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FMA Board Members



Dr Klaus HÄNSCH **FMA President and Delegation leader**

Klaus Hänsch (born 1938 in Sprottau) is a German politician. He was a Member of the European Parliament from 1979 to 2009, and a member of the Party of European Socialists group, of which he was Vice-Chairman from 1989 to 1994 and from 1997 to 2009.

Klaus Hänsch was Presidium-Member of the Convention drafting a European Constitution (2002-2003) and Parliament's representative in the Intergovernmental Conference on the Constitutional Treaty for the European Union (2003-2004). He was Member for Germany (SPD) from 1979 to 2009 and President of the European Parliament from 1994 to 1997. Klaus Hänsch is currently President of the Former Members Association.

Monica BALDI - FMA Vice-President

Monica Baldi (born on 26 April 1959, Pistoia, Italy) was a Member of the European Parliament, 1994-1999.

She was the Deputy President of the Committee for Culture, Youth, Education, Information and Sport and the President of the Working Group on Climate Change and Small Island States of the ACP-EU Joint Assembly (Africa-Caribbean-Pacific and European Union).

She was also a Member of the Committee for Environmental Protection, Public Health, and Consumer Protection, of the Women's Rights Committee and coordinator in the Committee for Development and Cooperation.

She became a Member of the Italian Parliament, 2001-2006 and was honored with the title of Grand Officer of Merit of the Italian Republic.

She is an architect, expert in urban planning, and author. Baldi is active in supporting foreign policy, sustainable development, humanitarian actions and women's rights and is currently the Vice President of the Former Members Association.





Teresa RIERA MADURELL- **FMA Honorary Secretary**

Teresa Riera Madurell (born on 13 October 1950, Barcelona, Spain) was a Member of the European Parliament between 2004-2014. She was the S&D coordinator of the Committee on Industry, Research and Energy 2007-2014.

She was the Rapporteur of the Framework Programme for Research and Innovation: Horizon 2020 as well as a Member of the RISE-Advisory Group of Commissioner for Research, Innovation and Science (2014-2019).

Riera Madurell is a Professor of Computer Sciences and Artificial Intelligence at the University of Balearic Islands and the Chair of Science Policy Advisory Committee at Barcelona Supercomputing Centre (BSC-CNS).

She is also a Member of the Foundation for European Progressive Studies Council (FEPS)- Scientific Council, the Balearic Group of the Club of Rome Spanish Chapter and the President of the Balearic Islands-Council of the European Movement.

Miguel Angel MARTÍNEZ MARTÍNEZ **Member of the Management Committee**



Born on 30 January 1940, Madrid, Spain. After 14 years of exile, Member of the National Directorate of the Spanish Socialist Workers' Party and Secretary General of the Party in the region of Castilla-La Mancha.

He was a Member of the Spanish Parliament from 1977 to 1999 and a Member of the European Parliament from 1999 to 2014 and Vice-President of the European Parliament from 2007 to 2014. He was the Honorary President of the Inter-Parliamentary World Union and the Honorary President of the Parliamentary Assembly of the Council of Europe.

He became Vice-Chairman of the Board of Trustees of the House of European History and received an Honorary Doctorate from the Universities of Aberdeen (Scotland/UK), Bratislava (Slovakia), Cluj (Romania) and the NGIMO in Moscow (Russia).

He received multiple awards: Spanish Order of Merit for the Constitution, the Grand Cross of the Order of Civil Merit and the Grand Cross of the Order of Isabel la Católica. He has also received other awards in over thirty countries as well as the Medal of Honor of the Western European Union, Honorary Citizen of the Island of Kos in Greece and of the City of Kork in Ireland.

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Pilar AYUSO GONZALEZ

María del Pilar Ayuso González (born 16 June 1942 in Badajoz) who served as a Spanish politician and Member of the European Parliament with the People's Party, part of the European People's Party.

Ayuso joined the European Parliament in the 1999 European elections. Throughout her time in parliament, she served on the Committee on the Environment, Public Health and Food Safety. In this capacity, she was her parliamentary group's rapporteur on the fuel quality directive (FQD) in 2007. She was also a substitute for the Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development and the Committee on Industry, Research and Energy. In 2018, she joined the temporary Special Committee on the Union's authorisation procedure for pesticides.

In addition to her committee assignments, Ayuso was a member of the Delegation for relations with Mercosur and of the European Parliament Intergroup on Children's Rights.

Teresa DOMINGO

Teresa Domingo was member of the European Parliament from 1989 to 1994.



She was Vice Chair in the Committee on Women's Rights (1989-1994), Member of the Delegation for Relations with Japan (1989-1994), Member of the Committee on Agriculture, Fisheries and Rural Development (1989-1994), Member of the Delegation for Relations with US and Delegation to the ACP-EU.



