

New boy in a new team

Ricardo Zonta makes his Formula One debut with new team BAR in Melbourne in March. The 22-year-old FIA GT Champion has proved somewhat volatile behind the wheel at times, and will face a stiff challenge from his team mate – 1997 World Champion Jacques Villeneuve

1987: First kart race

1988: Curitiba Karting – **2nd**

1991: Parana Karting – **Champion**

1992: Sao Paulo Karting Championship – **4th**

1993: Brazilian Formula Chevrolet Championship – **6th**

1994: Brazilian Formula 3 – **5th**

1995: Brazilian Formula 3 – **Champion**
South American Formula 3 – **Champion**

1996: European Formula 3000 – **4th**

1997: European Formula 3000 – **Champion**
Jordan F1 test driver

1998: **FIA GT Champion with Mercedes Benz**
McLaren F1 test driver

1999: **F1 debut with British American Racing**



Date of birth: **March 23, 1976**

Birthplace: **Curitiba, Brazil**

Residence: **Monaco**

Status: **Single**

