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Director Eduardo Torres leads the operations for the U.S. Department of Commerce – Commercial Service for the South Florida. This vital area is the pulse of commerce and a delta to Latin America. This region is the heart of economic and financial trade with much of the world.

Director Torres is based in Fort Lauderdale. With Director Torres' leadership, the Commercial Service offices in the Southern Networks launch many American company's dreams of export by providing expert counseling, insight into challenging foreign markets, access to international contacts, and government to government advocacy services.

Director Torres has served as a principal Commercial Diplomat at numerous U.S. Embassies abroad, including Mexico City, Mexico, Lima, Peru, Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic, Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam, Maputo, Mozambique, and in San Jose, Costa Rica, as the Senior Commercial Officer. Most recently Eduardo was detailed to serve as the Commercial Officer at the U.S. Embassy in Guyana on September 20, 2022.

Director Torres serves in the Ex-Officio capacity on the Board of Directors for the U.S. – Spain American Chamber in Miami, as the Executive Secretary for the South Florida District Export Council, and as a Board Member of the South Florida Federal Executive Board and the Florida Export Finance Corporation. Eduardo received a Congressional recognition for his outstanding and invaluable service to the business community. Florida Governor, Rick Scott, presented the Governor's Business Ambassador Medal to Mr. Torres in recognition of the great partnership between the state of Florida and the U.S. Commercial Service.

Prior to his career with the U.S. Government, Director Torres was a principal in the environmental and agricultural industry sectors in the state of California.
