

CURRICULUM VITAE



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PROFESSIONAL OBJECTIVE

Performance in design, creation and direction of environmental and sustainable development (SDG) projects and programs.

MAIN AREAS OF EXPERTISE

Programs/Projects design and management/coordination.	Policies of mitigation and adaptation to climate change.
Strategic planning.	Sustainable development goals (SDG).
Results-based management.	Fundraising.
Institutional management.	Green taxation.
Events coordination/facilitation.	Sustainable finance.

GREATERS PROFESSIONAL ACHIEVEMENTS

1. Idea, creation, start-up and coordination of the provincial program "Municipalities of Corrientes towards Sustainable Development -Munired- (platform based on ICTs that provide a tool's box to 76 municipalities) taken as a model of innovation in Argentinian public management (Province of Corrientes's Government).
2. Start-up of an environmental & climate change research and studies institute with more than 45 members and offices in 4 Spanish cities (CEU Institute of Environmental Studies -IDEA-).
3. Creation and coordination of two multidisciplinary succeed teams of environmental and sustainability consultants (Apostillas Ambientales. Sustainability Consultancy & Eco Ideas Servicios y Gestión. Environmental Consultancy).

LABOR HISTORY (SINCE 1998)

POSITION PLACE & DATE	FUNCTION ENTERPRISE/INSTITUTION
Sustainability consultant. <i>Argentina - Spain, May 2010 - present.</i>	– Projects creation, design and management/coordination Consultancy/advising Green communication management Formation Events coordination/facilitation Procurement. – Independent.
Projects and programs coordinator Sustainability Policies advisor.	– Creation, design and management of sustainable developments projects and programs Policy advisory Results-based management & strategic planning advisory capacity building Procurement.

<p><i>Corrientes City, Argentina, March 2014 – March 2018.</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Ministry of Coordination and Planning of the Government of the Province of Corrientes.
<p>Project coordinator. <i>Pto. Iguazu, Argentina; August 2012 – November 2013.</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Coordination of Payments for Environmental Services (PES) projects (freshwater, carbon, biodiversity). – Argentinian Wildlife Foundation (WWF associated).
<p>Senior researcher Coordinator. <i>Valencia City/Madrid, Spain, May 2008 – July 2013.</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Researches in climate change taxation Execution and coordination of the project “International Network of Investigation and Studies on Taxation and Climate Change” – Endesa chair of climate change taxation.
<p>Manager. <i>Valencia City/Alicante, Barcelona, Madrid, Spain; May 2008 – December 2010.</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – General and office coordination Institutional representation Internal and external communications Administration and budgeting Fundraising Events/workshops/meetings coordinator Foreign visitor’s assistance Procurement Coordination and management of webpages and social networks – CEU Institute of Environmental Studies (IDEA).
<p>Tax advisor. <i>Buenos Aires City, Argentina, January 2007 April 2008.</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Corporate taxation advises. – Accounting & Law firm Della Rocca, Piazza & Almarza /Law Firm Linares Luque & Asociados.
<p>Associate Dean Director of branches. <i>Buenos Aires City, Argentina; January 2006 – June 2007.</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – General and office coordination Head of Department Institutional representation Internal and external communications Events/workshops/meetings coordinator Foreign visitor’s assistance Students and professor’s assistance Procurement Country offices supervision. – Business and Social Sciences University.
<p>PhD student/Junior researcher. <i>Santiago de Compostela, Spain, January 2001 – November 2003.</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Research on taxation of illegal acts (environmental taxation included). – University of Santiago de Compostela.
<p>Executive Director Academic secretary Programs Coordinator. <i>Buenos Aires City, Argentina; March 1998 – December 2000 / December 2003 – December 2005.</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – General and office coordination Head of area Institutional representation Internal and external communications Events/workshops/meetings coordinator Coordinator for working groups of the postgraduate courses Recruiting of staff and selection of postgraduate degrees’ applicants Procurement Foreign visitors’ assistance. Advertising and marketing Commercialization Teaching. – Austral University.

HIGHLIGHTS PROJECTS

1. Argentinian Network of Private Natural Reserves (RARNAP), “**Identification of economic incentives for private conservation in Argentina**” (Coordination – writing).
Buenos Aires, September 2019 – current.
2. OSDE Foundation, “**Corporate Sustainability**” (Training).
Sn. Fdo. del Valle de Catamarca, Argentina, August 2019.
3. Catamarca Bar Association, “**The role of the lawyer in sustainability**” (Training).
Sn. Fdo. del Valle de Catamarca, Argentina, August 2019.
4. Secretary of Environment and Sustainable Development of the Government of the Province of Catamarca, “**Sustainability and regional development**” (Training).
Sn. Fdo. del Valle de Catamarca, Argentina, agosto de 2019.
5. Qbox SA. Soluciones de logística internacional: “**Business sustainability plan**” (Design and writing).

Buenos Province, Argentina, November 2018 – present.

