

Born in Morocco, married, Frédéric Charbonneau holds a Master in Economy and a Master in Public Administration from Paris University and is graduated from the French National High Institute for Security and Justice. Frédéric CHARBONNEAU starts his career as HR Director for Lyonnaise des Eaux-Dumez Group. After this initial experience in the private sector, he will start a long career in the French Administration where he will successively be Head of Cabinet of the Governor (Préfet), President of Europe Forum in Paris, Head of Cabinet of General Secretary of Paris City Council, Director of Cabinet of Member of Parliament for Paris & Mayor of district 11, Director of Cabinet of the Mayor of Saint-Barthelemy in the French Caribbean. Appointed in 1999 as Head of International Cooperation by the Mayor of Paris, he will hold from 2002 different roles in the French Senate directly reporting to its President, primary as Deputy Head of Cabinet, then Special Adviser for Security, Defense and Country Planning. In 2006, Frédéric Charbonneau is appointed as Deputy Governor (sous-préfet) of Cher regional district, then Deputy Governor (sous-préfet) of Paris regional district. In 2010, he joins the Ministry of Economy and Finances as Civil Administrator, Ministerial Coordinator for Economic Intelligence and from 2011 he is appointed as High Coordinator for Defense and Security. Frédéric Charbonneau holds many distinctions, knight of the “Légion d’Honneur” of the National Merit, of the Academic Merit, of the Arts & Lettres Merit, of the Agriculture Merit, medal-holder of the Senate of the French Republic and of the Sport & Youth Merit. Qualified as a paratrooper, Frédéric Charbonneau is colonel (rc) in the French Air Force.