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Academic Studies:

- PhD: Social Sciences | Program of Society, Space and Technology
Roskilde University, Denmark, 2016-2019
- Master: Urban Development Projects
Universidad Iberoamericana, Mexico City
Total Score: 10 (12 in the Danish grading system) (Honorific Mention), 2012-2014
- Bachelor: Policy and Social Management
Universidad Autónoma Metropolitana, Mexico City
Total Score: 9.5 (10.7 in the Danish grading system), 2006-2010

Research Areas

Physical planning, Urban studies:

Mobility, Alternative/Informal Transportation, Urban Segregation, Social Justice, Megacities.

Industrial development, Development economics and planning, Developing countries:

Decolonial Studies, Transmodernity.

Employments

Roskilde University (Denmark): External Lecturer

Responsibilities:

- Research Supervisor and Lecturer: Master program of Nordic Urban Planning Studies (NUPS) and International Bachelor in Social Sciences (SIB)
- Coordinator of the Language Profile Program and Responsible for the Spanish Profile
- Member of the Mobility, Space, Place and Urban Studies (MOSPUS) research group and the Global Mobilities Network (located in Lancaster University, UK)

Achievements:

- I teach my students to diagnose social problems and create proposals for their solutions via the application of science.
- I intersect inter- and transdisciplinary analytical strategies in order to show different techniques with which research can be carried out.

September, 2017 to present.

CIEE Council on International Educational Exchange (Denmark): Course Instructor

Responsibilities:

- Instructor and responsible for the course called Sustainable City Planning in Copenhagen (Spring/2023).
- Instructor and responsible for the Statistics course (Fall/2022).

Aug 2022 to present.

Finck Consulting (Denmark): Professional Consultant (freelance)

Responsibilities:

- Consultant on eMobility and Sustainability branding for City Tekniq (Copenhagen, 2022)
- Consultant on Green Mobility and Social Communication for the Integral Mobility Program of Mexico City 2020-2024 (Government of Mexico City)
- Consultant on Transport Planning and Regulation for the "Ciclo-taxis" Regulation Plan of the Historical Center of Mexico City ("Cooperative Los Mosquitos", 2020)

Achievements:

- My collaboration with the Ministry of Mobility of Mexico City has influenced regulation, the vision, and participatory processes for transport planning in the city
- My guidance to "Cooperative Los Mosquitos" has contributed to the formalization of its transport serviceSeptember February 2020 – to present

Olivia Danmark: Support Teacher

Responsibilities:

- Tutoring and supporting higher education students with psychological and neurological impairments in connection with their processes and methods for studying, understanding, researching, and writing academic content.

Aug 2022 - present.

Roskilde University (Denmark): PhD-Fellow

Responsibilities:

- Research on Local Sustainable Transportation and Mobility.
- Study case: Informal Transportation in Mexico City.

Achievements:

- The authorities of Mexico City considered some of my PhD results and outcomes for the planning and regulation of cooperatives of (green) electric bike-cabs in the city
September, 2016 to November, 2019.

Actúa DF – NGO (Mexico City): General Secretary

Responsibilities:

- Design, planning and implementation of social projects in underserved neighborhoods of Mexico City.

Achievements:

- Project concluded named “Men building equal and equitable societies in vulnerable neighborhoods of Mexico City” to promote gender equality and non-discrimination.
- Project concluded named “Creating jobs; we foster culture” to foster community cooperatives.
- Project concluded named “Information is prevention” to prevent teenager’s unforeseen pregnancy.

2014-2015, 1 year and 8 months

SEEMA Agencia de Marketing Digital y Comunicación Social (Mexico City): Research Manager

Responsibilities:

- Supervision and coordination of Media Monitoring Analysis and creation of variables and quantitative indicators for Media and Social Networks.
- Management programs for the statistical measurement of social networks.
- Coordination, planning, and implementation of methodology and graphical statistics of political polls.
- Collection and analysis of economic, social and demographic statistics.

Achievements:

- Management and coordination of political campaigns: social communication analysis and voting preference polls in June, 2015 Mexican federal elections for five candidates for local deputies and two candidates for federal deputies.

2013-2015, 2 years and 2 months

Eficiencia Informativa S.A.P.I de C.V. (Mexico City): Analysis Supervisor

Responsibilities:

- Supervision, coordination and personnel training (four strategic analysts, four analysts and three interns).

Achievements:

- Personnel training on qualitative analysis regarding rhetorical devices in mass media.
- Personnel training on Excel pivot tables and functions.
- Personnel training on Boolean logic applied to the company's media web finder: Social Communication Office of Mexican Presidency of the Republic, the Mexican Social Security Institute, and Mexico Initiative.
- Coordination and participation in the semester projects of the Social Communication Management Office of Mexican Petroleum.
- Design, creation and review of SWOT analytical charts that configured the GPS Media section called "Los Presidenciables" published in the Mexican newspaper "24 Horas" every Friday from March 2, 2012 to June 27, 2012.

