## Ms. Lourdes Máiz Carro Director

Born in Santiago de Compostela in 1959

Spanish nationality

Graduated in Law and Philosophy & Education Sciences from Universidad Complutense de Madrid. Doctor of Philosophy (DPhil).

Extraordinary Graduation Award in Philosophy and Extraordinary Doctorate Award.

## **Professional Background:**

- 1982-1987 Researcher belonging to the Philosophy Faculty of Universidad Complutense de Madrid, where she lectured on Metaphysics and Knowledge Theory.
- 1992-1993 Joined the Spanish State Counsel Corps (Cuerpo de Abogados del Estado) and practised in the Ministry of Public Administrations, where she was appointed deputy to the Director.
- 1993-2001 Held various positions in the Public Administration: Chief of Staff to the Deputy Secretary of Public Administrations; Chief of Staff to the Deputy Secretary of Education; Director General of Administrative Organisation, Job Positions and I.T. (Ministry of Public Administrations); Director General of Sociedad Estatal de Participaciones Patrimoniales (SEPPA Ministry of the Economy and Finance) and General Technical Secretary (Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries & Food).
- 2001-2016 Secretary of the Board of Directors and Director of Legal Services at Iberia, Líneas Aéreas de España

She has been member of the Board for various companies, including, RENFE; Gerencia de Infraestructuras Ferroviarias (G.I.F.- now ADIF); Instituto de Crédito Oficial (I.C.O.); INISAS, Compañía de Seguros y Reaseguros, S.A.; Aldeasa, Almacenaje y Distribución; and Banco Hipotecario.

She was appointed as BBVA Director on 14 March 2014. She is member of the Audit Committee and of the Remunerations Committee of BBVA.