6. International Fund for Agricultural Development (IFAD): “**Medium term review of the Program on national strategic opportunities based on results for Argentina**” (Workshop facilitation| Evaluation & report).
Buenos Aires City, Argentina, May 2019.
7. La Eurindia S.A.: “**Environmental impact assessment for Feedlot livestock project**” -approved by the jurisdictional body- (Coordination).
Paso de Los Libres, Argentina, January- May 2019.
8. Provincial Institute of Lotteries and Casinos of the Province of Misiones: “**Campaign to reduce the use of single-use plastic: Cazadores de capitas**” (Coordination).
Posadas, Argentina, January – March 2019.
9. Municipality of Paso de Los Libres: “**Environmental impact assessment for pedestrian street urban project -approved by the jurisdictional body-**” (Coordination).
Paso de Los Libres, Argentina, January – March 2019.
10. Huellas Para Un Futuro Foundation: “**Kaagui Pora. Aponapó Wildlife reserve**” (Project design and fundraising advisor).
El Soberbio, Argentina, 2013 - present.
11. Grupo de Manejo Forestal Latinoamericana S.A.: “**Concept Note for private forest carbon project**”. (Design and writing).
Buenos Aires, Argentina, July 2018 – October 2018.
12. Premios Latino America Verde: “**The best 500 environmental projects of Latin America** (Projects evaluator).
Quito, Ecuador (distance), 2018 – 2019.
13. United Nation Environmental Programme (UNEP): “**Concept Note for Financial instruments for forest conservation in Argentina: project to be presented to the Green Climate Fund -GCF-**” (Design and writing).
Buenos Aires City, Argentina, October 2017 - March 2018.
14. Apostillas Ambientales. Sustainability consultancy: “**Apostillas Ambientales. Sustainability consulting Project**” (Design | Coordination | Supervision).
Corrientes City, Argentina, 2016- present.
15. Government of the Province of Corrientes: “**Project control board for the Governance of the Corrientes Province**” (Coordination).
Corrientes City, Argentina, 2017 – March 2018.
16. Government of the Province of Corrientes: “**Provincial solid waste management plan of the Province of Corrientes**” (Coordination).
Corrientes City, Argentina, 2017 – March 2018.
17. Government of the Province of Corrientes: “**Medium and long-term strategic planning aimed at achieving the Sustainable Development Goals for the Government of Corrientes** (Plan’s design | Coordination).
Corrientes City, Argentina, 2017.
18. Government of the Province of Corrientes: “**Capacity building staff’s program**” (Idea and coordination).
Corrientes, 2016-2017
19. Government of the Province of Corrientes: “**Program of reduction, reuse and recycling of paper and plastic in offices of the Ministry of Coordination and Planning**”. (Idea, design, implementation and coordination).
Corrientes, 2016-2017.
20. Austral University: “**Ibero-American Forum on Taxation of Climate Change and Renewable Energies**” (Idea, conception and coordination of the project).
Buenos Aires City, Argentina, 2016-2017.

21. Government of the Province of Corrientes.: **“Municipalities of Corrientes Province towards sustainable development Provincial Programme -Munired-“** (Idea, conception and management of the project).
Corrientes City, Argentina, 2014 - 2017.
22. Argentina ONU REDD: **“Elements for the Design of a Financial structure for REDD + in Argentina”** (Design and writing).
Buenos Aires City, Argentina, 2015- 2016.
23. Instituto Nacional de Tecnología Agropecuaria (INTA): **“Incentives for the conservation of ecosystem services of global importance”** (Design and writing of the procedures manual).
Iguazu, Argentina, 2015-2016.
24. Oxford University Press: **“Climate Change Communication in Argentina (Chapter for the book Oxford Research Encyclopaedia of Climate Science)”** (Research | Writing |Interviews with actors | Coordination).
Argentina, 2015 – 2016.
25. Vida Silvestre Argentina Foundation (WWF associated): **“Adaptation based on ecosystems to reduce vulnerability to climate change in transboundary basins (Argentina-Brazil) in the Atlantic Forest of Alto Paraná to be presented to the European Union call Aid Water Climate LAC”** (Coordination and writing of the Project).
Iguazu, Argentina, 2014.
26. Vida Silvestre Argentina Foundation (WWF associated): **“Creation of a food agro-production basin under the concept of a collective brand to conserve the environmental services -selected project to be founded for UNDP- “**(Design, coordination and writing of the project).
Iguazú, Argentina, 2013.
27. Vida Silvestre Argentina Foundation (WWF associated): **“Fundraising plan for Payment Ecosystem Services projects in the Atlantic Forest”** (Design and writing).
Iguazú, Argentina, 2013.
28. Vida Silvestre Argentina Foundation (WWF associated). **Payment Ecosystem Services projects in the Atlantic Forest** (Coordination of the project implementation).
Iguazú, Argentina, August 2012 –November 2013.
29. Vida Silvestre Argentina Foundation (WWF associated). **“7th Edition of the Water Project Competition organized by Coca Cola, Vida Silvestre Argentina Foundation and the Government of Argentina”** (Projects evaluation).
Iguazú, Argentina, 2013.
30. Eco Ideas, Servicios y gestión. Environmental Consultancy. **“Eco Ideas, Servicios y gestión. Environmental Consultancy Project”** (Design | Coordination | Supervision).
Posadas, Argentina, 2013 -2014.
31. Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD): **“Effective carbon prices in Spain”** (Coordination | Writing):
Paris, France - Madrid, Spain, 11/2011 – 07/ 2012.
32. *Endesa chair of climate change taxation.* **“International Research and Studies Network on Taxation and Climate Change”** (Creation and coordination of the project).
Valencia City/Madrid, Spain, 12/2010 – 08/2012.
33. CEU Cardenal Herrera University: **“Exploria: CEU Sustainability Campus”** (Member of the work team).
Valencia City, Spain, 2011.
34. CEU Institute of Environmental Studies: **“Climate Kic: Pioneer into practice programme”** (Pioneer participant: with the Project: Low carbon cities. Fulfilment of the Covenant of Mayors)
European Union (several places), 2010 - 2011.
35. CEU Institute of Environmental Studies: **“Evaluation of local climate change projects for the National Congress of the Environment –CONAMA- “**(Project evaluation).
Valencia City – Madrid, 2010.

