

CURRICULUM VITAE OF PROF. SANTIAGO FIORIO VAESKEN

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WORKING LANGUAGES

Spanish and English

EDUCATION

- **London School of Economics and Political Science (LSE)** 2018-2019

Master of Science (MSc) in Human Rights

Dissertation: "The contributions of the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights for the promotion of international human rights standards"

- **Chevening Award** 2018-2019

Scholarship granted by the British Government

- **Universidad Americana** 2013

Diploma in Superior Education - Professor

- **Universidad de la Integración de las Américas (UNIDA)** 2009-2012

Degree in Law

- **Universidad de la Integración de las Américas (UNIDA)** 2005-2008

Degree in International Relations - Best Graduate

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

- "[Poverty Stoplight](#)" Programme Officer - Fundación Paraguaya (Current): Leading technical assistance for the implementation of multi-dimensional elimination of poverty programmes in 14 countries. Assessment on the implementation of human rights standards in elimination of poverty programmes. Networking with 40 international NGO's and corporations in 27 countries for providing additional assistance for developing programmes, interventions and solutions for multidimensional poverty. For more info, access this [Linkedn Profile](#).

- Human Rights Network of the Executive Branch, Ministry of Justice (Current): *Ad honorem* independent collaborator for training programs on diverse economic, social and cultural rights and other thematic issues regarding international human rights standards for treatment of persons in situation of vulnerability, such as indigenous peoples, migrants, refugees, persons deprived of liberty, international labour standards, and others.

- Human Rights and International Humanitarian Law Officer, Ministry of Foreign Affairs (2013-2021): Delegate for Paraguay at the United Nations Human Rights Council (HRC): proposing HRC resolutions 30/25 and 36/29, which promote international cooperation for strengthening National Mechanisms for Reporting and Follow-up of human rights

international obligations and commitments, including human rights recommendations, linked to Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). Construction and management of the [SIMORE Plus](#) system in Paraguay, an online public database that systematizes international human rights recommendations and reports on their implementation, and linking these to the SDGs of the 2030 Agenda, with cooperation of the OHCHR. Designed, executed and managed the SIMORE International Cooperation Programme for the development and/or strengthening national follow-up systems for international human rights recommendations in several countries and for the Inter-American Commission for Human Rights ([Inter-American SIMORE](#)). Studied and drafted recommendations to States under the Universal Periodic Review. Member of the National Commission for Refugees. Focal Point for International Humanitarian Law (IHL), and related national laws and policies. [R2P](#) Focal Point. [GAAMAC](#) Focal Point. Focal Point and delegate for the [RAADH](#) (Main forum in the field of human rights in MERCOSUR), [RAFRO](#) (Specialized meeting for the promotion and protection of human rights of afro-descendants in MERCOSUR) and [RAPIM](#) (Specialized meeting for the promotion and protection of rights of indigenous peoples in MERCOSUR).

CURRENT POSITION(S)

- “Poverty Stoplight” Programme Officer - Fundación Paraguaya.
- Professor at:
 - Universidad de la Integración de las Américas;
 - Primer Instituto Paraguayo de Estudios de Protocolo y Ceremonial;
 - Human Rights Network of the Executive Branch training programmes (*ad honorem* independent collaborator);
 - Ministry of Foreign Affairs High Level Course on Human Rights (temporary - *ad honorem* independent collaborator)
 - Instituto de Políticas Públicas en Derechos Humanos: Virtual Course on Education in Human Rights for MERCOSUR (temporary - *ad honorem* collaborator).

PUBLICATIONS (IF ANY)

- “Paraguay Miembro del Consejo de Derechos Humanos 2015 -2017”. Co-author. Ministry of Foreign Affairs. (June 2015)
 - “Monitoreo del Cumplimiento del Pacto Internacional de Derechos Económicos, Sociales y Culturales, vinculado al Sistema de Preferencias Generales de la Unión Europea”. Collaborator. Centro de Análisis y Difusión de la Economía Paraguaya (CADEP) (December 2019)
 - “National Human Rights Strategies - The Role of National Human Rights Systems in the Implementation of International Human Rights Standards”. Collaborator. Author: Domenico Zipoli - The Graduate Institute of Geneva and Université de Genève. (January 2021)
 - Academic dissertations supervision (22) (2014-2021)
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