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Javier Guzmán Calafell holds a B.A. in economics from the National Autonomous University of Mexico (UNAM), where he graduated with honors in 1976. He also has graduate studies in economics, from the University of Leuven and from Yale University. He joined the Banco de México in 1980, where he held different top level positions such as Director of External Relations and Director of International Affairs. Mr. Guzmán served as Alternate Executive Director and Executive Director at the International Monetary Fund, representing eight countries. He also worked as an advisor for Ernesto Zedillo, former President of Mexico, in the High Level Group on Financing for Development, established by the UN Secretary-General in support of the International Conference on Financing for Development in Monterrey. In 2008, the Center for Latin American Studies' (CEMLA) Assembly elected him General Director of that institution. He held that position from January 2010 to February 2013. He was a G20 Deputy from 1999 to 2009, and has assumed this position again since 2018. Mr. Guzmán is the author of many articles in the field of economics, and has been editor/coordinator of several books. Mr. Guzmán will serve as Deputy Governor at Banco de México from February 14, 2013 to December 31, 2020.