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EDUCATION	University of Notre Dame, Indiana, U.S.A. <i>Ph.D. Political Science, 2009-2015</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Dissertation: "Post-Election Disputes in Democracies: Challenging the Outcome of the Election as a Negotiation Strategy."Committee: Scott Mainwaring (Chair), Michael Coppedge and Guillermo Trejo.  University of Notre Dame, Indiana, U.S.A. <i>M.A. Political Science, 2012</i> Centro de Investigación y Docencia Económicas A. C. (CIDE), Mexico <i>B.A. Political Science and International Relations, 2001-2005</i>	
ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS	University of the Andes, Colombia <i>Postdoctoral Researcher, Department of Political Science, 2015-2017</i> University of California, San Diego <i>Research Fellow, Center for U.S.-Mexican Studies, 2014-2015</i>	
PEER REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS	"Judging Presidential Elections around the World: An Overview." <i>Election Law Journal</i> . (May 2017, ahead of print). doi:10.1089/elj.2016.0373. "Negative Advertisements and Voter Turnout: Evidence from Mexico." <i>Colombia Internacional</i> . (Forthcoming, No. 92, October 2017).	
OTHER PUBLICATIONS	"Disputed Elections in Presidential Democracies: Challenging Electoral Outcomes as a Negotiation Strategy." IDEA/EIP Working Paper Series, 2015-4(12). "Legislative Work in Mexican Congress: LVII, LVIII and LIX legislatures", <i>Review of the Economic Situation of Mexico</i> , Vol. LXXXI, No. 955 (August 2005), pp. 373-377.	
WORK IN PROGRESS	"Disputed Elections in Presidential Democracies: Contexts of Electoral Blackmail." <i>Under review</i> . "Can a Constitutional Court be the Guardian of Democracy? Mexico's Supreme Court of Justice Exercise of Judicial Review on Election Laws." "Rejecting Election Results Now to be Elected in the Future: Evidence From Sub-national Elections in Mexico" "Political Determinants of Independent Electoral Courts in Latin America." (with Juan Carlos Rodríguez-Raga)	
AWARDS	2015 Annual International Institute for Democracy and Electoral Assistance /Electoral Integrity Project award for the best paper on electoral integrity. 2011 Winner of the Essay Competition on Judicial Statistics, Mexico's Supreme Court of Justice.	



SPECIALIZED
TRAINING IN
METHODS

Syracuse University, New York. Institute for Qualitative and Multi-Method Research (IQMR), The Maxwell School of Citizenship and Public Affairs (2013).

University of Michigan, Ann Arbor. Interuniversity Consortium for Political and Social Research (ICPSR, 2011).

Bayesian Statistics, Scaling and Multidimensional Analysis, Introduction to R

Linköping University, Linköping, Sweden (2004)
Time Series Analysis, Generalized Linear Models

GRANTS

Conference Travel Support Fund, EIP/University of Sydney, 2016.

Garza Ph.D. Fellowship, Kellogg Institute for International Studies, 2009-2014

Graduate Research Grant, \$4,500 USD, University of Notre Dame, Kellogg Institute. 2013

Dissertation Year Fellowship, University of Notre Dame, Department of Political Science. 2012-2013

Conference Travel Support Fund, University of Notre Dame, Kellogg Institute. 2011

Notebaert Professional Development Grant, University of Notre Dame, The Graduate School. 2011

Graduate Student Professional Development Award, University of Notre Dame. Institute for Scholarship in the Liberal Arts. 2011

Full tuition scholarship and stipend, University of Notre Dame. The Graduate School. 2009-2014

Thesis with special mention (honors), Centro de Investigación y Docencia Económicas (CIDE), Mexico City. B.A. 2006

Linnaeus-Palme Scholarship, Swedish International Development Cooperation Agency (SIDA). 2004

Academic Excellence Scholarship, Centro de Investigación y Docencia Económicas (CIDE), Mexico City. 2001-2004

"Gabino Barreda" Medal for best GPA on UNAM's High-Schools, Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México (UNAM). 2001

OTHER
EMPLOYMENT

Supreme Court of Justice of the Nation, Mexico

- Advisor to the Chief Justice, 2007- 2009

National Electoral Institute, Mexico

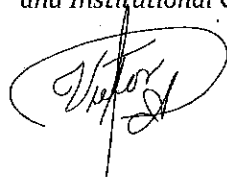
- Advisor to the President of the Institute, 2006-2007

RESEARCH
ASSISTANT

Scott Mainwaring, University of Notre Dame. *Democracies and Dictatorships in Latin America: Emergence, Survival, and Fall* (Cambridge University Press, 2013). 2010-2011

Daniel Brinks, University of Texas, Austin. "The Law's Majestic Equality? The Distributive Impact of Judicializing Social and Economic Rights." *Perspectives on Politics*. 2010

Gabriel Negretto, CIDE, Mexico City. *Making Constitutions: Presidents, Parties, and Institutional Choice in Latin America* (Cambridge University Press, 2013).



