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## PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Student of economic development and growth, looking to continue as a researcher in public policy. Strong skill sets in quantitative research and data analysis and visualization (R/RStudio, Stata, Tableau, Eviews) on economic and social themes, with experience studying in the United States, Spain, and Switzerland.

## EDUCATION

### UNIVERSITY OF CARLOS III MADRID

Getafe, Spain

#### MSc Economic Development and Growth

September 2023 - July 2024

- Provisional GPA: 8.77/10.00
- Notable Classes: Econometrics (N), Econometrics Time Series (N), Agriculture and Rural Institutions.
- Thesis Working Title: Regional Inequality, Trade, and Compensation: Incorporating Institutional Design

### IE UNIVERSITY

Segovia & Madrid, Spain

#### BA in International Relations

September 2019 - July 2023

- GPA: 9.21/10.00. Ranked top 5% among graduating class
- Awards: Outstanding Matriculation with Honor (54/240 credits); Best Thesis Project Class 2023;
- Notable Classes: International Political Economy (SMH), International Trade (SMH).
- Thesis: Spatial Inequality, Market Liberalization, and Regional Integration: The Case of Spain
- Research Assistant Fall 2022. Teacher's Assistant Fall 2023 (Labor Economics).

### UNIVERSITY OF ST. GALLEN

St. Gallen, Switzerland

#### Exchange semester

September - December 2022

- Notable Classes: Economic Development: Macro and Micro Perspectives, Economic History, Data Handling: Import, Cleaning, and Visualization, Development Economics.

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

### Consejo Superior de Investigaciones Científicas

Madrid, Spain

#### PhD Student

August 2024 - Present

- Expanding datasets on bilateral physical trade, focusing on major historical empires.
- Skills: Research, Economic History, Environmental Science.

### United States Department of State

Remote

#### Intern, Office of Caribbean Affairs

June 2022 - August 2022

- Researched, drafted and cleared briefing materials regarding social, economic, and political topics.
- Assisted in coordination of ambassadorial nominee preparation for Senate confirmation.
- Skills: Public Document Drafting, Economic Analysis, Public Policy Development and Implementation

### RAIA Think Tank

Remote

#### News and Analysis Intern

June 2021 - August 2021

- Produced 6 long-form articles analyzing the political decision-making processes of global leaders.
- Skills: Public Policy Analysis, International Political Economy, Article Writing.

### Variety Magazine

Remote

#### Freelance Journalist

February 2022 - May 2022

- Researched, drafted, and published 5 articles related to Spanish cinema, including interviews in Spanish.
- Skills: Spanish Language, Article Writing, Article Editing.

## ADDITIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

- **Languages:** English (Native). Spanish (Certified SIELE C1 Speaking, Reading, Writing, B2 Listening). Arabic (A2)
- **Eagle Scout with Troop 379:** Awarded Eagle Scout January 2019.
- **The Stork - Editor in Chief:** Managed a team of 50+ writers, editors, and content creators, providing editorial direction.
- **Outdoor Activities:** Completed self-sufficient 14-day solo thru hike along GR11, Member of Cara Sur UC3M Mountaineering Club