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ESTEFANIA INES GHERRA CASTELLANO

(she/her)

Dedicated professional with extensive experience in data management and strategic analysis for private and government sectors. Specific areas of expertise include demographic analysis and information management in economic, financial, and judicial sectors.

Strong skills in effective problems-solving, strategic organizational thinking, communication and teaching, cooperative and collegial interpersonal connections.

Exceptional academic qualifications, including scholarships and honors.

EDUCATION

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| 2024 | PhD in Demography, Universidad Nacional de Córdoba (UNC) <ul style="list-style-type: none">Thesis topic: Excess Mortality in Argentine Regions. Demographic Analysis by Categories of Prevalent Causes of Death, and Their Relationship with the Social Determinants of Health.Director: PhD. Arriaga, Eduardo EugenioDashboard mortality results link. |
| 2021 | Certification, Data Sciences, Machine Learning, and Applications, Universidad Nacional de Córdoba (UNC). |
| 2013 | Bachelor's Degree (Licenciatura) in Economics, Universidad Nacional de Córdoba (UNC) <ul style="list-style-type: none">Graduated with distinction. |
| 2010 | Academic Exchange Student, Universidade de São Paulo (USP). |

PROGRAMMING AND LANGUAGE SKILLS

- Fluent Spanish and Portuguese (CELPE BRAS Certified); intermediate English; basic Italian and French, and knowledge of German.
- Programming and data analysis in SPSS and R.

GRANTS, AWARDS, AND HONORS

2020 – present

Research Grant to support doctoral research. Sponsored by Consejo Nacional de Investigaciones Científicas y Técnicas de Argentina (CONICET) and UNC.

2021

Full Scholarship to complete the Diplomatura (equivalent to Certification) in Data Sciences, Machine Learning, and Applications. Sponsored by Facultad de Matemática, Astronomía, Física y Computación (FAMAF – UNC)

2013

Highest Distinction, ranked 2nd of 236 students for Licenciatura Degree in Economics, Facultad de Ciencias Económicas (FCE – UNC)

2012

Amartya Sen Award, grant to support community work with homeless adolescents. Sponsored by Ministerio de Economía de Argentina (MECON)

2010

Full scholarship, academic exchange to study in the Faculdade de Economia, Administração, Contabilidade e Atuária, (FEA – USP). Sponsored by Asociación Universidades Grupo Montevideo (AUGM) & Santander Bank

WORK EXPERIENCE

Justice Department, Provincia de Córdoba, Argentina (Court Of Justice)

Type of Business: Public Sector National

Job Title: Consultant. Project Coordinator. Data Analyst

Achievements: - Led a team to generate information for senior management, advising on budgetary and personnel challenges (Human Resources Department, General Administration).
- Contributed to efficient statistical process generation and publication, ensuring transparency with citizens. Generated internal reports for the Supreme Court of Justice (Studies and Projects Department).

Apr 2014-Mar 2020 (leave without pay status)

Universidad Nacional de Córdoba (UNC)

Type of Business: Academia

Job Title: Instructor of Record, Inferential Statistics, Department of Math and Statistics (FCE-UNC)

Achievements: - Practical Classes of Inferential Statistics (60-120 students per semester).
- Recognition from students and leading teachers about my performance.

2nd Sem. 2016-2018, 2021-Present

Banco Julio SA, Córdoba, Argentina

Type of Business: Private Sector

Job Title: Analyst

Achievements: - Managed and analyzed data for compliance with banking regulations.
- Performed analysis and modeling for quality and risk management.

Ago 2011-Nov 2013

Córdoba Stock Exchange Institute of Research, Argentina Economic Research

Type of Business: Private Sector

Job Title: Data Analyst

Achievements: - Summarized weekly events in Argentine foreign trade, industry, investment, energy, innovation, energy sectors.
- Prepared monthly presentations and contributed chapters to the annual edition of 'The Balance of the Argentine Economy' book.

Jan 2008-Dez 2010

OTHER PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Latin American Population Association (ALAP)

NGO

Moderator and Coordinator
Team Member, Data
Professional Network of the
Latin American Population
Association

<https://www.alapop.org/red-proyecciones-y-produccion-de-datos-demograficos-prodatos/>

- Member of committee to plan all activities for this professional group.
- Program moderator for Data Professional Network submissions to the ALAP Conference.
- Workshop Co-Organizer (ALAP PRO DATOS & IBGE). Supported by ALAP; IBGE; CEPAL; UNFPA and SDU.

[Description](#) workshop, and
[Media](#) IBGE news.

Jan 2023 – present

Banco Paulista SA, São Paulo, Brazil.

Private Sector

Paid Internship Analyst

- Financial calculations and projections.

Jul 2010-Dez 2010

AIESEC

International NGO aiesec.org

Volunteer

- Managed a student exchange program.

Jan 2005- Dez 2006