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## Summary

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BA in International Relations and MA in Philosophy, Politics, and Economics. Currently studying for a MA in University Teaching and a MSc in Artificial Intelligence. My primary research interest lies in the Ethics and Philosophy of Artificial Intelligence. My secondary interests include Comparative Philosophy (Western and Chinese), Philosophy of Mind, and Political Philosophy and Polarisation. Outside of academia, I am a programmer and fiction writer.

## Education

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### Completed Higher Education

- **Universidad de las Américas, Postgraduate Faculty, Quito, Ecuador**
  - MA in Philosophy, Politics and Economics, May 2024
  - Scholarship “Ecuador Libre 2023”
  - Thesis (Translated from Spanish): “*Transforming Municipal Governance: Application of Artificial Intelligence to Optimize and Improve Document Management Processes in the Valuation and Cadastre Department of the GAD-Latacunga*”
- **Pontificia Universidad Católica del Ecuador, Humanities Faculty, Quito, Ecuador**
  - BA in International Relations, May 2022
  - Thesis (Translated from Spanish): “*Implications of Technosecuritisation in Contemporary International Relations*”

### Ongoing Higher Education

- **Universidad Espíritu Santo, Engineering Faculty, Guayaquil, Ecuador (*Online*)**
  - MSc in Artificial Intelligence, *expected* November 2025
- **Universidad Europea del Atlántico, Education Faculty, Santander, España (*Online*)**
  - MA in University Teaching, *expected* October 2025
  - Scholarship “FUNIBER 2024”

## Publications and Conferences

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### \*\*\* - TRANSLATION FROM SPANISH

#### Articles Awaiting Publication

- Andueza Araque, F. (2025) “***Philosophy of AI in Education: Rethinking the Meaning and Purpose of Learning***” – In process for publication (Universidad Politécnica Salesiana – Ecuador) – \*\*\*
- Andueza, F. (2025) “***False Prophecy and Digital Manipulation: A Philosophical and Ethical Analysis***” – In process for publication (Pontificia Universidad Católica del Ecuador) – \*\*\*

#### Upcoming Conferences and Presentations

- Andueza Araque, F. (2024) “***Surveillance and Transparency: Confucian Ethics vs. Byung-Chul Han***” – Accepted for presentation at the “I Philosophy Congress – Philosophical Explorations of Byung-Chul Han in the Digital Era: Challenges and Perspectives” (Universidad Central del Ecuador – november 2024) – \*\*\*
- Andueza Araque, F. (2024) “***The Ends Justify the Means: Aristotle, Confucius, and the Ethics of AI Use in Global Security***” – In process for presentation at the “IX CIPRI Network Congress: State vs. Transnational Crime: Society, Power, and Economy” (Universidad Internacional del Ecuador y Facultad Latinoamericana de Ciencias Sociales - october 2024) - \*\*\*
- Andueza Araque, F. (2024) “***Migration, Surveillance, and Security in the Age of Artificial Intelligence: A Dialogue with Plato, Aristotle, St. Augustine, and Schopenhauer***” – In process for presentation at the IX CIPRI Network Congress: State vs. Transnational Crime: Society, Power, and Economy” (Universidad Internacional del Ecuador y Facultad Latinoamericana de Ciencias Sociales – october 2024) - \*\*\*
- Andueza Araque, F. (2024) “***Transhumanism and Its Impact on the Theological Conception of the Human Being in the 21st Century***” – In process for presentation at the “II International Symposium on Theology: Ethical and Technoscientific Challenges of 21st-Century Ecological Spirituality” (Universidad Politécnica Salesiana sede Cuenca – october 2024) - \*\*\*

#### Conferences and Presentations

- Andueza Araque, F. (2023) “***The Ethical Dilemma of Mass Surveillance and AI in the Digital Age: Privacy, Power, and Democracy***”, PUCE 2023 Philosophy Congress: Humanism and Crisis, Quito, Ecuador, October 2023 - **Award for Best Paper of the Congress** - \*\*\*
- Andueza Araque, F. (2022) “***Possible Impacts on the International System from Peace Processes with Chinese Characteristics***”, II Student Seminar on Sociology, Political Science, and International Relations, Quito, Ecuador, November 2022 - \*\*\*

