

**RECOMMENDATION VI:  
RESOLUTION OF APPRECIATION FOR DANIEL CARRO**



Daniel Carro announced his retirement from the staff of the Baptist General Association of Virginia staff as Latino Kingdom Advance Ambassador (2004-2015), effective December 31, 2015.

Whereas, Daniel, born in Buenos Aires, Argentina and a citizen of the United States since 2012, has served as a living Christian bridge across cultures and throughout the Baptist family. As a pastor, he began his ministry in four churches in Argentina and then served as pastor of the Hispanic congregation at Columbia Baptist Church in Falls Church (2000-2004). As a seminary leader, Daniel served his alma mater, Seminario International Teological Bautista in Buenos Aires, as director of public relations (1981-1991) and director of post-graduate studies (1995-2000) before joining the faculty of the John Leland Center for Theological Studies in Arlington as Professor of Divinity (2000 to the present). As a denominational leader, Daniel simultaneously led the Union of Baptists in Latin America as executive secretary (1995-2001) and the Baptist World Alliance's regional secretary for Latin America (1995-2001), along with his leadership in Virginia's Latino ministries. From 2010-2015 Daniel served as First Vice-President of the Baptist World Alliance. He currently serves as a board member for the Cooperative Baptist Fellowship and Baptist Center for Ethics.

Whereas, Daniel earned university and seminary degrees in Argentina, along with a Doctor of Ministry degree from Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary in Wake Forest, North Carolina. In both Spanish and English, he has also taught extensively in visiting scholar roles around the world and produced a rich array of theological writings. In Virginia, Daniel has been known for his humility and excellence as a teacher, his grace and winsomeness as a preacher, and his motivational modeling as a leader.

Therefore Be It Resolved, that we, the elected members of the Baptist General Association of Virginia Executive Board meeting on October 11, 2016 express our gratitude for the life and ministry of Daniel Carro, and we extend our prayers to Daniel and his family, and

Be It Further Resolved, that we ask the messengers to the Annual Meeting of the Baptist General Association of Virginia on November 15, 2016 in Roanoke, Virginia, to affirm the lifework of Daniel Carro.