

FRANCISCO GRANELL

Date and Place of Birth Barcelona (Spain), 7 May 1944

Married Ernestina Rodriguez de Castro, 9 June 1969
2 sons, 1 daughter

Position

Full Professor of International Economic Organization, University of Barcelona, Faculty of Economics

Member of the Royal Academy of Economic and Financial Sciences of Spain

Honouree Director General of the European Commission

Member of the Council of the Jean Monnet Foundation for Europe

Member of the Senate of the International Junior Chamber

Education

-M.A. Economics and Political Science, Barcelona University, 1966

-M.A. Law, Barcelona University, 1967

-Ph.D. Economics and Political Science, Barcelona University, 1973

-Trainee "Support to Enterprises", Milano Chamber of Commerce, 1966

-Certificate European Studies, Institut Universitaire d'Études Européennes de Genève, 1969

-Trainee European Commission, Directorate General Foreign Trade, Brussels, 1970

- Summer Course International Marketing Institute (Cambridge), 1976

-Certificate International Organization, Harvard-Tufts Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy, 1976

Career

-Economist Barcelona Chamber of Commerce, 1966

-Economist International Trade Centre UNCTAD/GATT, Geneva, 1968-70

-Assistant Professor, International Economic Organization, Barcelona University 1971

-Consultant on Services for Enterprise development, UNIDO, Vienna, 1972

-Director Institute of American Economy –Casa de América, 1973-76

-Director of the Barcelona Chamber of Commerce's Centre for International Economic Studies, and Adviser of the Spanish Council of Chambers of Commerce and Industry and of the Association of the Chambers of Commerce of the Mediterranean based in the Barcelona Chamber of Commerce (ASCAME) 1977-1980

-Director General for International Trade and Investment Promotion of the Regional Government Generalitat of Catalonia, Barcelona, 1980-85. During this period representative of the Catalan Government in (among other bodies): Interdepartmental Consortium for Research and Technology and Patronat Català pro Europa. Member of the General Council and the Executive Board of the International Fair of Barcelona and its 22 sectoral fairs .

-Professor International Economic Organization, Barcelona University, and Senior Adviser of the Barcelona Commodity Exchange, 1986-88

-EUROPEAN COMMISSION, 1989 to 2002:

-1989-1993: Director, Directorate B of Directorate-General Development. Management of the six Units with the responsibility on the Instruments of Development financed by the European Development Fund and the EC General Budget (Food Aid, Humanitarian Aid, Decentralized Cooperation and Cofinancing with NGOs, Stabex, Mining cooperation and SYSMIN, Private Sector Industrial Development and Promotion of Investments). During this four year period President of more than thirty sessions of the Food Aid Committee. Coordinator with the Centre for Development of the Industry and the European Investment Bank activities for promotion of enterprises in ACP countries.

-1993-1994: Chief Negotiator for Finland in the EC Task Force for the Enlargement Negotiations with Austria, Finland, Norway and Sweden. During this period EC side President of the Joint Committee EU-Finland.

-1995-1998: Geographical Director, Directorate F of Directorate-General Development managing five Units dealing with the external relations and development cooperation with 27 independent developing States in the Caribbean, the Pacific and the Indian Ocean and the regional organizations in the respective zones. During this period President of the European Development Fund Committee for the relevant financial assistance.

-1998-2002: Principal Adviser of the Directorate-General for Development. Coordinator for the EC Relations with the 20 British, Danish, Dutch and French Overseas Countries and Territories (OCT), EC representative in the International initiatives on Small Island Developing States. Coordinator for the organization of the 3rd United Nations Conference on the Least Developed Countries hosted by the EU in Brussels. Coordinator of the Regional Integration among Developing Countries Task Team. Coordinator for the Development aspects of the EU Enlargement negotiations with the PECOS and other applicant countries. During this period President of the EC Consultative Committee on the surveillance of agricultural imports from the OCTs.

-2002-... Honorary Director General of the European Commission.

SINCE 2003 to now, Full Professor of International Economic Organisation at the University of Barcelona and Senior Adviser of the Barcelona Chamber of Commerce, Industry and Shipping of Barcelona. Consultant to the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development. Member of the Boards of Editors of Información Comercial Española, Revista CIDOB d'Afers Internacionals, Revista Española de Desarrollo y Cooperación and Revista General de Derecho Europeo. Visiting prof. Universities Bocconi (Milano), Univ. Of Economy (Praha), Unioversité Libre (Brussels), Sevilla, Bilbao and Complutense (Madrid)

