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Fields of Study:

Political economy, development economics
Political and economic institutions, labor market
Violence, Latin America (Nicaragua, Central America)

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EDUCATION

2016-2018 **KDI School of Public Policy and Management** | Republic of Korea

Master of Development Policy

2011-2015 **Universidad Centroamericana** | Nicaragua

Bachelor of Science in Applied Economics

Minor: Economic and Territorial Development

Best Student Performance

ACADEMIC PUBLICATIONS

Books

2015 «Ciudadanía y Violencia. Una aproximación a sus múltiples expresiones en Nicaragua,» with Mario Sánchez & Douglas Castro. Managua: Centro de Análisis Socio Cultural.

Published Papers

2016 «Movimientos sociales y acción colectiva en Nicaragua: entre la identidad, autonomía y subordinación,» with Mario Sánchez, Douglas Castro & Jorge Guerra. *Amnis*.

2015 «Has the International Cooperation been Important for Development and Economic Growth? Panel Evidence on Nicaragua and Central America,» with Carol Siero & Sebastián Hernández. *Encuentro*, (102), 52-74.

Works in Progress

«Abortion Ban and Socioeconomic Outcomes: Evidence from Nicaragua.»

«In utero exposure to Civil Conflict: Nicaraguan war and its long-term effects on socioeconomic outcomes.»

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2014-2016 **Centro de Análisis SocioCultural, Universidad Centroamericana** | Nicaragua

Junior Researcher

- Analysed and managed cross-sectional data from the Violence and Citizenship Survey implemented by CASC. Sample selection bias elimination.
- Designed, implemented, analysed and managed qualitative data from focus groups and developed national forums on the current status of violence in Nicaragua.
- Tracked survey on workers' rights in Nicaragua implemented through the program Better Work, in association with the International Labour Organization and Tufts University.

2015 **School of Economics, Universidad Centroamericana** | Nicaragua

Evaluator

- Authored new format of Economics master's program syllabus.

2012-2014 **Aprendo, Multiple Services Cooperative**

Co-Founder, Popular Education Coordinator and Facilitator

- Elaborated strategic and operatives plans for community development.
- Designed and executed participative popular education workshops.
- Implemented literacy campaign at Santa Julia, El Crucero, Nicaragua.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

2017 **KDI School** | Republic of Korea

Teaching Assistant - Master Degree Program

Impact Evaluation Methods

2013-2015 **Universidad Centroamericana** | Nicaragua

Student Assistant - Undergraduate Program: Applied Economics

Macroeconomics, Econometrics, Monetary Economics, Development Economics

HONORS & AWARDS

- 2016–2017** **Dean's List with Distinction, KDI School** | Republic of Korea
Aug–2015 **Korean Government Scholarship Program**
Awarded by the Government of the Republic of Korea to pursue a master's degree (2015–2018).
Universidad Centroamericana | Nicaragua
Awarded by the Applied Economics Department for the highest GPA.
- Oct–2014** **Young Researchers, Universidad Centroamericana** | Nicaragua
1st place obtained with the research «Brechas Salariales de Género: una aproximación a su estudio» with Sebastián Hernández.
- Oct–2013** **Young Researchers, Universidad Centroamericana** | Nicaragua
3rd place obtained with the research «Determinantes del Acceso al Crédito en el Sector Urbano. El Caso de Nicaragua» with Sebastián Hernández.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- 2016** Congreso Centroamericana de Sociología, ACAS | Managua, Nicaragua
2015 VI Jornada Ética. Universidad Centroamericana | Managua, Nicaragua
Congreso Interdisciplinario de Investigación | Managua, Nicaragua. Inaugural Conference
2014 Congreso Centroamericana de Sociología, ACAS | Chiriquí, Panamá
Congreso Interdisciplinario de Investigación | Managua, Nicaragua

COURSES

- 2016** **University of Amsterdam**
Quantitative Methods, online course
- 2014** **Consejo Latinoamericano de Ciencias Sociales, CLACSO**
Producción de desigualdades en América Latina, Workshop on Research Methodology
- University of Copenhagen**
Measuring Causal Effects in the Social Sciences, online course
- University of Michigan**
Questionnaire Design for Social Surveys, online course
- Universiteit Leiden**
Configuring the World: A Critical Political Economy Approach, online course
- Johns Hopkins University**
The Data Scientist's Toolbox, online course
- IE Business School**
Understanding economic policymaking, online course

MEMBERSHIPS

- 2017** *The Ronald Coase Institute*
2013–2015 *Econometric Studies Group, Universidad Centroamericana* | Nicaragua

SKILLS

- Software:** R (Beginner), Stata, E-views, SPSS, RQDA, MaxQDA, NVivo, LaTeX
Language Spanish (native language), English (proficient), French (A2), Korean (TOPIK 4)

REFERENCES

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