

A career diplomat with 37 years of experience, Minister Popolizio is a Graduate in International Relations from the Peruvian Diplomatic Academy, as well as a Bachelor in Law from the National University of San Marcos. His work between 1995-1999 as Principal Advisor during the peace negotiations with Ecuador, as well as in the lead up to signing of the Act of Lima with Chile has been widely recognized. At the Ministry of Foreign Affairs he has held the roles of Undersecretary for American Affairs (2006-2009) and Viceminister of Foreign Affairs on two occasions from 2009-2011 and from 2016-2018. Abroad he has held the posts of Ambassador of Peru to Portugal and to Colombia.

PERSONAL DETAILS

Place and date of birth	Pucallpa, 25th of February, 1955
Civil status	Married to doña Irma E. Ríos Garate
Children	Isabela Corina Popolizo Morales

EDUCATION

- Law and Political Science Graduate, from the National University of San Marcos (Universidad Nacional Mayor de San Marcos), 1972 – 1977
- Post Graduate Diploma on International Political Affairs, from the Institut International d'administration publique (I.I.A.P, International Institute for Public Administration), Paris, 1982 – 1983 (Diploma, 1983)
- XXX Professional Development Course, Peruvian Diplomatic Academy (Academia Diplomática del Perú), 1991

ACADEMIC AND PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

- Bachelor in Law, National University of San Marcos (Universidad Nacional Mayor de San Marcos) 1981
- Career Diplomat, Peruvian Diplomatic Academy (Academia Diplomática del Perú) 1980
- Graduate in International Relations, Peruvian Diplomatic Academy (Academia Diplomática del Perú) 1980 and 2013

CAREER PATH

Minister of Foreign Affairs	2018
Viceminister of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs	2016 - 2018
Ambassador of Peru to the Republic of Colombia	2013
Ambassador of Peru to the Republic of Portugal	2011
Advisor to the Cabinet for Specialized Counsel of the Minister of Foreign Affairs' Office	2011
Viceminister of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs (as of the 14th of May until de 31st of July, 2011)	2009
Viceminister Secretary General of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs (as of the 20th of April)	2009
Undersecretary for American Affairs	2006
Director General for North America	2005
Director of the Cabinet of the Minister of Foreign Affairs	2000
Minister at the Embassy of Peru in the United States of America	2000-2005
Director of the Cabinet of the Minister of Foreign Affairs	1997
Chief of the Department of Evaluation and Programming, of the Directorate of Evaluation and Planning of Programs	1997
Minister Counselor at the Embassy of Peru in the Federative Republic of Brazil	1997
Counselor at the Embassy of Peru in the Federative Republic of Brazil	1993
Vice-Director of the Cabinet of the Minister of Foreign Affairs' Office	1992
Chief of the Department of Ecuador, General Directorate of the Americas	1991
First Secretary, in charge of the Directorate of the Cabinet of the Minister of Foreign Affairs	1990
First Secretary of the Embassy of Peru in Colombia	1989
Second Secretary at the Embassy of Peru in Colombia	1988
Second Secretary at the Permanent Representation of Peru to the United Nations in New York, United States of America	1986
Third Secretary at the Permanent Representation of Peru to the United Nations in New York, United States of America	1984
Third Secretary in the Cabinet of the Secretary General	1983
Third Secretary of the Chancellery in the Cabinet of the Secretary General	1981

COMISSIONS

He has participated on multiple occasions as a Delegate and Representative of Peru at numerous international meetings and conferences.

DECORATIONS

- Decorated with the Order "El Sol del Perú", in the class of Grand Cross
- Decorated with the Order "Al Mérito por Servicios Distinguidos", in the class of Grand Cross
- Decorated with the Order "Al Mérito del Servicio Diplomático del Perú, José Gregorio Paz Soldán," in the class of Grand Cross
- Decorated with the Order "Al Mérito por Servicios Distinguidos", in the class OF Grand Officer
- Decorated with the Order "Nacional do Cruzeiro do Sul", of the Federative Republic of Brazil, in the class of Grand Officer
- Decorated with the Order "Libertador San Martín", of the Republic of Argentina, in the class of Grand Cross
- Decorated with the National Order of Merit "Don José Falcón", of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Paraguay

LANGUAGES

English, Portuguese and French.