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PROFESSIONAL PROFILE

Visual and social anthropologist, filmmaker and multimedia researcher based in Brussels passionate for telling human and nature-centered stories. Experienced in research and communication strategies on environmental conflicts, emergencies, and development studies. Director, editor and post-producer of audiovisual and multimedia content. Solid argumentative and research capacity for the processing, mediation and socialization of sociocultural information, funding and project management. Extensive experience in field work in rural areas with various NGOs, governmental institutions and universities in South America and Europe.

Languages: Spanish - English – Portuguese - French (conversational).

ACADEMIA

- Erasmus Mundus Scholarship Master of Arts in Documentary Film Direction at Lusófona University Lisbon, SZFE in Budapest and LUCA School of Arts in Brussels from August 2021 to September 2023.
- Andes University Graduated from Anthropology from 2014 to October 2017.
- San Carlos Primary and Secondary School from 2001 to 2013.

LABORAL EXPERIENCE

Position: Freelance photographer and audiovisual producer for institutions, ONG's, enterprises and multilateral organizations for national media, social media and funding.

Date: October 2025

Institution: National Unit for Disaster Risk Management

Position: Photographer and audiovisual producer **Date:** May 2024 – August 2025

Responsibilities:

- Audiovisual and journalistic accompaniment in the processes of attention to natural disaster emergencies.
- Audiovisual creation for national media, social and institutional networks.
- Production and post-production of contents on natural emergencies throughout Colombia.

Institution: Amazon Conservation Team

Position: Social professional and audiovisual producer of the Medio Río Caquetá and Fragua Churumbelos process in Caquetá, Colombia. **Date:** February – December 2020

Responsibilities:

- Accompaniment to Koreguaje, Uitoto, Andoque and Inga indigenous communities in processes of environmental governance, reinforcement in ecological education, environment and territory, in addition to the territorial expansion of the indigenous territories.
- Accompaniment to organizational and inter-institutional political instances within the framework of the Indigenous Public Policy of Caquetá.
- Formulation and design of projects with an ethnic focus, application and development of projects for the indigenous population and monitoring of the implementation of productive chains in the territories.
- Production of audiovisual content for the ethnic population, funders and for the NGO.

Institution: Organization of Iberoamerican States - OEI **Position:** Communication team of the "Colombia Emprende" project of the Ministry of Labor. **Date:** April 2019 – December 2019

Responsibilities:

- Research and characterization of the actors for the formulation of recommendations for public policy in the areas of training, employability and entrepreneurship for victims of armed conflict.
- Design and execution of systematization and research instruments: creation of creative writings, photographic and audiovisual production.

- Coordination and planning with the actors in the field for the survey of case studies.

Institution: Los Andes University – Business administration faculty

Position: Consultant for the project "Mechanisms and private instruments to promote sustainability in value chains in the context of the Andean Forests" carried out in Ecuador and Colombia, for the implementation of sustainability instruments in the agricultural companies in their supply chain. **Date:** February 2019 – April 2019

Responsibilities:

- Research and characterization of the actors of the two countries.
- Coordination and planning with actors in field to design of the typologies for environmental sustainability instruments in value chains of agricultural producers.

Institution: Innsbruck University

Position: Field coordinator for the project of impact evaluation of a public policy for Payment of Environmental Services in the province of Cundinamarca, Colombia. **Date:** October 2018 – December 2018

Responsibilities:

- Design of digital tools to evaluate the impact in the users of a conservation program.
- Coordination and implementation of methodologies with a team in the field.
- Analysis of databases compiled in field work

Institution: CESED - Center for Studies on Safety and Drugs Faculty of Economics Andes University

Position: Research assistant for the project "If not coca, what else? Productive undertakings as an alternative to crops for illicit use in collective territories of the Colombian Pacific" **Date:** September 2017 – March 2018/ June 2018 – September 2018

Responsibilities:

- Review of literature, writing of academic papers and audiovisual realization of the investigative process.
- Construction and application of surveys, workshops and interviews with leaders and people from the communities.
- Analysis of databases compiled in the field work.

Institution: The Human Nature Lab for network science of Yale University

Position: Consultant for the project "Cooperation experiments in Honduras" **Date:** April 2018

Responsibilities:

- Train a group of local people in behavioral economics research methodologies for The Human Nature Lab project.
- Execution of research methodologies in rural communities specifically with peasants and indigenous coffee growers.

Institution : Vice-versa Cine S.A.S.

Position: Researcher in Project Development team. **Date:** January 2017 - May 2017

Responsibilities:

- Researcher for the generation of documentary projects and cultural empowerment in communities
- Application work to public and private calls for obtaining resources for documentary co-production of sociocultural topics with pedagogical focus

Institution: Environmental Defense Fund

Position: Consultant - Research project in the Gulf of Santa Clara and San Felipe in Tijuana Mexico to supply inputs, through "Lab in field" research methodologies, to implement an intervention on illegal fishing in this area.

Date: November 2016 - December 2016

Responsibilities:

- Researcher responsible for the implementation of research methodologies on the productive practices of the area to make a characterization of fishing conditions.
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- Processing and analysis of results, application of surveys and experimental games of an economic and sociocultural nature.

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