Françoise DUTHU

Former MEP between February-July 2004, adhering to the Vert/ALE group, France. Duthu assisted in two hearings on the Chechen question in search of a diplomatic solution (Mashkadov plan) and publication of a brochure used by the Chechnya Committees.

After her mandate, she continued her professional career as a lecturer at the University of Paris-Ouest Nanterre La Défense until October 2011. In January 2009, she published the book “The Mayor and the Mosque, Islam and secularism in Ile-de-France”, L’Harmattan, Paris. Since 2022, she is a Municipal councilor in the town of Ottignies-Louvain-la-Neuve (Ecolo).

Colette GADIOUX

Colette Gadioux (born in 1945 in Bellac) is a French politician. She was a member of the European Parliament from 1984 to 1989. During her term, she worked extensively on women’s right issues. She was also part of the delegation for relations with the countries of South America.

Apart from her work for the European Parliament, she was representative of France to the United Nations in New York, Commission on the Status of Women (1984-1989). She is also officer of the Legion of Honour.





Dolores GARCÍA HIERRO CARABALLO

Dolores García-Hierro Caraballo is a Spanish politician. From 2011 to 2014, she served as a Member of the European Parliament, representing Spain for the Spanish Socialist Workers Party.

She was rapporteur of the Social Democrat group for the fishing agreement with Morocco, for the European fishing trade regulation, and I elaborated the first initiative to recognize the rights of fisherwomen, shellfish gatherers and women, which was approved by the European Parliament. She was also city councilor of Madrid, member of the Congress of Deputies as well as member of the Assembly of Madrid, and senator.

Ana GOMES

Ana Gomes was Member of the European Parliament for 3 terms (2004-2019), as a member of the Portuguese Socialist Party and, therefore, of the S&D - Socialist and Democrats Group.



She served in the Foreign Affairs Committee, Development Committee, Committee on Civil Liberties, Justice and Home Affairs, and in the SubCommittee for Security and Defence and in the SubCommittee on Human Rights. She was member of the Delegation for the Relations with the United-States, Délégation for the Relations with Iraq and the Delegation to the Parliamentary Assembly of the Union for the Mediterranean.

She headed several EU/ EP Electoral Election Missions (Ethiopia, Timor Leste, Sudan, Myanmar, Georgia, among others). She served in the Special inquiry Committees on the CIA Flights, on TAX 1 and TAX2 (Luxleaks scandal) and was VicePresident of the Inquiry Committees on PanamaPapers, on ParadisePapers (TAX3) and was S&D coordinator at the Special Committee on Terrorism (TERR).

She was Rapporteur for Libya, Iraq, Saudi Arabia and the PCA with Indonesia, on the "EU CBRN Action Plan" report, the "Maritime Dimension of CSDP" report, on the "Human Rights and corruption" report, on "Big Data and Fundamental Rights" among other files.

She actively campaigned for a EU Magnitsky Act. She now has a program as political commentator, once a week, at TV Channel Sic Notícias, in Portugal.



Nathalie GRIESBECK

Born in Metz in 1956, she obtained a Master's degree in Public Law from the University of Lorraine, followed by two Diplomas d'Etudes Approfondies from the University of Nancy, from which she graduated with a Major. She was soon appointed lecturer at the University of Lorraine.

At the same time, she was elected Metz's youngest ever municipal councilor in 1983, then Deputy Mayor in 1987 and finally First Deputy Mayor of Metz in 1995, while at the Moselle General Council she succeeded Jean-Marie Rausch by being elected France's youngest ever female General Councillor in 1988, and again in 1994 and 2001. In the 2004 European elections, she led the centrist inter-regional Grand-Est list (nearly 9 million inhabitants), which brought together 18 départements, or 5 former regions, and was thus elected to the European Parliament for the first time. She will be elected again in 2009, and again in 2014. It was during her third and final term as a Member of the European Parliament that she was elected Chair of the parliamentary Special Committee on Combating Terrorism. Secretary General of the Robert Schuman European Center (CERS) since 2015, Chevalier in the National Order of Merit, Nathalie Griesbeck is also a reserve colonel in the French Air Force.

Robert John MORELAND

Robert Moreland (born in 1981 in Gloucester) is a British politician. He was member of the European Parliament from 1979 to 1984.

After his term at the European Parliament, he was a Member of Economic and Social Committee of the EU from 1986 to 1998, and served as Chairman of the Regional Policy and Town and Country Planning Section of the Committee from 1990 to 1998.





Margarita STARKEVIČIŪTĖ

Margarita Starkevičiūtė (born in 1956 in Jeniseiskas) is a Lithuanian politician who served as a Member of the European Parliament from 2004 to 2009. She graduated in economics at the Vilnius University, in 1978.

She also obtained a PhD in social sciences with a specialization in economics at this university. She is a member of the EU institutions advisory boards, and of the Lithuania Culture and Arts Council.