Honours and Decorations

- Finnish Lyon Cross awarded by the Government of Finland
- Austrian Kreuz awarded by the Government of Austria
- Encomienda del Mérito Civil awarded by the Government of Spain
- Creu de Sant Jordi awarded by the Autonomous Government of Catalonia
- Senator of the Junior Chamber International in recognition of the work done as president of the Barcelona Junior Chamber
- Gold medal of the Barcelona International Fair
- Journalism Awards for articles published in the newspapers "EL PAIS"(Madrid) and "LA VANGUARDIA" (Barcelona)

Books, Magazines and Collective books:

- Author of several **books** on Economics, Development, European Integration, Trade Promotion, International Trade and International relations issues and various handbooks for training of enterprises in international business: *Espanya i el Mercat Comú: A ventatges i inconvenients* (Gerona, Camara de Comercio, 1970); *Export Promotion by Private Sector Organizations* (Geneva, International Trade Centre, 1971), *La Exportación y los Mercados Internacionales* (Barcelona, Editorial Hispano-Europea, six editions –included one for Mexico–, since 1971), *Las empresas multinacionales y el desarrollo* (Barcelona, Ed. Ariel, 1974), *La opción europea para la Economía española* (with profs. Muns and Ortega, Madrid, Guadiana, 1974), *Guía Práctica de Mercados Exteriores* (Barcelona, Cámara Oficial de Comercio, Industria y Navegación, 1977), *Brasil y la cooperación económica latinoamericana* (Barcelona, IDEA, 1979); *La opción CEE para la economía de Canarias* (Las Palmas, camara de Comercio de las Palmas, 1979), *La Ayuda española a los países en desarrollo* (Universidad de Barcelona, 1980), *Las Comunidades autónomas frente a su Comercio Exterior y a la integración en las Comunidades Europeas* (editor, Universidad de Sevilla, 1981), *Política Comercial y Comercio Exterior de España* (Barcelona, Orbis, 1986); *Cataluña, sus relaciones económicas transnacionales y la CEE* (Barcelona, Vicens Vives, 1986); *España y las Organizaciones Económicas Internacionales* (Enciclopedia de la Economía Española y CEE, Ed. Orbis) *La Catalogne* (Paris, Presses Universitaires de France, 1988); *Guía Comunidad Europea* (Barcelona, TISA, 1989); *El Debate Librecomercio-Protección a finales del siglo XX*, Barcelona, RACEF, 1995); *Catalunya dins la Unió Europea* (con V. Pou and M.A. Sanchez, edits, Barcelona, Edicions 62, 2002), *La Coopération au développement de la Communauté Européenne*, Buxelles, Université Libre, Collection Le Droit de la CE et de l'Union Européenne, 2005), *Veinte años de España en la integración Europea*, coord, Barcelona, Real Academia de Ciencias Económicas, 2006), *Las relaciones económicas internacionales de la “España Europea”* (Working Paper University of Barcelona, Faculty of Economics, 2007), *El Euro, moneda europea*, Madrid, Cuadernos Pedagógicos de Política Exterior, 2010), *España y las Organizaciones Internacionales* (Working Paper University of Barcelona, Faculty of Economics, 2011), *The impact of EU Membership on the Economic Governance of Spain* (Working Paper, University of Barcelona, Faculty of Economics, 2012).

- Contributor of many **Chapters to edited collective books**. Among others : *La función de las empresas multinacionales en el desarrollo y la internacionalización de la economía* (in R. Piqué Batlle : *Perspectivas de la economía mundial*, RACEF, 1976); *El impacto de la integración en las Comunidades Europeas sobre las balanzas de pagos interregionales y sobre las rentas de las regions españolas* (in *Congres de Cultura Catalana: Economía*, 1981); *Les empreses multinacionals i l'economia catalana* (in J. Sarda, ed: *L'economia de Catalunya, Avui i demà*, Barcelona, Banco de Bilbao, 1983); *Las competencias de las Comunidades Autónomas en materia de comercio* (in V. Abellán, coord.: *La integración de España en las Comunidades Europeas y las Competencias de las Comunidades Autónomas*, (in, Asociación para el estudio del Derecho Europeo, 1984); *Espanya i els esforços internacionals en pro del desenvolupament* (in Abadia de Montserrat, *La fam al mon*, 1987); *Spain and the Enlargement of the EEC* (in I. Greilsammer and J.H. Weiler, eds: *Europe and Israel: Troubled Neighbours*, Berlin, de Gruyter for the European University Institute, 1987); *La internacionalización active y pasiva de la economía catalana* (in M. Parellada, ed: *Estructura económica de Catalunya*, Madrid, Espasa Calpe, 1990) ; *El funcionalismo en la Organización Económica Internacional y la nueva agenda contra el subdesarrollo* (in M. Varela, coord: *Organización Económica Internacional: Problemas actuales de la economía mundial*, Madrid, Pirámide, 1991); *La organización económica internacional ante los retos y transformaciones del mundo actual* (in McGraw Hill: *Temas actuales de Organización Económica Internacional*, 1993); *El contexto internacional de Armonías y tensiones para la Unión Europea de los noventa* (in. *Estudios en Homenaje al prof.*

