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Education (degrees)

Master. Political Science. University of Lethbridge. 2018 – at present. Studies in progress.

Master. Political Science. Catholic University of Peru. Thesis: Democratic Institutions and Economy: An Approach to the Effects of the Electoral Cycle, Peru 1980-2010. (The thesis won the 2nd Place in the National Graduate Thesis Contest - 2012, organized by the National Committee of Universities' Presidents). Graduation's year: 2011.

Licentiate. Sociology. National University of San Marcos. Peru. Dissertation title: The Pentecostals and the Peasant Movement in Cerro de Pasco (1958-1962). Graduation's year: 2003

Bachelor of Arts. Social Sciences, Major in Sociology. National University of San Marcos. Peru. Graduated with the highest GPA of the class 1996-2000. Graduation's year: 2000

Academic Positions

- **Teaching Assistant. Department of Political Science.** *University of Lethbridge.* 8/2018 – at present
- **Assistant Professor. Department of Humanities, Department of Engineer and Architecture and Department of General Studies.** *University of Lima.* 8/2013 – 8/2018
- **Part-time Professor. Department of Arts.** *Saint Ignatius of Loyola University.* 8/2015 – 12/2016
- **Teaching Assistant. Department of General Studies. Political Science Section.** *Catholic University of Peru.* 8/2011 – 12/2011
- **Teaching Assistant. Social Sciences Faculty.** *National University of San Marcos.* 7/2006 – 11/2006

Publications

Academic Articles

- «¿Quememos las urnas por una elección justa! Violencia electoral y regalías mineras en las elecciones municipales peruanas». In: **Elecciones**. Vol. 17, Nro. 18. Lima, ONPE. [Burn the Ballot Box for a Fair Election: Electoral Violence, Mineral Royalties, and National Oversight in Peruvian Municipal Elections] 2018
- «La democracia peruana según las Elecciones Generales 2016: límites y desafíos del diseño institucional». In: **Elecciones**. Vol. 15, Nro. 16. Lima, ONPE. [Peruvian Democracy According To the Electoral Process 2016: Challenges and Limitations of Institutional Framework]. 2016
- «Un esbozo histórico interpretativo sobre la construcción de la identidad social de los protestantes en el Perú». En: **Socialismo y Participación**. Lima, CEDEP, N.º 100. [A Historical Interpretive Sketch on the Construction of the Social Identity of Protestants in Peru]. 2006

- «Los pentecostales y la toma de tierras en Cerro de Pasco (1958-1962)». 2002
En: **Socialismo y participación**. Lima, CEDEP, N.º 94. [*Pentecostals and the Taking of Lands in Cerro de Pasco (1958-1962)*].

Book Chapters

- «Evangélicos y elecciones en el Perú (1979-2006)». En: Fernando Armas y otros (ed.). **Religión y poder en el Perú republicano**. Lima: Instituto Riva-Agüero – PUCP, pp. 385-410. [*Elections and Evangelicals in Peru (1979-2006)*]. 2008

Working Papers (as coauthor)

- Conflictos y violencia electoral en el ámbito sub-nacional. Análisis de los hechos registrados en los procesos electorales de 2010 y 2011. Lima: ONPE. [*Conflicts and Electoral Violence at the Subnational Level. Analysis of the Facts Registered in the Electoral Processes of 2010 and 2011*]. 2013
- Actas electorales observadas en las Elecciones Generales: análisis de sus escenarios y actores. Lima: ONPE. [*Electoral Records Observed in the General Elections: Analysis of their Scenarios and Actors*]. 2012
- Percepciones sobre la gestión electoral en el Perú. Un análisis de las Elecciones Generales 2011. Lima: ONPE. [*The Electoral Abstentionism of the Poll Clerks in Peru (2006-2011)*]. 2011
- Miembros de mesa omisos. Una aproximación a sus características y causas (2006-2011). Lima: ONPE. [*Perceptions About Electoral Management in Peru. An Analysis of the General Elections 2011*]. 2011
- Conflictos electorales en el ámbito local. Estudio de las acciones violentas y elaboración de un mapa nacional. Lima: ONPE. [*Electoral Conflicts at the Sub-National Level: An Analysis of Violent Actions and the Elaboration of a National Map*]. 2010
- Competencia electoral en el ámbito provincial. Escenarios y tácticas de oferta política durante las Elecciones Regionales y Municipales. Lima: ONPE. [*Electoral Competition at the Provincial Level. Scenarios and Tactics of the Political Offer during the Regional and Municipal Elections*]. 2010
- Revocatorias y Nuevas Elecciones Municipales en el Perú. Lima: ONPE. [*Local Recalls and New Municipal Elections in Peru*]. 2010