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TEACHING
EXPERIENCE

University of the Andes, Colombia
Instructor of graduate level courses

- Elections and Comparative Electoral Systems, Fall 2015
- Institutions and Development in Latin America, Spring 2016
- Graduate Research Seminar, Fall 2016 and Spring 2017
- Democracy and Democratization, Spring 2017

University of Notre Dame
Teaching Assistant

- International Political Economy, Spring 2011
- Irish Politics, Fall 2011
- Comparative Politics, Spring 2012
- American Politics, Fall 2012
- African Politics, Spring 2014

INVITED TALKS

"Can a Constitutional Court Be the Guardian of Democracy? The Use of Judicial Review to Balance the Electoral Arena in Mexico." *Seminario de Política y Gobierno*, División de Estudios Políticos. Centro de Investigación y Docencia Económicas (CIDE), Mexico City, March 19, 2014.

"Disputed Elections in Presidential Democracies: Challenging Electoral Outcomes as a Negotiation Strategy." University of California, San Diego. November 5, 2014.

"Judicial Reform in Mexico." University of California, San Diego. May 18, 2015.

CONFERENCE
PRESENTATIONS

"Rejecting election results now to be elected in the future: evidence from sub-national elections in Mexico."

- Electoral Integrity Project Pre-APSA Workshop, Philadelphia, PA, 2016.
- Department of Political Science, University of the Andes, October 2016.

"Disputed Elections in Presidential Democracies: Challenging Electoral Outcomes as a Negotiation Strategy."

- Annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, IL, 2014.
- Electoral Integrity Project Pre-APSA Workshop, San Francisco, CA, 2015.
- The second International IDEA Member States Electoral Management Bodies Dialogue, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia, 2015.

"Can a Constitutional Court be the Guardian of Democracy? Mexico's Supreme Court of Justice exercise of Judicial Review between 1995 and 2005."

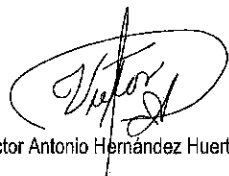
- 7th Annual Graduate Conference in Political Science, International Relations and Public Policy, Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Israel, 2011.

LANGUAGES

Spanish (Native)
English (Proficient)
French (Intermediate)

FIELD RESEARCH

Elite interviews: 22 runner-up candidates in elections for governor, Mexico. September-December 2013.



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TEACHING EVALUATIONS AT THE UNIVERSITY OF THE ANDES, COLOMBIA

1. Graduate Research Seminar. Fall 2016.

- Graduate seminar: 8 Master's students and two Ph.D. Students.
- Quantitative evaluation: 3.84/4
- Comments:
 - Good seminar.
 - Very good class, excellent readings, and effective learning.
 - The class is very well structured, the objectives of the course were achieved. This is an instrumental class to learn how to conduct a good research in the social sciences.

2. Governance, Institutions and Development in Latin America. Spring 2016.

- Graduate seminar: 6 Master's students and 5 Ph.D. students.
- Quantitative evaluation: 3.82/4
- Comments:
 - You can see Victor's interest in allowing everyone to participate. He is very committed.
 - The development of the course has been excellent, the professor answers all doubts and concerns that arise in class. He explains very well all the topics and is very kind with the students.
 - Very good course, great professor and very clear theoretical explanations.
 - Important topic and comprehensive syllabus. Overloaded with readings in some specific topics.
 - Excellent class and professor.

3. Elections and comparative electoral systems. Fall 2015.

- Graduate seminar: 4 Master's students and one Ph.D. Student
- Quantitative evaluation: 3.64/4
- Comments:
 - Very good class. Highly recommended!
 - Excellent professor.

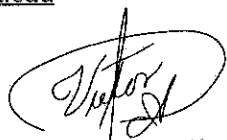
REFERENCES

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