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M.Sc.

Federal University of Minas Gerais (Analysis and Modeling of Environmental Systems), Brazil, Belo Horizonte
Mar 2015 - May 2017

Qualifications: B.Sc.
University of Antioquia (Anthropology), Colombia, Medellín
Dec 2005 - Dec 2013

B.Eng

National University of Colombia (Forest Engineering), Colombia, Medellín
Jan 2005 - Jun 2012

Main skills and interest

- Forestry and Land-use; Community and Stakeholder engagement; Complex data analysis
- Emissions Reduction from Deforestation, Degradation, and Agroforestry projects
- Geospatial solutions; Innovative and spatial-explicit modeling scenarios
- Right based approaches, Free, Prior and Informed Consent (FPIC), and Stakeholder Consultation (LSC)

Work experience

Senior Project Coordinator | Forestry & Land Use Projects , South Pole, Colombia (Jun 2017 – Jun 2021)

- Provide support for the development of REDD and ARR projects related to GIS, forestry and community issues (Please see below [Selection of key carbon project](#))
- Develop project proposals, feasibility studies, validation, and verification under VCS and CCB of Verra.
- Support selection of project, a follow-up to stakeholders and due diligence to Brazilian projects.
- Provide technical advice on the project development process, local site visits, and local stakeholders consultations.

GIS | Forestry & Land Use Projects, South Pole, Colombia (Jun 2017 – Jun 2021)

- Developing a GIS and Methodological construction of primary conditions for a jurisdictional approach based on carbon to Caquetá, Colombia.

CURRICULUM VITAE (CV) – – DRAF UNDERDEVELOPMENT

- Developing a spatially explicit modeling and baseline evaluation for a jurisdictional approach on Isangi, Democratic Republic of Congo.

Environmental Analyst, WWF-OIA, Colombia (May 2016 - Dec 2016)

- Building participatory agreements, concepts, and strategies about indigenous territories managements.
- Designing a participatory approach to Land-use planning.
- Develop meeting and inter-ethnic actions to defend indigenous territories and their biodiversity against illegal mining in indigenous territories.
- Facing interlocution and dialogue with national and sub-national institutions and multi-stakeholders.

Specialist: Social and Forestry consultancy, Universidad Nacional de Colombia, Colombia, Colombia (May 2016 - Jul 2016)

- Designing a methodological survey for forest degradation in Colombia based on timber products under Contract 2302831 of 2016 between FAO and the UN to ONUREDD.
- Interviewing local and sub-national institutional groups and focus groups of the forestry sector.
- Compiling information on forest harvesting and timber products associated with forest degradation in Colombia.

Assistant professor, Universidade Federal de Minas Gerais, Brazil (Jul 2015 - Dic 2015)

- Tutoring the learning process to Environmental Engineer. Apply the assessments and others. Topics: History of cartography, Conceptual frameworks, Thematic Cartography and principles of remote sensing applied to monitoring the Earth.

Land Tenure and Land Use Advisor, Indigenous Organization of Antioquia, Colombia (Jul 2013 - Feb 2015)

- Incorporating criteria of environmental regulation into five life plans of indigenous territories.
- Supporting activities in land tenure, land use, and projects of payments for environmental services and right to free, prior and informed consent. Review and organize the GIS database for indigenous community.

Forestry and Anthropologist (Consultancy), Renovatio Group Ltda, Colombia (Sep 2013 - May 2014)

- Developing characterization of the area, and reference region for wind farm project, in terms of physical and biotic components; Evaluating environmental zoning of impacts.
- Setting up content and creating geodatabases.
- Supporting social-environmental operations on wind farm project license
- Advising environmental licenses and government permits regarding to free prior and informed consent

Anthropologist, Community Global Partership CGP.s.a.s, Colombia (Sep 2012 - Feb 2013)

- Designing a methodological and local stakeholders consultation for the REDD+ project Guainía.
- Mapping and characterization of drivers of deforestation, and perspectives of change in indigenous territorio of the department of Guainía.

Selection of key project in REDD+

Project Manager, Serra do Amolar REDD+ Project, Instituto Homem Pantaneiro (Brasil) (Dec 2019 - Jun 2020)

Responsible for developing due diligence, feasibility, validation, and first verification under VCS and CCB of Verra.

