

Bruno Ramos, Eng. Candidate for Study Group Vice-Chairman

Mr. Bruno Ramos has been vice-chairman of the Special Study Group (SSG) on "IMT-2000 and Beyond" since its creation in the last WTSA 2000. He has actively participated in the work accomplished by the SSG given special attention to the service and network capability requirements and network architecture.

Mr. Bruno Ramos works for the National Telecommunications Agency – Anatel, in Brazil, as Manager of Mobile Communications Standards.

Professional Experience:

Bruno has been mobile regulations manager since the implantation of the National Telecommunications Agency – Anatel, in 1997, after the privatization of the telecommunication sector in Brazil. He graduated in Electrical Engineer in the Escola Politecnica of the São Paulo University, with special emphasis on telecommunications. Later, he received his Master degree on telecommunications regulatory issues at the University of Brasilia. At Anatel, his duties contemplate the development of regulatory policies in regards to mobile telecommunications in Brazil, propose the general plan for mobile telecommunications quality goals, approve alterations on the structural plan and technical specifications of the system, allocate the radiofrequency band for mobile telecommunications in accordance with the ITU radio regulations plan, and maintain, together with the relevant areas of the Agency, the competition of mobile operators in the country. Before his work at Anatel, Bruno worked for the Mobile Operator in the city of São Paulo, as a Network Planning Engineer, for almost 10 years.

The ITU:

In ITU-T, Bruno has been an active participant for over 10 years, mainly in the work related to signalling for the mobile core network communication and Common Channel Signalling - SCC#7. Later, as vice-chairman of the Special Study Group, played an active role on all questions of the Study Group, e.g., the development of the ITU Handbook on Deployment of IMT-2000 Systems and the specifications of network and service capabilities for IMT-2000 and systems beyond IMT-2000.

Mr. Ramos is fluent in Portuguese and English and has a working knowledge in Spanish and French.

Final note:

The mobile telecommunication systems are continually evolving all over the world. The rapid progress of this technology requires professionals able to propose and develop recommendations that meet the market need in a timely manner. A very well suited coordination team is required for ITU-T to continue to be considered the focal point on the standardization of IMT-2000 and Systems beyond IMT-2000 as well as all mobility technologies.

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