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Social Communicator researching local peace processes in Colombia. He holds a master's degree in Social Ethics and Human Development from Universidad Alberto Hurtado in Santiago, Chile, and is currently enrolled in a combined Master's in Latin American and Caribbean Studies and a Ph.D. in Global and Sociocultural Studies at FIU

WORK EXPERIENCE

COMMUNICATION ASSISTANT
AUG 2022 - JULY 2023

International Catholic Movement for Intellectual and Cultural Affairs (ICMICA-Pax Romana)

Developed internal communication campaigns
Created content for social media
Helped with technical support in webinars

COMMUNICATION SUPPORT AND
PEDAGOGICAL INTERVENTION
AUG 2021 - AUG 2022

Foundation for Reconciliation, Bogotá, Colombia

Create content for social media
Support Communication Strategy for the project "Podemos Ser" with artistic and theater groups

FACILITATOR & COMMUNICATIONS LEAD
FEB 2013 - SEP 2015

Foundation Cedesocial, Barranquilla, Colombia

Planned communication campaigns, conducted research and created newsletter content.
Designed and implemented workshops that promoted sexual-reproductive health in local communities in Wester Colombia.

FIELD RESEARCHER
OCT 2014 - DEC 2014

Observatorio del Caribe Colombiano, Barranquilla

Conducted research for the World Food Programme's 'THRIVE' project systematization

EDUCATION

PH.D. IN GLOBAL AND SOCIO CULTURAL STUDIES
MASTER'S IN LATIN AMERICAN AND CARIBBEAN STUDIES
AUG 2022 - PRESENT

Florida International University

MASTER'S DEGREE IN HUMAN DEVELOPMENT AND SOCIAL ETHICS
SCHOLARSHIP ADVENIAT
MAR 2017 - JUL 2020

Universidad Alberto Hurtado, Santiago, Chile.

Thesis: Local peace experiences in the Caribbean region of Colombia, based on a decolonial approach.

SOCIAL COMMUNICATION
FEB 2011 - JUN 2015

Universidad Nacional Abierta y a Distancia, UNAD

Key modules:

Communication for development,
Communication for social change.

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ACADEMIC PRESENTATIONS

Grassroot peace initiatives in Montes de Maria: Rethinking the dominant narratives of peace in Colombia

Global and Sociocultural Studies - Student Association Conference
Florida Atlantic University
March 2024

Emerging Peace Experiences in Montes de Maria, Colombia

Tri-University Graduate Student Conference
Florida Atlantic University
March 2023.

The Catholic Church in the Colombian Peace Process

Colloquium on international conflict and religious freedom
FIU Religious Studies.
December 2022

PAPER PUBLICATIONS

Oviedo Mercado, J. (2021). Experiencias locales de paz en la comunidad de Libertad: Una crítica hermenéutica decolonial. *Encrucijada Americana*, 13(1), 131,144.
<https://doi.org/10.53689/ea.v13i1.174>

SCHOLARSHIPS

Adveniat Foundation Scholarship for Graduate studies in Chile
2017 - 2019

MEDIA PUBLICATIONS

El monocultivo que está secando los Montes de María y la respuesta de la comunidad

Caplin News
Europa Press
January 2024

La madre de todas las ciencias es la organización

Religión Digital
June 2022

Why I march

Muros Invisibles (Translated by Joshua Collins)
April 2021

Tomar ayahuasca por primera vez

Kairos Educativo - Kaired
March 2021

TEACHING ASSISTANTSHIP JOBS

Help facilitate courses and lessons that promote student learning
Provide grading and feedback
Construct Metadata for historic collection files

Courses:

Political Geography
Religion, Spirituality and Mysticism
Introduction to Latin America and the Caribbean

Digital Assistant

Metadata for the Digital Archive of Religion in Latin America and the Caribbean.