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Education:

- Roosevelt University, Chicago College of Performing Arts, Bachelor's degree in Violin Performance
- Latin American Violin Academy 2000-2016.
- Aragua Music Conservatory. Degree in Violin Performance.

Orchestral Experience:

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| • Memphis Symphony Orchestra. | Violinist Fellow (2020-present) |
| • Civic Orchestra of Chicago | Violinist (2019-present) |
| • Chicago Sinfonietta | Violinist (2019-present) |
| • Sphinx Virtuosi | Violinist (2019-present) |
| • Elmhurst Symphony Orchestra | Invited Concertmaster (2018) |
| • CCPA Symphony Orchestra | Concertmaster(2016-2018) |
| • Teresa Carreño Symphony Orchestra of Venezuela. | Concertmaster (2012-2016) |
| • Simon Bolivar Symphony Orchestra | First Violin (2014-2016) |
| • Chacao Youth Orchestra (Venezuela). | Concertmaster (2010) |
| • Aragua Youth Orchestra (Venezuela). | Concertmaster (2008) |
| • Venezuela National Children's Orchestra | First Violin (2007) |

Music Festivals:

- Grant Park Music Festival 2020-2021
- Aspen Music Festival and School 2018-2019
- Chautauqua Music Festival 2017
- Salzburger Festspiele 2013 Austria

Awards:

- 2020 Rudi E. Scheidt School of Music Concerto Competition Winner.
- 2018 Musicians Club Of Women Chicago Farwell Trust Award.
- 2018 Luminarts Cultural Foundation String Fellowship Winner.
- 2017 CCPA Concerto Competition Winner.
- 2016 Wanda Manke Scholarship.
- 2005 Youth Aragüenho Excellence Prize Venezuela.
- 2003 3rd prize 2nd edition of Maurice Hasson National Violin Competition.
- 2003 Youth Aragüenho Excellence Prize Venezuela.
- 2001 1st prize in the first edition of Maurice Hasson National Violin competition.

Major Teachers

- Marcin Arendt, Almita Vamos, José Francisco del Castillo, Luis Miguel Gonzalez, Pablo Vázquez.

Master Classes:

- Sylvia Rosenberg, Vadim Gluzman, Ilya Kaler, Donald Weilerstein, Mihaela Martin, Sergiu Schwartz, Marilou Speaker Churchill, Vadim Gluzman, Alex Kerr, Robert Chen, David Kim.

Chamber music experience:

- Fellow at Nexus Chamber Music Chicago 2019.
- Collaborative recital with the Pacifica Quartet.
- Collaborative recital with Toby Apple and Julian Hersch Performing Brahms String sextet No. Op.18.
- Collaborative recital with Minghuan Xu, Adam Neiman and Julian Hersch performing Schumann Quintet in E flat Major Op. 44.
- Multiple performances around Venezuela as a member of the Roraima Quartet.

Teaching experience:

- Freelance Violin instructor, online and in person.
- Violin Teacher at Latin American Violin Academy (online teacher)
- Violín teacher Ravinia "Reach Teach and Play" program Chicago 2016-2020
- Sectional instructor at El Sistema 2010-2016

Other experience:

- English-Spanish translator at Hilti Foundation Masterclasses with "El Sistema"
- Amateur photographer.