- Andueza Araque, F. (2022) “*New Grounds for National and International Security in the Post-COVID-19 World*”, XV SICLA 2022 Congress: Pandemic and Post-pandemic Times in Latin America, Caracas, Venezuela, October 2022 - \*\*\*

#### Attendance at Conferences

- **PUCE 2023 Philosophy Congress: Humanism and Crisis**, Pontificia Universidad Católica del Ecuador, Quito, Ecuador, October 2023
- **Conference: Legal Challenges of Cybersecurity**, Universidad Andina Simón Bolívar, Quito, Ecuador, September 2023
- **II Student Seminar on Sociology, Political Science, and International Relations**, Pontificia Universidad Católica del Ecuador, Quito, Ecuador, November 2022
- **XV SICLA 2022 Congress: Pandemic and Post-pandemic Times in Latin America**, Universidad Central de Venezuela, Caracas, Venezuela, October 2022
- **Cycle of Lectures on International Humanitarian Law**, Latin American Delegation and Paidea Jurídica, Quito, Ecuador, August 2020

### **Teaching Experience**

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- **Guest Lecturer**, Universidad Tecnológica Latinoamericana en Línea (UTEL), Faculty of Engineering, Naucalpan de Juárez, Mexico, **Workshop on “Ethics of Artificial Intelligence”**, February 2024
- **Lead Instructor**, Pontificia Universidad Católica del Ecuador (PUCE), PUCE Debate and Speech Club (Affiliated with the Federation of Students of the Pontificia Universidad Católica del Ecuador – FEUCE), Quito, Ecuador, “**Courses on Argumentation and Logic**” & “**Introductory Courses in Philosophy, Economics, Politics, History, and International Relations**”, September 2018 – August 2024
- **Teacher**, FUDELA Programme, Quito, Ecuador, **English courses for children and young people aged 5 to 18 in vulnerable and displaced conditions**, September 2021 – December 2021
- **Teaching Assistant**, Pontificia Universidad Católica del Ecuador (PUCE), Faculty of Humanities, Quito, Ecuador, **Courses: “Introduction to International Relations” & “Theories of International Relations I”**, September 2020 – December 2020

### **Awards, Extracurricular Academic Activities, and Volunteering**

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#### Awards

- **FUNIBER 2024 Scholarship**, Fundación Universitaria Iberoamericana (80% scholarship for the MA in University Teaching)
- **Award for Best Paper of the Congress**, Faculty of Philosophy, Pontificia Universidad Católica del Ecuador, 2023
- “**Ecuador Libre**” **Scholarship 2023**, Rising Tide Foundation and the Centre for Studies in Philosophy, Politics, and Economics, Universidad de las Américas (100% scholarship for the MA in Philosophy, Politics, and Economics)

- **“Felipe Fogarty” Award**, Best Student of the Semester, Faculty of Law, Pontificia Universidad Católica del Ecuador, 2020 and 2021

#### Extracurricular Academic Activities and Volunteering

- President, PUCE Debate and Speech Club (2018, 2021)
- Vice-President, Ecuadorian Debate Association (2020)
- Vice-President, Sociology, Political Science, and International Relations Students' Union, Pontificia Universidad Católica del Ecuador (2020-2021)
- Student Advocate, Sociology, Political Science, and International Relations Students' Union, Pontificia Universidad Católica del Ecuador (2021-2022)
- Participant in the Campeonato Mundial de Debate en Español CMUDE (*Chile 2018, Perú 2019, Colombia 2024*)
- Participant in the World Universities Debating Championship WUDC (*South Korea 2021, Serbia 2022*)
- Semifinalist, Ecuador National Debate Tournament (2019, 2022, 2024)

## **Skills**

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#### Technical

- Microsoft Office – Advanced / Google Suite – Advanced / Python – Intermediate / C – Intermediate / C++ – Basic / HTML – Intermediate / CSS – Intermediate / Shotcut (Video Editing) – Basic / Canvas – Intermediate

#### Languages

- Native: Spanish / C1: English / B1: Italian / A2: French and German / A1: Russian and Chinese Mandarin