

# Carlos Ibárcena

MSC, COMUNICACION AND TRANSPORTATION ENGINEER

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## Education

### Northeast Forestry University

PhD in Transportation Engineering (Expected to be completed Jun 2026)

- *Line of research:* Developing secure systems for autonomous vehicles
- *Supervisor:* Prof.

Harbin, China

September 2022 - Currently

### Harbin Institute of Technology

MSC in Communication and transportation engineering

- *Thesis title:* Traffic signs detection model against physical adversarial attacks
- *Supervisor:* Prof. Dr. Cheng Shaowu

Harbin, China

Sep. 2020 - Apr. 2022

### Catholic University of Saint Mary

BA in Civil Engineering

- *Thesis title:* Traffic signs detection model against physical adversarial attacks
- *Supervisor:* Prof. Olger Javier Febres Rosado

Arequipa, Peru

Mar. 2007 - Jan. 2012

## Projects and experience

### UrbanVista: AI-Powered Synthesis of Imaginary Streets (Expected to be finished Jan 2024)

- The endeavor is grounded in the utilization of a **traffic simulator** to generate annotated street images. These annotated images subsequently undergo conversion into a **computer vision** YOLO object detection model.
- The project uses several **texts to image models**, finetuned for realistic streets.
- The computational process is done in a cloud server, that is shown by a friendly **graphic interface to the user**.

### A single RGB Camera-Based project for Preventing "Dooring" Incidents (Expected to be finished Oct 2023)

- The project uses computer vision models: **Object detection and depth estimator**.
- The project allows the final user to use it in a vehicle using **edge computing** and a **graphic interface** in a mobile phone.
- The project seeks to increase **vehicle safety** and can be deployed on commercial vehicles.

### Assistant: An AI virtual teacher application to auto-learn languages (2022)

- Using AI technologies like **Whisper and Coqui** for voice-to-text and text-to-voice transformations.
- The project's focus is on language learning through voice interactions and **sentence similarity** to quantify the progress.
- It also hints at the project's multiple technological components, which include **docker, cloud computing, cloudflared, Anaconda (Python), and user interfaces via Gradio, Streamlit, and Telegram bot API**.
- <https://github.com/procrastinando/Assistant>

### Traffic signs detection model against physical adversarial attacks (2022)

- Implemented advanced **computer vision** techniques, specifically utilizing YOLO (You Only Look Once), to enhance the mean average precision of a traffic sign detection model.
- The **python-based** project aimed to improve the model's effectiveness in recognizing signs despite potential **adversarial attacks** or environmental variations.

### Health Infrastructure Development and Maintenance: Consulting Engineer (2017)

- Part of the contract **selection committee in private companies** with the government of Peru. Canteen design in prefabricated material for the workers. Maintenance of facilities. Maintenance of building structures.

### Transportation Engineering and Infrastructure Development: Consulting Experience (2017)

- Highway Design and Management (100km Highway): **Managed a specialized project team** for the design of a 100km highway. Supervised in-situ construction activities. Led the development of geometric design, hydraulic reports, and structural reports. Use of **AutoCAD Civil 3D** to develop the project.
- Andes Irrigation Channel Project: Took on a pivotal role in designing an irrigation channel project in the Andes of Peru. **Conducted topographic surveys** and identified project requirements. Oversaw the application process for construction tenders.
- Craft Pier Design (Atico City): **Managed a team of specialists** for the design of a craft pier project in Atico City along the Peruvian coast. Facilitated personnel hiring and report preparation for the construction tender. Collaborated with the provincial government. Structural Maintenance and Budgeting

### Mining Pipeline and Road Maintenance Engineer (2014)

- **Supervisor Engineer** oversaw maintenance of mining pipelines and roads at Altamina mine, including a steel pipeline during stoppage.
- **Aided in construction projects:** a student building at Universidad Andina Nestor Caceres Velasquez and assisted in road maintenance at the Provincial Municipality of Arequipa.

## Skills

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<b>Programming</b>	Python, Bash
<b>OS and Software</b>	Linux, Windows, AutoCAD, Civil 3D, Microsoft 365
<b>Technology Expertise</b>	Machine learning, Cloud Computing, Edge Computing, Containers
<b>Multilingual Proficiency</b>	Spanish (native), English (fluent), Chinese (intermediate)