

# DC Think Tank President Manuel Oancia Granted Coveted Key to the Heart Award at National Press Club

*Manuel Oancia, president of USIBID, honored with the golden "Key to the Heart" award at a ceremony in Washington, D.C.*

WASHINGTON, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, UNITED STATES, March 30, 2023 /EINPresswire.com/ -- Manuel Oancia, the president of the US Institute of Business and International Development ([USIBID](#)), was honored with the golden "Key to the Heart" award from The Federation of World Peace and Love ([FOWPAL](#)) on March 28th, 2023 at the National Press Club in Washington, D.C. The ceremony took place during the "2023 World Leader Summit of Love and Peace, commemorating the fourth UN International Day of Conscience on April 5.

The beautiful "Key to the Heart" contained with it the following message: "The key to a sustainable world lies in conscience, love and peace. The fluttering dove on the key is a messenger of peace that bodes well for the future of humanity. A world leader's wish for peace is the wisdom and determination that becomes the driving force to turn the Key of Love and Peace."



Manuel Oancia and Dr. Hong during the Bell of Peace ceremony 2023



Awardees at the 2023 World Leader Summit of Love and Peace

In addition, Mr. Oancia was given the honor of ringing the Bell of World Peace and Love, reaffirming his commitment to promoting peace and understanding in a world full of conflict and division. The Bell of Peace was created to symbolize global unity and peace. Since its inauguration in 1999, nearly 500 leaders from 133 countries, representing all five continents have symbolically signified their commitment to peace by ringing the bell. Everyone from Nobel Peace Prize Laureates and respected Ambassadors at the United Nations, to Presidents and Prime Ministers have gathered together in an expression of solidarity for achieving global peace initiatives. By ringing the bell, world leaders have made a commitment to work towards a peaceful future. While ringing the bell, Manuel Oancia expressed a wish for all to hold gratitude for what they have.

Mr. Oancia's invitation to and participation in this event reflects his tireless efforts of the promotion of human rights and the advancement of the cause of peace and justice worldwide. His work with USIBID, as well as with the US Institute of Diplomacy and Human Rights has been recognized both in the United States and internationally, and he continues to inspire others to join in the struggle for a more just and equitable world.

The Summit took place at the National Press Club in Washington, DC, also included a press conference, prayers and meditation, music, and remarks by Dr. Tao-Tze Hong, president of FOWPAL.

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