



Mr. Ángel Víctor Torres Pérez

He was born in Arucas (Gran Canaria) and he holds a BA in Spanish Language and Literature from La Laguna University in Tenerife, where he also got his Doctorate in 1991. That same year, he became teacher of Secondary School. He has published some books and he has participated in various literary contests.

He began his political career in 1999 when he was elected Councillor in the town of Arucas. He was Mayor of Arucas during the periods of 2003-2007 and 2011-2015. He was a member of the Congress for the constituency of Las Palmas de Gran Canaria from 2009 to 2011, representing the Spanish Socialist Workers' Party (PSOE). In 2010, he was elected Secretary General of PSOE in Gran Canaria, and in 2017, he became Secretary General of PSOE Canarias. From 2015 to 2019, he was Vicepresident and island Councillor for Public Works, infrastructure and sports in the Council of Gran Canaria.

In 2019, he was elected President of the Canary Islands Government.