2012-2013, 1 year and 7 months

Eficiencia Informativa S.A.P.I de C.V. (Mexico City): Strategic Analyst

Responsibilities:

- Making strategic media analysis: quantitative and qualitative analysis of printed media, radio and television grouped into topics in a given period of time, using content analysis for the purpose of analysis, macros and pivot tables in Excel.

Achievements:

- Operational Process Improvement in the Strategic Analysis Area: documentation, operational reporting, scheduling and product support of strategic analysis by ISO 9000: Intranet, Alfresco, Smart Targets, Bugs and Issues Operations, and Blue Works.
- Evaluation of the media signed into the “Agreement for the Media Coverage of Violence (ACIV)”.

2011-2012, 1 year

Department of Politics and Culture, Metropolitan Autonomous University – Xochimilco Unit (Mexico City): Research collaborator (freelance)

Responsibilities:

- Forming survey reagents for the analysis and evaluation of the quality of teaching units of the Metropolitan Autonomous University in the project called "The policies of quality assurance in higher education, evaluation, accreditation and certification".

Achievements:

- Programmed variables and sub-variables with the survey's splicing configured to obtain data with computational technique in SPSS.

2010, 8 months

Research outputs

Selvforsynende byer er vejen ud af hovedstadens trafikknude

Carrales, J. C. F., 7 Jan 2025, www.ingenioren.com.

Countering the structures of non-knowledge in higher education in Denmark. Languages, knowledges, and education from a Latin American perspective

Finck Carrales, J. C. & Suárez-Krabbe, J., 2025, (Accepted/In press) *The Palgrave Handbook of Decolonizing Educational and Language Sciences*. Bagga-Gupta, S. (ed.). Palgrave Macmillan

Danmark kommer til at mangle 130.000 medarbejdere i 2033, men internationale dimittender forlader landet inden for fem år

Carrales, J. C. F., 17 Apr 2024, In: POV International.

Ph.d. i byplanlægning: København når ikke klimamålet, når halvdelen af det offentlige rum tilhører bilerne

Carrales, J. C. F., 1 Sept 2023, In: Byrummonitor.

Mobility regulations and urban projects in Mexico City: An accessibility focus on territorial inequalities

Carrales, J. C. F., Mar 2023, In: Case Studies on Transport Policy. 11, 100939.

Governance through storytelling and possible futures: Motorcycle-cab service planning in Mexico City

Carrales, J. C. F., 2023, In: Journal of Environmental Planning and Management. 67, 2, p. 291-308 18 p.

Introduction. Horizons of possibility and scientific research: Whose problems, whose solutions?

Carrales, J. C. F. & Suárez-Krabbe, J., 2022, *Transdisciplinary Thinking from the Global South: Whose problems, whose solutions?*. Finck Carrales, J. C. & Suárez-Krabbe, J. (eds.). Routledge, p. 1-14 (Routledge research on Decoloniality and New Postcolonialisms).

Transdisciplinary Thinking from the Global South: Whose problems, whose solutions?

Carrales, J. C. F. (Editor) & Suárez-Krabbe, J. (Editor), 2022, Routledge. 164 p. (Routledge research on Decoloniality and New Postcolonialisms).

Transmodern philosophy of science in the case of informal transportation in Mexico City: Local ontology and epistemology for transport planning

Carrales, J. C. F., 2022, *Transdisciplinary Thinking from the Global South: Whose problems, whose solutions?*. Finck Carrales, J. C. & Suárez-Krabbe, J. (eds.). Routledge, p. 32-54 23 p. (Routledge research on Decoloniality and New Postcolonialisms).

Towards Sustainable Local Transportation in the Periphery of Mexico City: The Case of a Neighborhood Motorcycle Cab Service

Carrales, J. C. F., 1 Mar 2020, Roskilde: Roskilde Universitet. 299 p.

Sobre racismo, políticas y terrorismo financiero en el México del 2018-2024

Carrales, J. C. F., 9 Feb 2019, Órbita Política - México.

Transmodernity: The decolonial wave of thought as South-Eastern philosophy of science

Carrales, J. C. F., 10 Sept 2017, In: Friktion Magasin. 15, 4

Yes... Mexico is a racist country

Carrales, J. C. F., 13 Jul 2017, Órbita Política - México.

Tren Interurbano México-Toluca

Carrales, J. C. F., 17 Mar 2017, Órbita Política - México.

¿Hay una oposición al actual régimen político mexicano?

Carrales, J. C. F., 26 Feb 2017, Órbita Política - México.

México como parte de la des-globalización: ¿Depende de los resultados electorales en el 2018?

Carrales, J. C. F., 25 Nov 2016, Órbita Política - México.

Cómo sobrevivir en una empresa mexicana

Carrales, J. C. F., 17 Oct 2016, Órbita Política - México.

