

José Julián Prieto

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1. EDUCATION

Pennsylvania State University PhD in Education Theory and Policy dual title in Environmental Studies	State College, US Current
Hertie School of Governance Master of Public Policy <i>Area of concentration: Economic Policy & Institutions/Public Management & tools of policy analysis</i> <i>Master thesis: Anti-Corruption revolutions: when civil society steps in.</i> <i>Selected as Jubilee Project for the 10th Anniversary of the Hertie School. Fieldwork in New Delhi, India.</i>	Berlin, Germany May 2014
Universität Duisburg-Essen MA Development and Governance <i>Master thesis: "Democratization process in South America: An explanation of the third wave through Robert Dahl Polyarchy theory"</i>	Duisburg, Germany September, 2012
Universidad Externado de Colombia Postgraduate course in Human Rights and International Humanitarian Law	Bogota, Colombia November 2011
Universidad de los Andes BA Political Science <i>Areas of Concentration: Compared Politics and Colombian Politics.</i> <i>Minor in Business Administration</i>	Bogota, Colombia September 2008

2. WORK EXPERIENCE

Penn State University Graduate Assistant for Penn State Global <ul style="list-style-type: none">Coordinator of the WEF Nexus Alliance with Colombia.Data analyst for LAC strategic partnerships strategy.	State College, US August 2021 – December 2023
Jorge Tadeo Lozano University Head of International Relations Office <ul style="list-style-type: none">Responsible for designing and implementing the internationalization strategy of the University.Administer more than 110 international institutional agreements.Development of strategic initiatives with US Universities.Development a Science Diplomacy and an international funding strategy.	Bogota, Colombia March 2018 – June 2021
Executive Director Confucius Institute <ul style="list-style-type: none">Redesign the administrative structure of the Institute.Design and implement the strategic plan including the academic and cultural strategy.Manage an administrative a team of five co-workers.Manage a group of sixteen Chinese volunteer teachers.	March 2019 – June 2021
Colombian President's Office Senior advisor for international relations <ul style="list-style-type: none">Guided the negotiations with the United Nations Mission in Colombia for signing the agreement on their role in the ex-combatant's demobilization zones under the peace process in Colombia.Coordinated the legal negotiations of international agreements with the different areas of the President's office.Supervised the process of international travels of all the public servants from the executive branch.	Bogota, Colombia June 2017 – February 2018

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National Training Service – SENA

Senior advisor on the international relations department

Bogota, Colombia

July 2015 - May 2017

- Led the US, French and German cooperation desk. Oversaw the following strategic programs:
 - Fulbright Commission scholarship program.
 - Peace Corps economic development program.
 - Partners of the Americas - 100.000 Strong in the Americas.
 - Partners of the Americas - Youth Lead.
 - USDA – Cacao for Peace.
 - US Embassy - Land Grant University Consortium.
 - Volunteachers SENA – Volunteers Colombia.
 - Bundes Institut für Berufsbildung (BIBB) - Dual Education System.
 - French Ministry of Agriculture - Dual Degree agreement for agriculture vocational programs.

Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ)

Project: ForTes

Caqueta, Colombia

January 2015 - June 2015

Coordinator of the line of economic development initiative for victims

- Designed the strategic planning under the Log Frame methodology for the implementation of the project for two years.

Fundación Evolución Caribe

Monitoring and evaluation advisor (intern)

Cartagena, Colombia

June 2013 - July 2013

- Led the indicators results analysis to structure the final report presented to the German Foreign Affairs Ministry –main donor.
- Carried out focus group workshops with the end beneficiaries of the project.

Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ)

Project: ProFis – Proyecto Fiscalia

Bogota/Barranquilla, Colombia

June 2008 - May 2011

Research Assistant

- Contributed in several publications related to the implementation of the peace process in Colombia.

Director's Project Assistant

- Supported the monitoring and evaluation of the project.
- Coordinated the selection, monitoring and evaluation of projects funded to local NGOs that supported the main goals of the project.

Coordinator of the indigenous communities' groups

- Led a group of external consultants in producing a protocol that established differentiated mechanisms for the adequate attention of victims from Indigenous Communities.
- Carried out a training process to prosecutors' country wide on the protocol.
- Articulated the implementation of a pilot project with the Kankuamo community.
- Coordinated an international debate on the differentiated reparation mechanisms for indigenous communities in Latin America.

3. PUBLICATIONS

Peer-reviewed Papers

Prieto J and Scott CA (2022), "Scientific diasporas and the advancement of science diplomacy: The InFEWS US-China program in the face of confrontational "America First" diplomacy". *Front. Res. Metr. Anal.* 7:944333. doi: 10.3389/frma.2022.944333

Working Papers

Ixtacui, L., Prieto, JJ., Wills, M., "Anti-corruption Revolutions: When Civil Society steps in"

Working paper No. 44 – ERCAS, 2014.

<http://www.againstcorruption.eu/publications/anti-corruption-revolutions-civil-society-steps/>

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Institutional Books (GIZ)

Best Practice: Indigenous Communities and the Peace Process in Colombia (Los Pueblos Indígenas y el proceso de Justicia transicional en Colombia) -GIZ, (Author), 2011.

Anthropological expert assessment: Justice respecting cultural differences (El peritaje antropológico: Justicia en Clave cultural) -GIZ, (Coordinator), 2011.

Crimes included in the Justice and Peace framework: a timeline (Delitos en Justicia y Paz: Legislación en la Línea del tiempo) -GIZ, (Colaborator), 2010.

Procedural guide for the implementation of the Justice and Peace Law (Manual de procedimientos para la ley de Justicia y Paz) -GIZ, (Co-Author), 2009.

4. VOLUNTARY WORK

Red de Diáspora Científica Colombiana	November 2023 – Present
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Founder	
Pennsylvania State University	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Colombian Graduate Student Community (President)• Colombian Graduate Student Community (treasurer)	April 2023 – Present November 2021 – April 2023
Hertie School of Governance,	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Alumni Chapter Bogota Leader• President of the Latin American Public Policy Network	November 2016 – July 2021 September 2013 – February 2014
64. UN DPI/NGO Conference for sustainable societies and responsible citizens (Bonn).	September 2011
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Volunteer	

5. AWARDS AND SCHOLARSHIPS

Ardeth and Norman Friebey International Student Award	April 2022
Fulbright-Ministry of Science, Technology and Innovation Phd Scholarship	Cohort 2021
Hertie Internship Fund From Alumni (HIFA)	May 2013
Colfuturo Credito-beca – Master’s degree Scholarship holder	October 2012 – May 2014
Heinrich Böll Stiftung – International Student Scholarship holder	October 2012 – May 2014
Deutsche Akademischer Austauschdienst (DAAD) Public Policy and Good Governances– Master’s Degreee Scholarship holder	June 2011– September /2012
Awarded for the best state high school exam results of the Colombo American School (ICFES)	2002

6. LANGUAGES

Spanish:	Mother Tongue.
English:	Advanced listener, speaker, reading and writing.
German:	Advances listener and speaker, upper intermediate reading and writing.
French:	Novice listener, speaker, reading and writing.