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Matías González Martín holds a degree in Telecommunications Engineering from the Highest Technical Telecommunications Engineering School (ETSIT) of the Polytechnic University of Madrid (UPM). He began his professional career in Retevisión in 1997 at the beginning of the telecommunications industry liberalisation in Spain, and in April 1999 he joined Airtel Móvil (currently Vodafone España SAU) where he initially held various positions in the field of network interconnection (in technical and commercial departments).

Since December 2001, first as Manager and then as Head, for more than 20 years he has been responsible for Regulation and Institutional Relations of Vodafone España SAU, leading the company's strategy and regulatory activity, as well as the relationship with regulatory bodies (National Commission for Markets and Competition, and the Secretary of State for the Information Society and the Digital Agenda), with industry associations (digitalES, AOP, AOPM...) and with other different national and international stakeholders in the regulatory and institutional fields, participating in first person in the main regulatory milestones of the telecommunications industry in Spain.

Since December 2021, and to date, he has been an advisor in the cabinet of the Secretary of State for Telecommunications and Digital Infrastructures, actively collaborating in all the activities of the Secretary of State and the Secretariat-General of Telecommunications (Directorate-General, until October 2022) and the different Sub-Directorates-General that comprise it, both in the regulatory and normative initiatives related to the traditional activities of the Secretary of State, as well as those carried out within the scope of the initiatives of C15 and C25 Components of the Recovery, Transformation and Resilience Plan, and those developed within the scope of the Secretariat's competences. In particular, during this period he has developed functions of support to the Secretary of State's activities, advice and creation of internal documentation for decision-making in the scope of the activities of the Secretary of State, and spokesperson with operators and the different players of the industry, with the Directorate-General for Competition of the European Commission and with the CNMC (National Commission for Markets and Competition), and with other bodies such as industrial Associations related to the different activities of the Secretariat in the scope of its functions including, but not limited to, radio spectrum management, 5G cybersecurity and connectivity.