

# **6th Congressional Brazilian Study Mission on Innovation Boston and Washington**

**Senator and Deputy Profiles**

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*April 7th – 13th, 2017*

# Senators

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# Senator

## Ana Amélia

PP/RS – Term: 2011-2019

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- ❖ A journalist who began her first term in the Senate in 2011.
- ❖ One of the authors of Senate Bill 200/ 2015, which deals with clinical research performed on human beings. She has authored and overseen a variety of other bills related to health, including the law mandating obligatory coverage by healthcare plans for at-home, oral drug treatments for cancer patients.
- ❖ Member of the Commission for Social Affairs (CAS).



# Senator Cristovam Buarque

PPS/DF – Term: 2011-2019

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- ❖ A professor who holds a Master in Economic Sciences and a PhD in Economics. He is in his second consecutive term as a senator.
- ❖ Previously served as Governor of the Federal District and Minister of Education.
- ❖ Member of the Commission for Science, Technology, Innovation, Communication and Information (CCT).



# Senator Vanessa Grazziotin

PCdoB/AM – Term: 2011-2019

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- ❖ A pharmacist serving her first term as senator.
- ❖ Previously served three consecutive terms as a member of the Chamber of Deputies and three consecutive terms as a city councilwoman. She is a special prosecutor for women in the Federal Senate.
- ❖ Member of the Commission for Social Affairs (CAS).



# Federal Deputies

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# Federal Deputy

# Alan Rick

PRB/AC – Term: 2015-2019

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- ❖ A journalist and businessman serving his first term as a federal deputy.
- ❖ Vice President of the Parliamentary Front for Rare Diseases and author of a variety of bills related to the topic.
- ❖ Member of the Commission for Social Security and Family (CSSF).



# Federal Deputy Gorete Pereira

PR / CE – Term: 2015-2019

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- ❖ A physiotherapist in her fourth term as a federal deputy.
- ❖ Member of the Commission for Work, Administration and Public Service (CTA SP).



# Federal Deputy Helder Salomão

PT/ES – Term: 2015-2019

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- ❖ A professor of Philosophy in his first term as a federal deputy.
- ❖ Previously served as a city councilman, state deputy and mayor.
- ❖ Member of the Commission for Economic Development, Industry, Trade and Services (CDEICS), the Commission for Education (CE) and the Commission for Finances and Taxation (CFT).



# Federal Deputy Marcos Rogério

DEM/RO – Term: 2015-2019

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- ❖ A journalist who holds a law degree as well as a specialization in early childhood development from Harvard University. He is serving his second consecutive term as a federal deputy.
- ❖ Member of the Commission for Education (CE).



# Federal Deputy Mariana Carvalho

PSDB/RO – Term: 2015-2019

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- ❖ A doctor who also holds a law degree, currently serving her first term as a federal deputy.
- ❖ Previously served as a city councilwoman.
- ❖ In 2017, elected to serve as the Second Secretary of the Board of the Chamber of Deputies. In 2016, was a member of the Commission for Social Security and Family (CSSF).



# Federal Deputy

## Odorico Monteiro

PROS/CE – Term: 2015-2019

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- ❖ A doctor who holds a Master of Public Health from the Federal University of Fortaleza, a PhD in Collective Health from the University of Campinas and completed postdoctoral work in Health at the University of Montreal in Canada. He is serving his first term as a federal deputy.
- ❖ Member of the Commission of Social Security and Family (CSSF).



# Federal Deputy Sinval Malheiros

PTN / SP – Term: 2015-2019

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- ❖ A doctor and specialist in gastric and bariatric surgery, proctology, gastroenterology, videolaparoscopy and general surgery. He is serving his second term as a federal deputy.
- ❖ Member of the Commission for Social Security and Family (CSSF).



# Federal Deputy Walter Ihoshi

PSD / SP – Trade: 2015-2019

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- ❖ Holds a degree in Public Administration from the Fundação Getúlio Vargas (FGV) and a specialization in International Trade from the University of California at Los Angeles. He is serving his third term as a federal deputy.
- ❖ Leads the Parliamentary Front for Prescription Drug Tax Reduction
- ❖ Member of the Commission for Economic Development, Industry, Trade and Services (CDEICS).