D. Manuel Diez de Velasco, Madrid, Tecnos, 1993); La convergencia FMI/Banco Mundial ante los problemas de los países en desarrollo (in M.Varela,coord:El FMI, el BM y la economía española, Madrid, Pirámide, 1994); The Growth of the EU competentes: A neofunctionalist approach (in CNAN: The Regional Integration Process, Paris, 1995); The first Enlargement Negotiations of the EU (in J. Redmond,ed: The 1995 Enlargement of the European Union, Aldershot,Ashgate,1997); Europe's Evolving Economic Identity: Spain's role (in R. Gillespie and R. Youngs,ed: Spain The European and International Challenges, London, Frank Cass, 2001); El reptes de l'ampliació de la UE (in X Jornada del Moviment Europeu, Barcelona,2001); La UE y los países altamente endeudados (in P. Garcia,ed: El Problema de la deuda externa, Pamplona, EUNSA, 2001); Los retos del Euro frente a la escena internacional (in R. Domínguez,coord: Las relaciones Exteriores de la UE, México, Plaza Valdes,2001); Las relaciones entre la UE y Africa (in M.Kabunda,ed: Africa subsahariana ante el nuevo milenio, Madrid, Pirámide,2002) ; Los países mas pobres y vulnerables ante la privatización de la cooperación al desarrollo y la liberalización comercial (in A. Costas and G. Cairo,eds: Cooperación y Desarrollo: Hacia una agenda comprehensiva para el desarrollo, Madrid, Pirámide, 2003); Globalización y antiglobalización en la RACEF (in De Computis et Scrupturis, Spanish Royal Academy of Economic ans Social Sciences,2003); De la independencia a la interdependencia en los procesos de ampliación y profundización de la integración Europea (in A. Calvo,coord: Economía Mundial y Globalización, Madrid, Minerva, 2004), The WTO as a determining Factor for the CAP and the Euro-Mediterranean Process (in J.R. Cuadrado and M.T. Fernández:,coord, The Euromediterranean Free-Trade Area, Marcial Pons, 2005), El impulso a la integración económica regional entre países ACP a través de los Acuerdos de Partenariado Económico previstos en el Acuerdo de Cotonou, en M.A. Diaz Mier and M. Hinarejos ,eds,: Lecturas sobre economía financiera internacional e integración económica, Madrid, Universidad de Alcalá, 2006), Multinacionales, Deslocalizaciones y promoción de localizaciones (in. O.Jané and J. Timoteo,coord.: Economía Efectiva, Lleida, Milenio,2006), La política de cooperación al desarrollo de la Unión Europea (in J. Viñas,coord., Las Políticas comunitarias , una visión interna, Madrid, Libros ICE, 2006)., Les ampliacions de la Unio Europea (in F. Morata ,dir,: 1986-2006: 20 anys de Catalunya a la Unió Europea, Barcelona, Patronat Catala pro Europa, 2006), Can the Fifth Enlargement Weaken the EU Development Cooperation (in J. Roy and R. Domínguez ,eds,: Towards the Completion of Europe, Thomson-Shore,University of Miami,2006), The Euro and the Developing Countries (in J.Roy and P.Gomis Porqueras-eds-: The Euro and the Dollar in a Globalized Economy, Aldershot,Ashgate,2007), Crecimiento demográfico, migraciones masivas y sostanibilidad (in R. Tamames and J.R.Trujillo-eds-:La difícil supervivencia de la especie humana:Ecología y Globalización, Madrid, Edic. Dos Mil Diez), International Economic Organizations (voices published in J.C. Pereira –coord.-: Diccionario de Relaciones Internacionales y Política Exterior,Barcelona, Ariel, 2008), La coordinación internacional para luchar contra la crisis (in RACEF: La crisis: riesgos y oportuidades para el espacio atlántico, 2009), Los avances en la Unión Económica y Monetaria con la primera crisis del Euro (in. J. M. Sobrino-dir-: El desarrollo del Tratado de Lisboa, un balance de la presidencia española, Escuela Diplomática, Madrid, Escuela Diplomatica,2010)La Unión Europea y sus responsabilidades planetarias (in RACEF el Académie Royale des Sciences des Lettres et des Beaux Arts de la Belgique, 2010), España en la UE :las cuatro presidencias españolas, in J.Roy and R. Dominguez-edits-: España, la Unión Europea y la integración Latinoamericana, University of Miami, 2010), The Widening Concept of the Trade Policy used by the EU, European Parliament-London School of Economics, 2011), Avances e Insuficiencias de la UE como actor global (in JC.Theiler, C. Maiz and L.F.Agramunt –comp-: Los desafíos de la integración en el s.XXI, Santa Fe, Argentina, 2011),Las salidas de la crisis económica global y la nueva arquitectura financiera internacional (in Madrid, FIIAPP: Nuevas bases para las relaciones entre la UE y América Latina y el Caribe, Madrid, 2011), Balance de la integración de España en la Unión Europea y la entrada en el

sistema Euro: cesión de soberanía (in J.M.Beneyto and R.Ripoll: Las competencias del Estado Español en relación con el proceso autonómico y europea, Madrid,CEU,2012)

