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| CURRICULUM VITAE |
| *PERSONAL DATA* |
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| ACADEMICS |
| * **CURSO DE ESTADO MAYOR DE LAS FUERZAS ARMADAS. (SUPERIOR STAFF OFFICER COURSE)**

 CESEDEN, Madrid, 2010-1011* **TACTICAL EVALUATOR COURSE**

CCAIR-IZMIR, Istambul (Turkey), 2009* **CURSO CONJUNTO CIS (JOINT COMMUNICATIONS AND IT COURSE)**

EMACOT, Madrid, 2002* **TACTICAL LEADERSHIP PROGRAM**

ACO. Florennes (Belgium), 2001* **CURSO DE DIRECCIÓN DE SISTEMAS DE TELECOMUNICACIONES (IT SYSTEMS MANAGEMENT COURSE)**

RETES, Madrid, 1996* **ENSEÑANZA SUPERIOR MILITAR (AIR FORCE ACADEMY GRADUATE)**

Academia General del Aire, San Javier, 1991-1996* **SAN MARIN HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE**

Novato, California (USA) 1989-1990 |
| *RELEVANT PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE* |
| * **GRUPO DE ALERTA Y CONTROL (CRC GANDO)** Las Palmas

Jefe de Operaciones (Director of Operations), February 2012-Present / 2008-2010 / 2002-2007/1996-1999In charge of managing a group of 80+ technicians and engineers to provide air surveillance and control in the Canary Islands for the benefit of NATO.Working language and all documents related to my job are in English. My responsibilities include translating those documents to Spanish.Additionally acted as an NATO evaluator, leading multinational teams in Turkey, Portugal and Spain. * **CUARTEL GENERAL DEL MANDO AÉREO DE COMBATE (AIR COMBAT COMMAND HQ)** Madrid.

Personal Aide to HQ General Commander, 2011-2012In charge of managing correspondence, agenda and public affairs of LtGen Abad. Liaison with high ranking foreign officers. My duties included the preparation of excerpts and presentations related to NATO IT and Military Doctrine documents for the Commander and Staff of the HQ.* **ESTADO MAYOR DEL AIRE. DIVISIÓN DE PLANES. (AIR STAFF, PLANS&POLICY DIVISION)** Madrid

Staff Officer, C2 and IT SystemsIn charge of supervising and leading Air Force Programs related to IT and C2 systems. Assistant to the Spanish representative in different NATO Agencies Board of Directors. * **NATO AEW FORCE E3A COMPONENT**. Geilenkirchen, Germany

Passive Detection Controller, National Support Element Officer, 1999-2002First Spanish Crewmember and Instructor in the NATO E3-A fleet. As the NSE Officer, I was in charge of translating and implementing NATO regulation in the newly created Spanish contingent.  |
| LANGUAGES |
| * **SPANISH.** Mother tongue
* **ENGLISH.** Excellent writing and speaking level.
* **GERMAN.** Basic level
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| OTHER EXPERIENCE |
| * **2006: NATO AIR POLICING MISSION IN THE BALTIC COUNTRIES**. Kaunas (Lithuania).

Acting as Master Controller in the NATO Air Control Center. Responsible of training Lithuanian, Latvian and Estonian crews up to NATO standards.* **2005-2006: EUROPEAN UNION ACEH MONITORING MISSION**. Sigli, Aceh (Indonesia).

District Office Operations Director, in charge of planning and implemented peace monitoring activities in a 10.000 sq. km area. My responsibilities included coordinating and leading a multinational team of experts and observers.* **2001: EAGLE ASSIST OPERATION** Tinker, Oklahoma (USA)

NATO liaison officer in the USAF Airborne Early Warning Operations Base.  |