36. CEU Institute of Environmental Studies: **“Reports to donors -fundraising-”** (Coordination Writing).
Valencia City, Spain; 2008 – 2010.
37. CEU Institute of Environmental Studies: **“Environmental Digital library”** (Coordination).
Valencia City, Spain; 2008 – 2010.
38. CEU Institute of Environmental Studies: **“General Fundraising programme”** (Coordination).
Valencia City, Spain, 2009 - 2010.
39. CEU Institute of Environmental Studies: **“Cycle of national and international talks, and conferences to raise awareness about climate change of the Municipality of the Valencia City”** (Coordination).
Valencia City, Spain, 2009 - 2010.
40. CEU Institute of Environmental Studies (IDEA): **“Communication and marketing plan of the IDEA”** (Coordination).
Valencia City, Spain, 2008-2009.

STUDIES: DEGREES

Ph.D in Law (Extraordinary doctorate award).

Universidad de Santiago de Compostela. Santiago de Compostela, Spain, 2003.

Master’s degree in Design and Project Management.

Universidad Europea del Atlántico. Buenos Aires City, Argentina, 2018.

Specialist´s degree in environmental consulting.

Universidad Europea Miguel de Cervantes. Barcelona, Spain – Buenos Aires, Argentina, 2013.

Specialist´s degree in Tax Law.

Universidad Nacional del Litoral, Santa Fe, Argentina. Santa Fe City, Argentina, 1996.

Degree in law.

Universidad Nacional del Nordeste. Corrientes City, Argentina, 1993.

Expert´s degree on legal issues of climate change.

International Development Law Organization. Rome, Italy, 2011.

Technician´s degree in environmental Law.

Escuela Europea de Dirección y Empresa. Madrid, Spain, 2011.

STUDIES: HIGHLIGHTS COURSES

BSAFE. United Nations Department of Safety and Security. On line, 2019.

Introduction to sustainable finance, UN CC:Learn, 2019.

Leadership skills and teambuilding training. Gobierno de Corrientes. Corrientes City, Argentina, 2017.

Basic security in the field II. United Nations Department of Safety and Security. On line, 2017.

Advanced security in the field. United Nations Department of Safety and Security. On line, 2017.

Training workshop in climate action. City Climate Planer. Certificate Programme – World Bank – Curb Tool. Buenos Aires City, Argentina 2017.

Statistics and indicators of regional development. Ilpes – CEPAL. Buenos Aires City, Argentina, 2014.

Management of environmental project and preparation of tenders. Instituto Superior de Medio Ambiente. Madrid, Spain, 2014.

Preparation of projects for international fundraising. Red Argentina de Cooperación Internacional (RACI). Posadas, Argentina, 2013.

MAPS facilitator training course (climate change) (international scholarship). Mitigation and Actions Plans & Scenarios (MAPS) and LEDS Global Partnership. Santiago de Chile, 2013.

Projects coordination. TEA CEGOS. Madrid, Spain, 2012.

Voluntary carbon market for enterprises and entities. ECODES. Madrid, Spain, 2012.

Renewable energies law and taxation. Universidad de Alcalá. Alcalá de Henares, Spain, 2012.

Climate KIC: Pioneers into practice programme (Personal Project: Low carbon cities. Fulfilment of the Covenant of Mayors). Climate KIC. European Union: several places, 2010 – 2011.

OTHER INFORMATION

THEME	DETAILS
Languages:	Spanish (native) English (professional competence) Portuguese (basic).
Computting:	Windows utilities (full office) Excellent management of social networks and blogs.
Publications	Author of 1 book and more than 20 articles on taxation, environmental taxation, ecosystem services, etcetera.
Voluntary experiences:	Huellas Para un Futuro Foundation Planeta Tierra Foundation Intermón Oxfam Spain WWF Spain Caritas Argentina.
References:	On request

Corrientes City, Argentina, September 2019.