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RESEARCH INTERESTS

Human Development, UNDP, MDG, SDG, Discourse, Post-Marxism, Post-Structuralism.

CURRENT SITUATION

Position: Post-doctoral Researcher (2016-2019)
Research Group: Seguridad Humana, Desarrollo Humano Local y Coop. Internacional (2016-2021)
Institution: HEGOA Institute for International Cooperation and Development Studies
University of the Basque Country UPV/EHU
Research: *Identity & Power: a critical analysis of the UNDP's discourse.*
Funding: Government of the Basque Country. Grant number: POS_2015_1_0058.

PHD

University: University of the Basque Country, Philosophy Department
Thesis title: Philosophical-Anthropological Premises of the Human Development Framework of the UNDP
Mark: Cum Laude (International PhD), 09/2014

UNIVERSITY EDUCATION

Masters:
2009-2010: Master on Theoretical and Practical Philosophy (UNED) Madrid
2003-2004: Master on International Cooperation for Development (UAB-CIDOB) Barcelona
Degrees:
2005-2009: Graduate on Social and Cultural Anthropology (UNED) Barcelona
1999-2003: Industrial Engineer (UPV-EHU) Donostia-San Sebastian
1995-2000: Bachelor in Business Management and Economic Sciences (Deusto) Donostia-San Sebastian

PREVIOUS PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

2011-2015: Teaching Assistant, UPV-EHU
Philosophy Dpt., Anthropology Dpt., Sociology Dpt.
2007-2008: Medcities Network – Barcelona
Responsible for International Cooperation for Development
2006-2007: Fundacio CIDOB
Expert on Development projects
2004-2006: Fundacio ACSAR
Responsible for Accounting and Administrative tasks

INTERNATIONAL RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

2016 & 2017: University of Essex (UK). Department of Government
Invited by Prof. David Howarth, visiting post-doctoral research fellow. 24 months.
2014: University of North Carolina (USA). Anthropology Department
Invited by Prof. Arturo Escobar, during my PhD research period. 4 months.
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PUBLICATIONS

Articles (peer-reviewed journals):

- (2018) Can we 'transform our world' without affecting international power relations?, in *Globalizations*, [v. 15.5](#)
- (2017) Power relations? What power relations?, in *Third World Quarterly*, [v. 38.9](#)
- (2016) ¿Seguimos hablando de desarrollo?, in *Revista Nómadas*, [v.43](#)
- (2015) What does culture mean for the UNDP?, in *Cultural Studies*, [v.29.2](#)
- (2014) Los dos discursos del desarrollo humano, in *Aposta*, [v.63](#)

Chapters and Working Papers:

- (2018) Policies without politics, in *Politics of Inclusion*, by CROP/ISSC and UNESCO [forthcoming]
- (2016) Desarrollo Humano y Cultura, in *Cuadernos de Trabajo HEGOA*, [v. 69](#)
- (2013) La Dimensión Valorativa de la Ciencia Económica Moderna, in *Democracia y Valores en un Mundo Global*, pp. [135-184](#), Madrid: Plaza y Valdés.

Books:

- (2009) *Codesarrollo. Un estudio en el ámbito local de L'Hospitalet de Llobregat*, Barcelona: F. ACSAR.
- (2007) *20 anys de cooperació. Historia Novelada*, Barcelona: Fundació CIDOB.

Book Reviews:

- (2018) Multipolar Globalization, by J. Nederveen Pieterse, in *Journal of Development Studies* [[latest articles](#)]
- (2018) Human development and Global Institutions, by R. Ponzio & A. Ghosh, in *Journal of Human Development and Capabilities*, [v. 19.3](#)
- (2017) Development Discourse and Global History: From Colonialism to the Sustainable Development Goals, by Aram Ziai, in *Progress in Development Studies*, [v.17.4](#), pp. 352-354.

CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS (selection from 2017 and 2018)

- 2018: [Forthcoming, workshop] *Grasping the whole picture? Mixed method analysis of the UNDP Human Development Reports*, Kings College London, September.
- 2018: [Forthcoming] *'Development and Culture' vs 'Development as Culture'*, Development Research Conference, University of Gothenburg, August.
- 2018: *The Sustainable Development Agenda's monopolization of development thinking*, Development Days Conference, University of Helsinki.
- 2018: *Text as Data: Opportunities and Challenges*, CIDA Seminars, University of Essex.
- 2017: *What Power Dynamics?*, EADI-Nordic Conference, University of Bergen.
- 2017: *I am Underdeveloped*, EADI-Nordic Conference, University of Bergen.
- 2017: *Constructing a Symbolic Border*, EADI-Nordic Conference, University of Bergen.
- 2017: *Policies without Politics*, UNESCO-CROP Workshop, Paris.
- 2017: *The Best Defense is a Good Offense*, Policy Analysis Conference, De Montfort University.
- 2017: *Destructing the People*, Ideology and Discourse Analysis Int. Conference, University of Essex.