

CURRICULUM VITAE



A. Personal Data:

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Areas of specialisation: **International Politics**, Geopolitics and International Conflicts, Military Strategy, International Security, Studies on Central America, Latin America, Europe, Middle East, Transnational Organised Crime (TOC),

B. University Degrees

BA International Relations, Universidad Nacional, Heredia, Costa Rica (1995)

Undergraduate Degree, International Relations with a specialisation in International Politics, Universidad Nacional, Heredia, Costa Rica (1997)

MA International Relations and Diplomacy with a specialisation in European Studies and Integration, Universidad Nacional, Heredia, Costa Rica (1999)

PhD Latin American Studies, Universidad Nacional, Heredia, Costa Rica (2010)

B.1. Other Specialisations

b.1.1. Abroad

2002: ***“Opinion makers in conflict areas”*** Israel, Ministry of External Affairs, International Institute HISTADRUT, Tel—Aviv, Israel.

2004: ***“Economic and Political Development in Taiwan”***, Fu Hsing-kan, Taipei. Taiwán.

2006: ***“Strategies and Policies of Defence”***, Center for Hemisphere Defense Studies, National Defense University, Washington, D.C., US.

2008: ***“US Military Support to Civil Authorities in Latin America,”*** Center for Hemisphere Defense Studies, National Defense University, Washington

2008: ***“Terrorism and Counter Insurgency”*** Center for Hemisphere Defense Studies, at National Defense University, Washington, D.C, US.

2009: ***“Inter Institutional Coordination against Terrorism”*** Center for Hemisphere Defense Studies, National Defense University, US.

2011: ***“Civil-Political-Military Relations and Democratic Leadership in Latin America”***., Center for Hemisphere and Defense Studies, National Defense University, Washington, D.C, US.

2013: ***“Intelligence Analysis” Centre for the Study of Intelligence and Security (CISEN)***, México, and Directorate of Intelligence and Security(DIS) Gobierno de la República de México.

2014: “International Law and International Relations” Universidad Complutense, Madrid, with CESEDEN, Spain.

2014: Participation in the ***World Congress on Middle East Studies (WOCMES)***, Ankara, Turkey.

2015: Participation in the **Regional Seminar on Transnational Threats in Central America**, Center for Hemispheric Studies, National University for Defence, Washington, D.C.

b.1.2. Training academic courses

2007: ***New Teaching and Learning Strategies at University Level, Faculty of Social Sciences and International Relations.***

2004: **University Teaching: Pedagogy and Methodology**, Facultad de Ciencias Sociales, Escuela de Relaciones Internacionales.

2004: **Epistemology of Geography**, Earth and Sea Science, School of Geography.

b.1.3. Seminars, Courses and Conferences

1992: Seminar: ***“The Future of International Cooperation”***. School of International Relations, Universidad Nacional.

1993: Curso de ***“International Political Economy and European-Central American Relations”***.

1993: Seminar: ***“Structural Change and Democracy in Latin America”***. School of International Relations, Universidad Nacional.

1993: Course ***“Environmental Politics and Administration”***. School of International Relations, Universidad Nacional, Costa Rica and University of Oslo, Norway.

1993: Course ***“Ethics and Political in Current Social Context in Costa Rica”***. Department of Philosophy. Universidad Nacional, Costa Rica.

1994: Seminar: ***“Commerce, Agricultura and Environment”***. School of International Relations, Universidad Nacional.

1994: Course ***“The System of the United Nations”***. Faculty of Social Sciences, School of International Relations, Universidad Nacional.

1995: Seminar: ***“Cooperation and Conflict in International Politics”***. School of International Relations, Universidad Nacional.

1997: Seminar: ***“The European Union and Latin America: Commercial Perspectives for the XXI Century”***. Master in International Relations and Diplomacy, School of International Relations, Universidad Nacional.

1998: Course: ***“Consensus and Conflict Resolution in Central America”***, UPEACEP, Costa Rica.

1998: Course: ***“Critical Aspects of International Financial Markets”***. Master in International Relations and Diplomacy, School of international Relations, Universidad Nacional.

1998: Course: ***“Introduction to the Designing of Courses on Conflict Resolutions, Introducción al Diseño de Cursos sobre Resolución Alternativa de Conflictos”***, UPEACE, Costa Rica.

1999: Seminar: **“European and Latin American Integration”**, Master in International Relations and Diplomacy, School of international Relations, Universidad Nacional.

2001: Course: **“International Negotiations”**, Central American Institute of Public Administration, Instituto Centroamericano de Administración Pública (ICAP), San José, Costa Rica.

2009: Observer of **the Hemispheric Model of the American State Organization,(MOEA)**, San Pedro Sula, Honduras.

2011: Course **French Instrumental Intensive I y II**. School of Literature and Linguistics, Universidad Nacional, Heredia, Costa Rica.

