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SUMMARY OF MANUEL SÁINZ ANDRES PROFILE (IDAE)

Personal Data

- Born in Madrid in 1959.
- Spanish Civil Servant (Diplomado Comercial del Estado) in 1982.
- Economist Degree in 1985 (Universidad Autónoma de Madrid).
- European Commission Official (administrator) in 1986.

Professional Career:

1982- 1988 : Work for the Spanish Administration in external trade matters.

1988- 2002 : Work for the European Commission.
Up to June 1991 in the dairy sector.
From June 1991 in energy topics particularity in Trans-European Energy Network issues.

From June 2002 to Present: Work for IDAE (Institute for the Diversification and Saving of Energy of Spain).

Project Manager of Community Programmes in the International Relations Department.

Management of the European Union programmes related to the activity of IDAE.

- Collection and dissemination of information.
- Promotion and advising for the participation of the Spanish companies in these programmes.
- Participation in the management committees of the European Commission.
- Elaboration of proposals and implementation of projects.

International Cooperation with Mediterranean countries.

Follow up of regulations on renewable energy and energy efficiency.

Representation of IDAE in international events.