of Economic Affairs – January 8<sup>th</sup> 1992
- Chief of Cabinet - Under Secretariat of Political and Economic Planning – (1992-93)
- Ministry of External Relations – (2005-2006)

### Functions in Diplomatic and Consular Posts Abroad

- Minister-Counselor (Deputy Chief of Mission) – Embassy of Brazil in Moscow – (1993 to 1995)
- Ambassador – Embassy of Brazil in Luanda, Angola (1995 to 1999)
- Consul-General – Consulate-General of Brazil in Chicago (1999 to 2005).
- Secretary for Multidimensional Security at the Organization of American States (OAS) in Washington (2007-2010)

- Ambassador to the governments of Serbia and of Montenegro, Belgrade, from January 2011

#### Other activities

- As a journalist Mr. Alexandre Addor Neto worked for the Brazilian Program of the BBC Overseas Services in London, 1967-70, and wrote for the weeklies “Opinio” and “Movimento” in Rio de Janeiro, 1972-76.
- Addor Neto was also a university professor at the Faculty of Economics and Administration of the Universidade Federal Fluminense, Niteroi, Rio de Janeiro State, from 1973 to 1976.
- He also worked as a project analyst for the Financiadora de Estudos e Projetos (Brazilian Foundation for Scientific and Technological Development - FINEP), 1979-85; for the Sao Paulo State Federation of Industries - FIESP, 1985-86, and for the Brazilian Institute of Geography and Statistics -IBGE, where he was Head of the Planning Department and Advisor to the President, 1986-89.