Scholarships, Grants and Awards

- **SGS Dean's Scholarship** given by University of Lethbridge (School of Graduated Studies) to study the MA in Political Science. (From August 2018 so far).
- **SGS Tuition Scholarship** given by University of Lethbridge (School of Graduated Studies) to study the MA in Political Science. (From August 2018 so far).
- **Travel grant given** by the Institute of Political Science of the Catholic University of Chile to attend the Seventh Congress of the Latin-American Association of Political Science. Bogota. Colombia (July 20-26th, 2013).
- **Partial scholarship** given by the Institute of Political Science of the Catholic University of Chile to participate in the Summer School of Mixed Methods. Santiago de Chile. Chile. (January 7-12th, 2013).
- **2nd Place**, National Graduate Thesis Contest organized by the National Committee of Universities' Presidents (2012).

- **Travel grant** given by The Latin American Studies Association to attend its XXV International Congress. Las Vegas, Nevada, United States of America (October 6-8th, 2004).
- **First place.** Class 1996-2000. Social Sciences Faculty, Department of Sociology, Universidad Nacional Mayor de San Marcos (GPA 3.5 /4, according with the equivalency provided by the World Education Services).

Skills

Languages

- **English** (6.5- IELTS) •• **Portuguese** (Upper Intermediate - CELPE-Bras) •• **Spanish** (Native ability).

Statistical Software

- **STATA** (Intermediate Level) •• **SPSS** (Basic Level) •• **R** (Basic Level).

Manuscript Reviewer

- *Revista Andina de Estudios Políticos* •• *Revista Elecciones* •• *Fondo Editorial – Universidad Nacional Mayor de San Marcos.*

Professional Experience as Researcher

- **Specialist in Studies and Research.** National Directorate of Strategic Studies and Prospective. **The National Centre of Strategic Planning. Presidency of the Council of Ministers.** Peru. 6/2014 – 12/2014
- **Specialist in Studies and Research.** National Directorate of Civic Training and Education. **National Electoral Court.** Peru. 6/2013 – 10/2013
- **Specialist in Electoral Studies.** Department of Electoral Research and Information. **National Office of Electoral Processes.** Peru. 9/2012 – 6/2013
- **Research.** Department of Electoral Research and Information. **National Office of Electoral Processes.** Peru. 9/2010 – 9/2012
- **Research Assistant.** Department of Electoral Research and Information. **National Office of Electoral Processes.** Peru. 10/2009 – 8/2010
- **Intern.** Research Group of Protestantism and Religious Movements and Institutions. **Methodist University of San Pablo.** Brazil. 3/2004 – 12/2004
- **Research Assistant.** Department of Studies and Proposals. **Center of Studies for the Development and Participation.** Peru. 3/2002 – 11/2002

Conference Presentations

- **XVIII Anthropological Meeting.** Federico Villarreal National University, Lima, Peru. September 20-22th, 2017
- **75th Annual Conference of the Midwest Political Science Association,** Palmer House Hilton, Chicago, Illinois, United States of America (with Anthony Pezzola, non-presenting). April 6-9th, 2017

- **Symposium Political Culture and Elections in Peru: The Importance of the Religious Factor in the Politics Peruvian**, University of the Pacific, Lima, Peru. May 19-20th, 2016
- **XXXIII International Congress of the Latin American Studies Association**, Caribe Hilton Hotel, San Juan, Puerto Rico, United States of America. May 27-30th, 2015
- **Seventh Congress of the Latin-American Association of Political Science**, The University of the Andes, Bogota, Colombia. September 25-29th, 2013
- **International Symposium: «Religion, Power and Republic»**, Riva-Agüero Institute, Catholic University of Peru, Lima, Peru. August 24-26th, 2006

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