

MONICA PINTO

Curriculum Vitae

Mónica Pinto is a national of Argentina (1952). She obtained a first law degree (Abogada) in 1975 and a Ph.D Law (Doctora en Derecho) in 1983 at the University of Buenos Aires (UBA).

Mónica Pinto is professor of International Law and of International Human Rights Law at UBA Law School where she serves as Dean (2010-14, 2014-18).

She sits as a Judge (2009-19) and Vicepresident (since 2011) of the World Bank Administrative Tribunal, and at the IDB Administrative Tribunal (2014-20). She is the Vice-President of the Advisory Committee on Nominations of the International Criminal Court (2012-15, 2015-18). She is a member of the ICSID Panel of Conciliators and Arbitrators (2016-22). She is in the Consolidated List of Arbitrators for the Settlement of Disputes According to the Protocol of Olivos, Mercosur (2017). She was in the list of arbitrators of the International Arbitral Tribunal of Salto Grande (2011-15). She has appeared before several human rights bodies and tribunals, arbitral tribunals and the International Court of Justice, both as an attorney, as an expert, also as an arbitrator.

M. Pinto serves as an associate member of the *Institut de droit international* as well as of the Steering Committee of the Project on International Courts and Tribunals/PICT. She is a member of the American, French and European Societies of International Law as well as of the Argentine Council for International Relations/CARI. She is a member of the International Advisory Panel of the American Law Institute for the *Fourth Restatement on Foreign Relations* and of the Scientific Advisory Board of the *Max Planck Encyclopedia of International Procedural Law* project.

M. Pinto has taught a course at the Public International Law 2007 Summer Programme of the Hague Academy of International Law; in 2000 she was the Director of Studies for the French-speaking Seminar in the Public International Law Session. As a Visiting Professor of Law she served at Columbia Law School (2001, 2003), Université Panthéon-Assas Paris II (1997, 2005, 2009), Université de Rouen (2007), Université Panthéon-Sorbonne Paris 1 (2008). She participated as professor at the Buenos Aires Summer Programme of Southwestern University School of Law (2006-11). She has taught at the UN International Law Fellowship Programme (2001-02, 2004, 2007-08, 2012), at the UN Regional Program in International Law for Latin America and the Caribbean (2016-17), at the International Institute of Human Rights René Cassin at Strasbourg (2004-08, 2012, 2015), at the Interamerican Institute on Human Rights at San José (2004-13). Visiting professor at the Universidad de Alcalá de Henares (2002) and at the Universidad San Carlos de Guatemala (2009). She has been Visiting Research Scholar at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, USA (1988).

She is the Director of the Master and of the post-graduate courses on International Human Rights Law at UBA Law School (since 2009). She is also the coordinator of the Human Rights Programme of the University (since 2007). She was Vice-dean (2002-06), Assistant Dean for academic affairs (1994-02) and member of the Law School Council as representative of the Faculty at UBA Law School (1994-2006). She also chaired UBA's publishing house –EUDEBA (2007-10).

Mónica Pinto has been recently appointed as a member of the Committee of Experts on the Application of Conventions and Recommendations of ILO (2017-20). Pinto was the Special Rapporteur on the Independence of Judges and Lawyers for the UN Human Rights Council (2015-

16). She has been appointed by the UN Secretary General as member of the Board of Trustees of the Voluntary Fund for Technical Co-operation in the Matter of Human Rights (2006-11). Previously, she held a mandate as independent expert for the examination of the situation of human rights in Guatemala (1993-97) and in Chad (2004-05), reporting to the UN Commission on Human Rights.

In the public service, she was appointed Director of the Department of Human Rights, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Argentina, by public competition –concours- (1994-2000); Director of Cooperation and International affairs at the Ministry of Justice and Human Rights (2000-01); legal officer at the Human Rights area, Ministry of Foreign Affairs (2002-07).

In the area of human rights she serves as a Member of the Inter-American Institute on Human Rights (San José), the Association for the Prevention of Torture (Geneva), the International Institute of Human Rights (Strasbourg) and the International Commission of Jurists (Geneva).

She was awarded the *Ordre national du mérite*, as a *Chevalier*, by the French republic in 2008; the *Goler T. Butcher Medal* by the American Society of International Law in 2009, for her contribution to international human rights law; the *Human Rights Prize* by B'nai Brith in Argentina in 2009; “Distinguished citizen in the field of human rights” by the city of Buenos Aires in 2011; “Margarita de Ponce Award” by the Union of Argentine Women in 2012; Security Prize for her career as a legal scholar in 2013, a recognition as a Distinguished Citizen of the City of Buenos Aires in 2015 and Platinum Konex Prize in International Law 2016.

Mónica Pinto is the author of five books – *Las fuentes del derecho internacional en la era de la globalización* (ed., Bs.As. 2009), *L'Amérique latine et le traitement des violations systématiques des droits de l'homme* (Paris, 2007), *El Derecho Internacional, Vigencia y desafíos en un escenario globalizado* (Bs.As., 2004), *Temas de Derechos Humanos* (Bs.As., 1997) and *La denuncia ante la Comisión Interamericana de Derechos Humanos* (Bs.As., 1993).

She has also published more than a hundred articles and book chapters in Latin America and Europe, including: * "De cómo la corrupción viola los derechos humanos de las personas. El caso de Chevron y los demandantes de Lago Agrio" (*La Ley* 22/12/2016, *AR/DOC/37/17/2016*); * “Global Governance and International Business. An Approach from International Human Rights Law” (*Festschrift in honor of Dr. El Kosheri, BCDR International Arbitration Review*, 2015, 451-466); * “Le traitement des violations systématiques des droits de l'homme du passé récent: le long parcours de l'Argentine” (*Unité et Diversité. Ecrits en l'honneur du professeur Pierre-Marie Dupuy/ Unity and Diversity. Essays in Honour of Professor Pierre-Marie Dupuy*, 2014, 839-858); * “El *jus cogens* en la jurisprudencia internacional” (*Revista jurídica de Buenos Aires* 2012, 2013, 3-21); *“La cooperación judicial y el orden público internacional”, *La Ley*, agosto 2013.

She is married with two daughters.