# **Valentina Castro**

valentina.castro@email.com | +770-618-9346 | La Paz, Bolivia

### PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Accomplished Portfolio Manager with 17 years of progressive experience in Finance. Demonstrated expertise in Private Equity, Venture Capital, Due Diligence with a strong track record of driving innovation and delivering measurable business results.

## **CORE COMPETENCIES**

Private Equity

Venture Capital

Due Diligence

Portfolio Management

#### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

#### Portfolio Manager | Capital Ventures

2016 - Present | La Paz, Bolivia

- Spearheaded finance initiatives that delivered 39% improvement in operational efficiency
- Led cross-functional teams of 11 professionals across multiple high-impact projects
- Architected and implemented Private Equity solutions resulting in \$499K annual cost savings
- Established best practices and mentored 3 team members, improving overall team productivity by 29%

#### Portfolio Manager | American Express

2013 - 2016

- Developed and maintained venture capital applications serving 35K+ users
- Collaborated with product and design teams to deliver 6 major feature releases
- Optimized system performance resulting in 31% reduction in response time

## **EDUCATION**

# **Master of Management**

Cornell University | 2004

#### **Bachelor of Science in Statistics**

Cornell University | 2002