Capoeira: The covert weapon during Brazilian Black African slavery?

Carrales, J. C. F., 1 Oct 2016, In: Friktion Magasin. 3, 10

Agresiones a ciclistas en CDMX: ¿Falta cultura vial o estado de derecho?

Carrales, J. C. F., 6 Sept 2016, Órbita Política - México.

6 razones por las que el sexenio de Felipe Calderón dejó en malas condiciones a México... y por lo tanto, no debemos apoyar a Margarita Zavala

Carrales, J. C. F., 16 Aug 2016, Órbita Política - México.

Is Tamaulipas a war zone?

Carrales, J. C. F., 27 Jul 2016, Órbita Política - México.

Activities

Navigate Mobility

Carrales, J. C. F. (Speaker)

2024

Symposia for a Just Future: Building Trans-disciplinary Alliances for Climate Justice in Europe

Carrales, J. C. F. (Participant)

11 Oct 2023

Symposia for a Just Future: Creating Climate Justice Communities Through Culture

Carrales, J. C. F. (Speaker)

2 Jun 2023

Specialist for Mobility Strategy and team member

Carrales, J. C. F. (Consultant)

2023 → 2024

Subsistencia del sistema de transporte informal no motorizado en la colonia Impulsora Popular Avícola, municipio de Nezahualcóyotl, Estado de México

Carrales, J. C. F. (Examiner)

20 May 2022

International Journal of Qualitative Methods (Journal)

Carrales, J. C. F. (Peer reviewer)

2022 → ...

Subsistencia del sistema de transporte informal no motorizado en la colonia Impulsora Popular Avícola, municipio de Nezahualcóyotl, Estado de México

Carrales, J. C. F. (Examiner)

29 Sept 2021

Applied Mobilities (Journal)

Carrales, J. C. F. (Peer reviewer)
2020

"Ciclo-taxis" Regulation Plan of the Historical Center of Mexico City

Carrales, J. C. F. (Consultant)
2020

Integral Mobility Program of Mexico City 2020-2024

Carrales, J. C. F. (Consultant)
2020 → 2024

Seminar with City Architect of Copenhagen (Camilla van Deurs): Transformation of urban spaces

Carrales, J. C. F. (Speaker)
20 Nov 2019

C-MUS Conference (em)Powering Mobilities

Carrales, J. C. F. (Speaker)
29 Aug 2018 → 30 Aug 2018

Mobile Utopia Conference

Carrales, J. C. F. (Speaker)
2 Nov 2017 → 5 Nov 2017

The Mobile Utopia Experiment

Carrales, J. C. F. (Speaker)
1 Nov 2017 → 2 Nov 2017

Mobile Utopia - Bonfire School

Carrales, J. C. F. (Participant)
29 Oct 2017 → 2 Nov 2017

Mobility Laboratories and Local Transportation Issues of Mexico City

Carrales, J. C. F. (Speaker)
15 Mar 2017

Consensus conferences: Creating social support and participation

Carrales, J. C. F. (Organizer)
17 Feb 2017 → 24 Feb 2017

Theoretical and Methodological Elements for Informal Transportation Research: The case of the motorcycle-cabs service in La Conchita Zapotitlán, Tláhuac

Carrales, J. C. F. (Lecturer)
15 Feb 2017

Slipfest for Friktion nr 10: S O R T H E D

Carrales, J. C. F. (Speaker)
31 Oct 2016

Education and Power

Carrales, J. C. F. (Organizer)
8 Jun 2010 → 10 Jun 2010

Prizes

Employee of the year

Carrales, J. C. F. (Recipient), Dec 2011

Full Scholarship for Studying a Doctorate Degree Abroad

Carrales, J. C. F. (Recipient), Jul 2016

Honorific Mention

Carrales, J. C. F. (Recipient), 7 Jul 2015

Press/Media

El 'granadazo' urbano de Mancera

Carrales, J. C. F.

05/11/2015

1 item of Media coverage

Press/Media: Press / Media

Mexicos svar på Macron vil endevende landet

Carrales, J. C. F.

03/07/2018

1 item of Media coverage

Press/Media: Press / Media

Mototaxis atienden demanda que no puede satisfacer gobierno; Ibero

Carrales, J. C. F.

24/02/2017

1 item of Media coverage

Press/Media: Press / Media

"Nuevo Polanco" La ciudad personal de Carlos Slim

Carrales, J. C. F.

04/01/2014

1 item of Media coverage

Press/Media: Press / Media

Projects

"Bus-Connector": Transportation for the Mobility and Connectivity in the Peripheral Circuit of "New Polanco"

Carrales, J. C. F. (Project participant)

01/08/2013 → 28/11/2013

Impulse evaluation instruments in development potential areas: The case of the "New Polanco" in Miguel Hidalgo

Carrales, J. C. F. (Project participant), Ducoing, R. (Project participant) & Ortiz, G. (Project participant)

09/01/2013 → 15/05/2013