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Professional Profile

Psychiatrist with extensive experience in clinical practice, academic leadership, and regional professional governance. Specialist in child and adolescent mental health with advanced international training.

Former President of the Guatemalan Psychiatric Association and current President of the Central American and Caribbean Psychiatric Association (ACCAP). Active participant in international psychiatric collaboration and member of the Ethics Committee of the World Psychiatric Association (WPA).

Committed to strengthening regional collaboration among psychiatric societies, promoting ethical professional practice, and advancing mental health initiatives across Central America and the Caribbean.

Education and Training

- **MD**, Universidad Francisco Marroquín (UFM), Guatemala
 - **Specialist in Psychiatry**, Universidad de San Carlos de Guatemala
 - *(Program academically endorsed by Universidad Francisco Marroquín)*
 - **Master's Degree in Child and Adolescent Mental Health**, Universidad Mariano Gálvez – *Magna Cum Laude*
 - **Doctorate (PhD) in Child and Adolescent Mental Health**, Universidad Mariano Gálvez – *Magna Cum Laude*
 - **Training to Teach in Medicine – Innovation in Medical Education**, Harvard University
 - **Transcultural Psychiatry**, McGill University, Canada
 - **Clinical Elective in Child Psychiatry**, Harvard Medical School
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Academic and Institutional Leadership

- **Director, Wellbeing Program**, Faculty of Medicine, Universidad Francisco Marroquín
- **Member, Curriculum and Evaluation Committee**, Faculty of Medicine, UFM
- **Coordinator of Human Behavior and Psychiatry**, Faculty of Medicine, UFM
- **Coordinator**, Continuing Education Program – ACCAP

- **University Professor**, Universidad Francisco Marroquín, Universidad Mariano Gálvez, Universidad del Istmo (Over 15 years of teaching experience)
 - **Recognized as Distinguished Professor**, Colegio de Médicos y Cirujanos de Guatemala
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Professional Leadership and Governance

- **President**, Central American and Caribbean Psychiatric Association (ACCAP)
 - **Former President**, Guatemalan Psychiatric Association (*two terms*)
 - **President, Honor Tribunal**, Guatemalan Psychiatric Association (2023–2025)
 - **Founding Member**, Residents' Mentorship Program – ACCAP
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World Psychiatric Association (WPA) Involvement

- **Honorary Member**, World Psychiatric Association
 - **Member**, WPA Ethics Committee and Volunteering Group
 - **Active Speaker and Invited Faculty**, WPA Congresses and Scientific Meetings
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International and Professional Memberships

- **Honorary Member**, Cuban Society of Psychiatry
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Clinical Practice

- **Private Psychiatric Practice**, Guatemala City (*Adult, Child and Adolescent Psychiatry*)
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Languages

- **Spanish**
- **English**
- **French**