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SPEAKER BIO

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Mr. Juan Pablo Guerrero is the network director of the Global Initiative for Fiscal Transparency (GIFT) since 2014.

GIFT is a multi-stakeholder action network integrated by ministries of finance, civil society organizations and international financial institutions, to advance fiscal transparency, inclusive public participation and accountability in countries and worldwide.

He was a founding Commissioner of the Federal Institute for Access to Information & Data Protection in Mexico (2002-2009), where he subsequently was the Secretary General (2013-14). Between 2009 and 2013, he was the manager of the Mentoring Governments Program at the International Budget Partnership (2009-13). Before 2003, he was a university professor at the CIDE (Center for Research & Teaching in Economics) in Mexico (1994-2003) specialized in public administration reform for accountability, anticorruption and fiscal transparency.

He started his career as a news reporter and correspondent in Washington & Paris, where he studied master's and Ph.D. programs in public policy (SAIS-Johns Hopkins University and Sciences-Po).

The International Monetary Fund, the World Bank Group, the International Budget Partnership (IBP), the International Federation of Accountants, the Department of Budget & Management of the Philippines, the Federal Secretary of Budget and Planning of Brazil and the Treasury Secretariat of Mexico are the lead stewards of GIFT, which comprises 54 members in 2022. GIFT is administratively based at IBP.