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Education

- ***Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México* (UNAM) – Bachelor's degree in Social Anthropology | August 2016–December 2020**
    - Highest GPA in the BSc Anthropology program: 9.9/10.
    - Honorific mention for the exceptional quality of the bachelor's thesis and its oral defense.
    - Highest score on the admission exam to the BSc Anthropology program: 113/120.
    - Thesis: *The Fourth Level of Autonomous Government: The Democratization of Sub-Municipal Management in San Felipe de los Herreros, Michoacán.* This ethnographic study—within the framework of the PAPIIT-IA302720 project (see below)—analyzes the social struggle and organization of an Indigenous P'urhépecha community that has attained administrative self-determination through legal means, eradicating corruption and democratically implementing its own communal development plan.
    - **Relevant courses:** Statistics Applied to the Social Sciences; Economic Sociology; Socio-Anthropological Methods and Techniques I & II.

Scholarships and Awards

- **Fulbright-García Robles** grant for graduate study (2022–2024).
- Fellow of the Interdisciplinary Center for the Study of Global Change, University of Minnesota, for graduate study and field research (2022-2024).
- Honorable mention from the Electoral Commission of the State of Nuevo León (CEENL) for the essay "The Fourth Level of Autonomous Government: The Democratization of Sub-Municipal Management," submitted to the XXII Political Essay Contest, 2021.
- Fellow of UNAM's General Directorate of Educational Orientation and Attention as part of its degree scholarship program (October 2021–March 2022).
- Fellow of the PAPIIT-IA302720 research project 'Anthropology of Local Governments in Mexico: The Senses of Public Management and Autonomic Innovations,' as part of UNAM's Support Program for Research and Technological Innovation Projects (PAPIIT) (August 2020–September 2021).

Software

- Python 3 for data science (one year of experience with Pandas, NumPy, and Plotly libraries).
    - Big data analysis of municipal spending in Mexico: https://colab.research.google.com/drive/1FMiyicjEQLQG-JbA08Ob8ETIkWy4F11S?usp=sharing
    - See diploma below
- MAXQDA

Publications and Presentations

- Cervera, J. (2021). "The Fourth Level of Autonomous Government: The Democratization of Sub-Municipal Management." *XXII Certamen de Ensayo Político*, 111-136, CEENL, https://www.ceenl.mx/educacion/publicaciones/cep/docs/CEP_XXII_PDF.pdf
- Cervera, J. (2021). "Participant Observation and Reflexivity: A Practical Guide for Fieldwork." *Etnografías desde el reflejo: práctica-aprendizaje*, 63-86, UNAM, http://ciid.politicas.unam.mx/www/libros/etnografias_marquez_rodriguez_21.pdf (chapter published within a research methodology textbook for undergraduate anthropology students).

- Cervera, J. (2019). "Michoacan Autonomic Processes. Reflections on the History, the Challenges, and Potentialities of the Fourth Level of Government in Michoacán." *Revista Voces Disonantes, 1*, 56-62, https://www.politicas.unam.mx/cea/wp-content/uploads/2019/08/RevistaFinal.pdf.
- Speaker at the Interdisciplinary Anthropology Seminar with the presentation "The Indigenous Government Council's (CIG) Support Networks During the 2018 Presidential Election as a Space for Ethnographic Condensation," 2018.
- Speaker at the First Interuniversity Meeting on the Teaching and Learning of Time and Space in the Social Sciences, 2016.

Professional experience
- **UNAM, Faculty of Political and Social Sciences – Teaching Assistant | August 2019– August 2020**
  - Assistant to Dr. Emanuel Rodríguez Domínguez in teaching the mandatory course Socio-Anthropological Methods and Techniques II to anthropology undergraduate students.
  - Assistant to Dr. Helmith Betzabé Márquez Escamilla in teaching the mandatory course Anthropological Theory II to anthropology undergraduate students.
- **El Colegio de México, Center for Sociological Studies – Research Assistant to Dr. Silvia Gómez Tagle | October 2018–February 2019**
  - Assistant to Dr. Silvia Gómez Tagle in the design of mixed-methods research to evaluate the implementation of participatory public budget in Mexico City.

Volunteer Work and University Extracurricular Activities
- Coordinator of the Anthropology Students' Seminar, 2018.
- Sea Shepherd volunteer for monthly clean-ups of the Magdalena River at Los Dinamos National Park, 2018.
- Representative of the BSc Anthropology program at the exhibition for career orientation *Al encuentro del mañana*, 2018.
- *Club Alpino Mexicano* (CAM) volunteer as auxiliary guide and monitor during high altitude mountain climbing excursions in Mexico's tallest volcanic peaks, as part of CAM's alpinism and survival training program (2013–present).
- *Real Club España*, Mountaineering Section volunteer as excursion and mountaineering guide (2012–present).

Languages
- Spanish (native speaker)
- English – C2 (TOEFL score: **120/120**; Cambridge Certificate of Proficiency)
- German – C1 (DSD Stufe II)
- French – B1 (DELF)
- Italian – A2
- Basic P'urhépecha

Extracurricular Activities and Interests
- Long distance running and mountaineering.
- Meditation.
- Creative writing

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