



CURRICULUM VITAE

Resumé

I. PERSONAL DATA

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II. EDUCATION

1. **D.Phil.** 1998. University of Oxford, UK..
2. **MSc in Biological Sciences.** 1995. Universidad Simón Bolívar. Venezuela.
3. **Licenciate** in Biology. 1988. Universidad Central de Venezuela. Venezuela.

III. POSITIONS

Currently:

- a) Retired professor. Department of Organisms Biology. Universidad Simón Bolívar. Venezuela.
- b) Secretary of training and education. Simón Bolívar Institute for Peace and Solidarity among Peoples. Since September 2020.

11. President of the International Center of Studies for Decolonization “Luis Antonio Bigott”. Ministry of Popular Power for Culture. February 2019-June 2020.

10. Viceminister of Science and Technology. Ministry of the Popular Power for Science, Technology and University Education. January 2016 March 2017.

9. President of the National Science Foundation (FONACIT). Ministry of the Popular Power for Science, Technology and University Education. February 2011-June 2013 and

February 2016-February 2017.

8. Minister of the Popular Power for Ecosocialism and Waters. April 2015 -January 2016.
7. Viceminister of Ecosocialism. . Ministry of the Popular Power for Ecosocialism, Habitat and Housing. September 2014 April 2015.
6. Viceminister of Science and Technology. Ministry of the Popular Power for Science, Technology and Innovation. . December 2011 June 2013
5. General Director of Research in Science and Technology. Ministry of the Popular Power for Science, Technology and Innovation. February 2010 February 2011.
4. Director of the National Foundation of Zoo Parks and Aquariums. National Office of Biodiversity. Ministry of Environment. August 2009 January 2010.
3. Full Professor. Universidad Simón Bolívar. Department of Organisms Biology. Venezuela Since April 1998 until retirement in April 2019.
2. Biologist I. Wildlife Unit. Técnica Minera S.A. Venezuelan Corporation of Guayana (CVG). Ciudad Bolívar. May 1990- March 1991.
1. Biologist I. Direction of Wildlife. Ministry of Environment. Caracas. December 1988- April 1990.

IV. OTHER ACTIVITIES AND POSITIONS

1. University activities and positions.

- Member of the Advisor Council. Coordination of Graduate Studies in Biological Sciences. Universidad Simón Bolívar. 2013-2014.
- Coordinator of Graduate Studies in Biological Sciences. Universidad Simón Bolívar. 2004-2006.
- Coordinator of Biology Studies. Universidad Simón Bolívar. 2004-2006.
- Director of the Museum of Natural Sciences. Universidad Simón Bolívar. 1999-2006.
- Member of the Advisor Council. Coordination of Biology Studies. Universidad Simón Bolívar. 1998-2004.
- Student Representative at the Advisor Council. Coordination of Graduate Studies in Biological Sciences. Universidad Simón Bolívar. 1992-1994.
- Student representative at the School of Biology Council. Faculty of Sciences, Universidad Central de Venezuela. 1987-1988.

2. Non-university activities and positions.

- Columnist of the weekly article “Date con la Ciencia” since July 2020 until April

2022 in the journals Ciudad CCS and Ultimas Noticias.

- Conductor and co-producer of the Radio Programme “Date con la Ciencia” broadcasted every wednesday from 7pm to 8 pm through Radio Nacional de Venezuela since June 2016 until october 2022. City Council Journalist Prize 2018. Anibal Nazoa Prize to Necessary Journalism 2018.
- Member of the Directive Board of the Venezuelan Institute for Scientific Research (IVIC). May 2011-February 2022.
- Member of the Organizing Committee of the Seminars on Reparations from Slavery and Colonization in 2019, 2022 and 2023.
- Member of the Organizing Committee of the Decolonial School of Caracas since its beginning in 2016 until 2022.
- Member of the Board of the Socialist Corporation of Venezuelan Cocoa. December 2013-August 2015
- Member of the team responsible for the writing of the Reform of the Law of Science, Technology and Innovation (LOCTI) 2010.
- Member of the Venezuelan Committee of the UNESCO Man and Biosphere Programme. June 2006- October 2013.
- Main Advisor for the National Office of Biological Diversity. Ministry of Environment. August-December 2008.
- President of the Working Group in Continental Turtles. 2007-2008.
- President of the Organizing Committee of the First Workshop of Research and Graduate Studies in Biological Sciences. Universidad Simón Bolívar. 2005.
- Member of the Board of Fundación Tierra Viva. 2002-2008.
- Scientific Committee of Asociación Econatura. 1999-2001.
- Member of the Board of Venezuelan Audubon Society. 2000-2001.
- Member of the Board of the Oxford University Venezuelan Society. 1995-1997.
- Member of the Board of the Venezuelan Association for the Study of Mammals. 1992-1994.

V. GENERAL

G. Barreto has published 29 articles in specialized scientific journals, 10 chapters in specialized books and one book on popular science. He has supervised 22 thesis (both graduate and undergraduate thesis). As it is evident in this CV, he has occupied different positions in government that implies project management, events organization, decision making, international negotiations and participation as speaker in numerous seminars and conferences in Venezuela and abroad.

VI. LANGUAGES

- a) Spanish (mother language)
- b) English (Spoken-Written-Read)
- c) Portuguese (Read)
- d) French (Basic)

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