

Mr. Chester Salazar del Pozo was appointed as the Representative of Ecuador on the ICAO Council on 12 November 2025.

With more than a decade of experience, Mr. Salazar del Pozo has advised both Ecuadorian and international airlines on wide range of issues. Additionally, he has assisted multiple clients in the aviation and airport industry on regulatory, corporate, and transactional matters. Prior to his current appointment, he worked at leading law firms renowned for their specialization in aviation and transportation law, where he led proceedings before the civil aviation authorities, including the structuring of aircraft financing and leasing transactions, negotiating airport concession frameworks, and developing airport infrastructure and public–private partnership projects.

He has actively participated in regional and international associations related to aviation law. His involvement also includes contributions to various academic and professional forums across Latin America and Europe.

Mr. Salazar del Pozo holds a law degree from Universidad San Francisco de Quito and has completed postgraduate programs in Aerospace, Aeronautical and Airport Law at internationally recognized institutions.