2012: Course **Francés Conversacional I y II**. School of Literature and Linguistics, Universidad Nacional, Heredia, Costa Rica.

2013: Participant Meeting of American States Organization on **“Legalization of Drugs in Latin America”**, Washington. D.C. Estados Unidos.

2013-2014: Course **Integrated French**. School of Literature and Linguistics, Universidad Nacional, Costa Rica

2013: Course **“Intelligence Analysis”** Center for Intelligence and National Security (CISEN), México.

2014: **“Course on International Law and International Relations Universidad”**, Complutense de Madrid.

2014: **“World Congress on the Middle East”**, Technical University of the Middle East, (Orta Dogu Teknik Universitesi) Ankara.

2015: **“Regional Seminar on Transnational Threats in Central America”**, Center for Hemispheric Studies, Washington, D.C.

2016. **“Regional Seminar on Transnational Threats in Central America”**, Center for Hemispheric Studies, Washington, D.C., thought in Costa Rica.

2016. **“Latin American Interdisciplinary Course on Human Rights, Interamerican Institute of Human Rights, (IIDH)**, September, 2016.

2016: **“Legalisation of Drugs in Latin America”**, Tribunal for Indigenous Populations in Colombia, Nariño, Colombia

2017: Visiting Scholar, International University of Erbil, Kurdistan, April, 2017.

2017: Observador electoral internacional, invited by the Kurdish Electoral Institute for the Independence Referendum held on September 25, 2017.

2017: Training on “Political-Civil-Military Relations”, Secretariat of National Defence (SEDENA), Mexico City.

C. Languages

1. English.
2. French. Working knowledge written and spoken
3. Spanish. Native

D. Working and Academic Experience:

1992 – 1994: Professor MA in International Relations and Diplomacy, School of International Relations, Universidad Nacional.

1995-2015: Professor School of International Relations, Universidad Nacional, Heredia, Costa Rica.

2002-2003: Invited Professor, School of Political Sciences, *University of Costa Rica*.

2002-2008: Professor MA *International Relations and Geo-strategy and International Politics Geo-strategy*, Universidad Nacional, Heredia, Costa Rica.

2002-2004: Coordinator of the *Journal of International Relations*, School of International Relations, Universidad Nacional.

2002-2008: Professor *University Studies Abroad Consortium (USAC)*, University of Reno, Nevada, and Universidad Nacional de Costa Rica

2012-2015: Professor PhD Latin American Studies, Universidad Nacional.

2014-2016: Professor *PhD Central American Institute for Public Administration, (ICAP)*, Costa Rica.

2002-2009: Professor BA in International Relations Universidad Latina de Costa Rica (ULATINA).

Member of the Chair Ibn Khaldun for Arabic Studies, University of Costa Rica. Regular columnist of *La Nación*, Costa Rica.

ADDITIONAL CONFERENCES

1. ***“ISRAEL AND IRAN: CHALLENGES OF AN UNCERTAIN PEACE***, 30 APRIL 2012, **CLUB UNIÓN**.
2. ***“POLITICAL AND GEO-STRATEGIC CHALLENGES OF A NUCLEAR IRAN”***, 13 NOVIEMBRE 2012 **UNIVERSIDAD NACIONAL**.
3. ***“STRATEGIC PHENOMENA OF INTERNATIONAL TERRORISM,”*** FEBRUARY 2013 **DI-RECCIÓN DE INTELIGENCIA Y SEGURIDAD (DIS)**.
4. ***“THE NATO’S WAR FOR WATER IN LYBIA”***, 19 JUNE 2013, **UNIVERSIDAD NACIONAL**
5. ***“THE GEO-POLITICAL RISKS OF A WAR AGAINST IRAN”***, 21 JUNE 2013, **UNIVERSIDAD NACIONAL**.
6. ***“INTERNATIONAL SECURITY”***, **DIRECTORATE OF INTELLIGENCE AND SECURITY PRESIDENCY OF THE REPUBLIC, COSTA RICA**.
7. PARTICIPANT IN THE ***WORLD CONGRESS ON MIDDLE EAST STUDIES (WOCMES)***, ANKARA, TURKEY, AUGUST 18 - 22 2014.
8. ***“INTERNATIONAL DIMENSIONS OF THE ISLAMIC STATE”***,. CHAIR IBN KHALDÚN FOR ARABIC STUDIES, **UNIVERSIDAD DE COSTA RICA**, 2015.
9. ***“NORMALIZATION OF DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS BETWEEN CUBA AND THE UNITED STATES”***, **UNIVERSIDAD DE COSTA RICA**, 2015.
10. ***“CURRENT CONFLICTS IN THE MIDDLE EAST”***, CHAIR IBN KHALDÚN FOR ARABIC STUDIES, **UNIVERSIDAD DE COSTA RICA**, 2016.