

## **CURRICULUM VITAE**

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### **Education and Training**

Master in Political Studies – January, 2013 till present. (Expected graduation May, 2015). GPA: 4.5/5  
Pontificia Universidad Javeriana. Bogotá, Colombia

Bachelor's degree in International Relations – December, 2011  
Pontificia Universidade Católica de Minas Gerais, PUC-MG. Belo Horizonte, Brazil

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### **Work experience**

1. GRUPO DE INVESTIGACIÓN EN RELACIONES INTERNACIONALES, AMÉRICA LATINA E INTEGRACIÓN (GRIALI) – August/2014 till present. Bogotá, Colombia

*Volunteer research assistant at GRIALI of Pontificia Universidad Javeriana*

Activities / Responsibilities:

- Support academic research on regional integration, south-south cooperation and regional security themes.
- Organization of academic events and seminars.

2. UNITED NATIONS DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME – October/2013 – October/2014  
Bogotá, Colombia

*Intern at UNDP Regional Bureau for Latin America and the Caribbean Virtual School*

Activities / Responsibilities:

- Support the use and administration of Moodle classes.
- Monitoring and management of relationship with actors of Virtual School projects.
- Development of executive reports, data analysis and compilation of virtual classrooms activities.
- Participate in the design, development, implementation and evaluation of Virtual School projects.
- Specific research's on Virtual Schools areas: Human Development (HD), Democratic Governance (DG), Crisis Prevention and Early Recovery (CPR) and Information Technologies and Communication (ITC).
- Coordinate users' online support in English, Spanish and Portuguese.

3. CUENCA CITY HALL – February/2012 – December/2012  
Cuenca, Ecuador

*International Cooperation Consultant at the International Relations Office*

## Coordinator of International Cooperation on Human Development at the Municipality of Cuenca

### Activities/Responsibilities:

- Participate in the development of the International Cooperation Strategy 2012-2013 of the International Relations Office of the Municipality of Cuenca.
- Technical assistance management through decentralized agencies, NGOs and PAHO/WHO for municipal health projects.
- Monitoring and management of the cooperation relationships with the Spanish Agency for International Development Cooperation (AECID); Organization of Ibero-American States for the Education, Science and Culture (OEI); German Agency for International Cooperation (GIZ) and Fundación Telefónica regarding educational projects in Cuenca.
- Proposals and projects development for applying to international calls offered by multilateral organizations.
- Organization of diplomatic missions to strategic events for new cooperation opportunities.
- Scholarships opportunities in international organizations for training municipal employees.
- Development of international partnerships, projects and agreements with sisters' cities, NGOs, multilateral organizations and different institutions directed towards projects of health, education, urban development, migration, and many others of human development issues.

## 4. NGO COMUNIDAD Y FAMILIA DE CHIHUAHUA A.C – June/2011 – August/2011

Guachochi, Chihuahua, Mexico

### *AIESEC Development Traineeship*

*Volunteer Internship* – Support the management of food security projects in the Sierra Taharuma with thirty indigenous communities in Guachochi City, Mexico.

### Activities / Responsibilities:

- Support the working group on a virtual training about project development offered by FAO (Food and Agriculture Organization – UN agency) and the Ministry of Agriculture of Mexico (SAGARPA)
- Conduct interviews, surveys and meetings to a better understanding of each community needs.
- Organizing awareness events and workshops on health, nutrition, mobilization for collective participation, among others.

## 5. AIESEC MEMBER – BELO HORIZONTE COMMITTEE – April/2011 – February/2012

*External relations team leader* – responsible for the external communication of AIESEC Belo Horizonte exchange programs. September/2011 – February/2012

### Activities / Responsibilities:

- Team leader of six members.
- Responsible for the creation, drafting and implementation of a project to disclose the AIESEC exchange programs in Belo Horizonte universities.
- Contact with academic departments and students representatives to publicize the exchange programs.
- Searching for seminars and events to spread AIESEC values and objectives. Participation through stands and lectures.

## 6. INSTITUTO BRASILEIRO DE GEOGRAFIA E ESTATÍSTICA – IBGE – June/2010 – September/2010 Belo Horizonte, Minas Gerais, Brasil

### *Poll manager in National Census*

### Activities / Responsibilities:

- Awareness talks and explanation of the methodology and importance of Census.
- Conduct surveys.

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## Personal skills and competences

English: Proficient User – degree of proficiency TOEFL iBT 89  
Spanish: Proficient User – degree of proficiency DELE – C2 Mastery level  
Portuguese: Native  
Proficient user in Word, Excel, Power Point, Outlook, Internet, Windows.

## Events and seminars

*3<sup>rd</sup> Congress of Colombian Political Science Association* (III Congreso de Ciencia política de la Asociación Colombiana de Ciencia Política – ACCPOL – spanish name). Presentation of the article “Understanding the security cooperation between Brasil and Colombia concerned to drug traficcking”.

*7<sup>th</sup> Latin-American Congress of Political Science* (VII Congreso de la Asociación Latinoamericana de Ciencia Política – ALACIP – spanish name).

*8<sup>th</sup> Euro-American Campus On Cultural Cooperation* (VIII Campus Euroamericano de Cooperación Cultural – spanish name); organized by Organization of Ibero-American States for the Education, Science and Culture (OEI), Spanish Agency for International Development Cooperation (AECID), InterArts Foundation and Cuenca City Hall; Ecuador; November 28-30, 2012

*Training Workshop for Public and Private Entities of Ecuador on Refuge* (Taller de Capacitación a Entidades Públicas y Privadas de la Region 6 sobre Refugio – spanish name); organized by UNHCR and Ministry of Foreign Affairs Trade and Integration of Ecuador; Cuenca, Ecuador; July 23, 2012

*Seminar “Towards Inclusive, Sustainable and Safer Cities”* (Hacia Ciudades Seguras, Sostenibles e Incluyentes – spanish name); organized by World Bank and Cuenca City Hall; Ecuador; June 14-15, 2012

*14<sup>th</sup> Meeting of Students and Graduates in International Relations of the Southern Cone & 13th National Meeting of Students in International Relations* (XIV CONOSUR & XIII ENERI – Encontro dos Estudantes e Graduados em Relações Internacionais do Cono Sul & Encontro Nacional dos Estudantes de Relações Internacionais – portuguese name); Ribeirão Preto, Brasil; May 14-18, 2008

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## Scholarships and publications

Full scholarship by Colombian Institute for Education and Technical Studies Abroad – ICETEX for a master in Colombia.

### Articles published in academic events:

“El entendimiento de la seguridad en la cooperación bilateral entre Brasil y Colombia para el narcotráfico”. III Congreso ACCPOL 2013.

### Articles published in newspapers:

- El Tiempo, October, 2014: “Elecciones en Brasil: lo mismo de siempre”, at:  
<http://www.eltiempo.com/mundo/latinoamerica/analisis-cei-uniandes-elecciones-en-brasil-lo-mismo-de-siempre/14650595>

- El Colombiano, September, 2014: “Dos damas izquierdistas se disputan el poder en Brasil”, at:  
[http://www.elcolombiano.com/BancoConocimiento/D/dos\\_damas\\_izquierdistas\\_se\\_disputan\\_el\\_poder\\_en\\_n\\_brasil/dos\\_damas\\_izquierdistas\\_se\\_disputan\\_el\\_poder\\_en\\_brasil.asp](http://www.elcolombiano.com/BancoConocimiento/D/dos_damas_izquierdistas_se_disputan_el_poder_en_n_brasil/dos_damas_izquierdistas_se_disputan_el_poder_en_brasil.asp)