- Author of many **articles** published in economic, development, export promotion and international relations' journals as well the Annals of the Spanish Royal Academy of Economic and Financial Sciences and the Catalan Society for Economy of the Institut d'Estudis Catalans. Among other journals: Journal of Common Market Studies, Economics, Revue du Marché Commun et de l'Union Européenne, Revista de Derecho Comunitario Europeo, Revue de la Société d'Etudes et d'Expansion, ACP-EU Courier, Revista Española de Cooperación y Desarrollo, Revista Española de Economía, Integración Latinoamericana, Moneda y Crédito, Comercio Exterior de México, Información Comercial Española, Política Exterior, Revista CIDOB d'Afers Internacionales, The Banker, Mediterranean Studies, Carta Internacional da Universidade de São Paulo, Revista Econòmica de Catalunya, Noticiero de Comercio Exterior de la Cámara de Comercio, Industria y Navegación de Barcelona; OECD Sigma Papers, Cuaderno de Negocios Internacionales e Integración.

Conferences-and-International-Meetings

- Participation in Conferences, Seminars, Workshops, Working sessions and high level representation of the European Commission (and previous jobs' institutions) in many Fora, international Conferences and international meetings organized by United Nations, UN Agencies, International Financial Institutions, Regional organizations for integration and co-operation, Business centres, Chambers of Commerce and Industry, Enterprises' Associations, Universities, Business' Schools and Graduate Research Institutes in some seventy countries of the five continents:

Among others-: Andorra (Andorra la Vella), Angola (Luanda), Argentina (Buenos Aires, Rosario), Australia (Sydney and Brisbane), Austria (Alpbach, Graz) Bahamas (Nassau), Barbados (Bridgetown), Belgium (Brugge, Brussels), Brazil (Rio de Janeiro, Sao Paulo), Camerun (Douala), Cook Islands (Rarotonga), Chile (Santiago), Colombia (Bogota, Medellín, Cali), Comores (Moroni), Congo (Kinshasa), Costa Rica (San José) Cuba (Havana), Czech Republic (Prague), Denmark (Copenhagen), Djibouti (Djibouti), Dominica (Roseau), Dominican Republic (Sto. Domingo), Egypt (Cairo), Ecuador (Guayaquil), Ethiopia (Addis Ababa), Federated States of Micronesia (Pohnpei), Fiji (Suva), Finland (Helsinki, Porvoo), France (Paris, Marseille, Strasbourg, Perpignan), Gabon (Libreville), Germany (Stuttgart, Munich, Berlin), Great Britain (Bristol, Brighton, Edinburg, London, Portsmouth), Greece (Athens), Haiti (Port au Prince), Irlanda (Dublin) Israel (Tel Aviv), Italy (Genova, Milano, Rome, Torino), Ivory Coast (Abidjan), Jamaica (Kingston), Japan (Tokyo), Latvia (Riga), Luxembourg (Luxembourg), Madagascar (Antananarivo), Marshall Islands (Majuro), Maurice (Port Louis), Mexico (Mexico), Montserrat (Portsmouth), Niger (Niamey), Papua New Guinea (Port Moresby), Norway (Lofoten, Oslo), Paraguay (Asuncion), Peru (Lima), Poland (Warsaw), Portugal (Porto, Lisbon), Saint Kitts and Nevis (Basseterre), Saint Lucia (Castries), Senegal (Dakar), Seychelles (Victoria), Somalia (Berbera), Spain (Alcala de Henares, Barcelona, Madrid, Bilbao, Seville, Valencia, Coruña, Santiago, Santander, Las Palmas, Sta. Cruz Tenerife), Switzerland (Geneva, Fribourg), Thailand (Bangkok), The Netherlands (Maastricht, The Hague), Trinidad Tobago (Port of Spain) Tunisia (Tunis), Turkey (Ankara), Uganda (Kampala) United Arab Emirates (Abu Dhabi), Uruguay (Montevideo), USA (Miami, New York, Washington, Boston), Venezuela (Caracas), Zambia (Lusaka)