Collaborator, ISA Jaguar Fund, Interconexión Eléctrica S.A. E.S.P ISA (Jan 2018 - Dec 2020)

Support selection of project, a follow-up to stakeholders and due diligence to Brazilian projects.

Collaborator, INVEMAR REDD+ Mangroves Project Cispotá-La Balsa-Tinajones, INVEMAR Conservation International (Jan 2019 - Jun 2020)

Support to the development of additionality, ER sections and local stakeholder consultation of PD for VCS+CCBS

Colaborador, Isangi REDD+ Project, Saffoi (Jun 2020 - Jan 2020)

Guidance on Stakeholder Engagement in REDD+ to JNR Strategy and Developed of GIS baseline

Collaborator, Proyecto REDD+ en Cinco AATIs del Gran Resguardo Indígena del Vaupés, South Pole Carbon (Oct 2018 - Oct 2019)

Supporting the development and financing of the feasibility study, project description, estimations, drivers of deforestation and follow up to certification under VERRA.

Collaborator, Analysis of basic conditions for a REDD+ project, The Nature Conservancy (TNC) (Dec 2018 - May 2019)

Supporting the development and model of the proposal; GIS and Methodological construction of basic conditions for a JNR and REDD+ project in Caquetá.

Collaborator, REDD + Atabapo, Living Green Designer Homes (Jun 2018 - Mar 2019)

1) Support activities on PDD development 2) Support site visit to compile information about deforestation driver and causes 3) Methodological designs and local stakeholders consultation. 4) Analyzing historical deforestation; 5) Describe the context of the study area; 6) Mapping of actors present in the project area.

Collaborator, REDD+ project for the conservation of the Swamp of Barbacoas, Fundación Biodiversa (Aug 2018 - Dec 2018)

1) Support activities on PDD development 2) Identify the baseline scenario and demonstrate additionality for carbon certification and Verra Standard registration.

Collaborator, Lake Naivasha Basin Reforestation Project, JB Travel AB (Jun 2017 - Jun 2018)

1) Describing the baseline scenario and demonstrate additionality for carbon certification and Gold Standard registration.

Collaborator, Characterisation of causes and drivers of deforestation, Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit GmbH (GIZ) Colombia (Jul 2017 - Dec 2017)

CURRICULUM VITAE (CV) – – DRAF UNDERDEVELOPMENT

1) identify the area of the study; 2) analyse the deforestation density of the project area; 3) Delimitation of deforestation focus; 4) stratify the information; 5) analyse the historical deforestation; 6) describe the study area context; 7) map actors present in the area of the project.

Selection of key project in Brazil

Project Manager, Serra do Amolar REDD+ Project, Instituto Homem Pantaneiro (Brazil) (Dec 2019 - Jun 2021)

To strengthen the capacities and visions of territorial entities, environmental authorities and ethno-territorial authorities in environmental and mining issues to be considered in the processes of revision and adjustment of the territorial management plans of Tadó, Quibdó, Medio Atrato, Vígia del Fuerte, Bojayá, Murindó and Frontino.

Project Manager, Legado das Aguas REDD+ Project, (Brazil) (Dec 2020 - Jun 2021)

To incorporate criteria of Environmental Ordering of the Territory in 5 plans of life of indigenous communities of the jurisdiction of CORANTIOQUIA. And professional accompaniment of the indigenous communities in topics associated with the land, territory, projects of payment for environmental services and previous consultation.

Collaborator, ISA Jaguar Fund (Brazil) (Jan 2018 - Dec 2020)

Support selection of project, a follow-up to stakeholders and due diligence to Brazilian projec

Additional information

Publications

- Acre
- Hincapié-García, A. 2017. Spatially explicit economic model for unlocking sustainable forest management in a frontier of Colombian Amazon. Dissertação cadastrada: IGC-Mestrado em Analise Modelagem de Sistemas Ambientais de Universidade Federal Minas Gerais. 69 Páginas.
- Hincapié-García, 2013. Cambio social y tendencias futuras en uso de la tierra, bajo el enfoque de servicios de ecosistémicos. Una propuesta para el diagnóstico y diseño de PES en el contexto indígena (con estudio de caso en resguardos indígenas - Departamento del Guainía). Thesis Anthropologist. Universidad de Antioquia. pp. 145.

