



ANDREA VILLARREAL OJEDA

Policy stream: MPA Public and Economic Policy

Nationality: Ecuadorian

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Education:

1/2007 – 12/2010

Pontificia Universidad Catolica del Ecuador
BA Economics

9/2011 – 6/2013

Universidad Andina Simon Bolivar
MSc in Finance and Risk Management
(coursework completed)

Languages:

Spanish – Native speaker

English – Fluent

French – Intermediate

IT Skills:

Stata, Eviews – Advanced

Haver and Bloomberg – Intermediate

Microsoft Office – Advanced

Academic interests:

Macroeconomics

Econometrics

Public Budgeting and Financial Management

Economic Policy Analysis

Key extra-curricular interests:

Running

Travelling

Reading

Work experience:

6/2016 – 9/2016

The Institute of International Finance
Economic Research Intern,
Latin America Department
Washington DC, United States

- Statistical data analysis for published reports.
- Managed and compiled datasets using Haver, Bloomberg and Excel.
- Macroeconomic analysis on the major Latin American economies, including issues on capital flows, monetary policies and financial developments.

8/2012 – 9/2015

Finance Ministry of Ecuador
National Director of Decentralized
Autonomous Governments/
Economic Analyst
Quito, Ecuador

- Led the implementation and calculation of subnational resource allocation models.

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- Developed and approved financial indicators to monitor the subnational fiscal performance.
 - Co-authored technical methodologies to assess the financial sustainability of decentralised governments.
 - Furthered technical knowledge of decentralisation and fiscal performance among local authorities.
 - Team management and leadership.

1/2013 – 12/2013

Pontificia Universidad Catolica del Ecuador
Economic Researcher

- Literature review, baseline data collection and statistical analysis on subnational fiscal performance.
- Developed an index to assess Ecuadorian municipalities based on a set of indicators that compiles financial, institutional, administrative and management capacities.
- Produced policy recommendations for the financial sustainability of municipalities.