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## Education

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### **Universidad de los Andes**

#### *Postdoctoral Researcher*

- To conduct research in topics, relate to health economics, disability, inequality poverty and other topics
- Contribute in the design of a Master programme in Epidemiology

### **University of Birmingham**

#### *PhD in Social Policy*

#### **PhD “The realities of disability and poverty in Latin America”**

- Analyse social policies and legislation on disability and social protection in Latin America
- Econometric modelling of poverty profiles and implementation of the Alkire- Foster methodology for measurement of multidimensional poverty in five Latin American countries
- Scholarship for PhD from National Government of Colombia

### **Erasmus University Rotterdam**

#### *M.Sc. Health Economics, Policy and Law*

- Thesis topic: “Disability as a determinant of access to health care services in Colombia”.
- Scholarship for M. Sc. Health Economics, Policy and Law ERACOL

### **Universidad del Rosario**

#### *M.A. Economics*

- Thesis topic: “Disability as a determinant of access to health care services in Colombia”.

### **Universidad del Rosario**

#### *B.A. Physical Therapy*

## Work Experience

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### **Oxford Poverty and Human Development Initiative (OPHI)**

#### *Co-Director Metrics and Policy*

- Coordinate the work of OPHI in Latin America, East Asia, countries in Africa and Middle East.
- Provide technical and policy support to countries designing and computing National MPIs.

**Bogota, Colombia**

*June 2016-May 2018*

**Birmingham, UK**

*January 2012-*

*December 2015*

**Rotterdam, NL**

*September 2011*

**Bogota, Colombia**

*September 2012*

**Bogota, Colombia**

*May 2006*

**Oxford, UK**

*February 2019- present*

**Universidad de los Andes**  
*Assistant Professor*

**Bogotá Colombia**  
*June 2018- present*

**Oxford Poverty and Human Development Initiative (OPHI)**  
*Researcher Associated*

**Oxford, UK**  
*September 2014-  
January 2019*

- Provide support to countries in the process of designing and computing a National MPI
- Provide support in research topics related to disability, child poverty and poverty for vulnerable groups.

**Galway University**  
*Consultant: Project Deprivation of Liberty on Basis of Disability  
Centre of Disability, law and Policy*

**Galway, IRN**  
*November 2016-  
November 2017*

- To conduct research in deprivation of liberty of persons with disabilities
- Analysis of quantitative data on aspects related to persons with disabilities living in institutions, legal capacity, involuntary hospitalization, arrest and detention and institutionalization

**International Labour Organization (ILO)**  
*Consultant Wage data in LFS for persons with disabilities*

**Geneva, CH**  
*February 2016-  
March 2016*

- Review national LFS questionnaires (and other household-based surveys with a LFS module) for availability of questions related to disability, and earnings.
- Review national publications containing LFS data (and other household-based surveys with a LFS module) for availability of cross-tabulations by disability and earnings, with special attention to how disability is defined and the manner
- Summarize the information and write a document with the main findings and suggestions

**Leonard Cheshire Disability- University Collage of London**  
*Consultant project “Promoting the provision of inclusive primary education for children with disabilities in Mashonaland West Province-Zimbabwe”*

**London, UK**  
*October 2015-  
November 2015*

- Data management and cleaning
- Data analysis of school level data and of the Survey on Knowledge, attitudes and practice on disability and inclusive education
- Conducting before and after evaluation analysis
- Contribute in process of writing the final report

**University of Birmingham**

*Research Assistant: ABIA (Accelerating Business-Knowledge-Base Innovation Activity)*

- Conducted literature review in health and well-being
- Interviewed 10 experts in work and well-being

**Birmingham, UK**

*August 2014-  
January 2015*

**University of Birmingham**

*Research Assistant*

- Analysed 3 waves of Understanding Society survey.
- Produced statistical analysis of the levels of poverty of minority ethnic groups in UK

**Birmingham, UK**

*March 2014-April  
2014*

**University of Birmingham**

*Research Assistant: Activating the “Big Society”*

- Conducted quantitative analysis of coproduction levels in five local authorities in UK
- Conducted statistical analysis of determinant of coproduction in UK

**Birmingham, UK**

*November 2012-April  
2014*

**Price Waterhouse Coppers (PWC)- Economics and Strategic Unit**

*Intern: European health care systems benchmarking.*

- Created longitudinal database using information from OECD countries
- Conducted econometric analysis of health care costs determinants in different OECD countries
- Presented the research results to the members of the unit.

**Amsterdam, NL**

*April 2011-August  
2011*

**Universidad del Rosario- Department of Health Sciences**

*Research assistant: “Impact on equity of access and efficiency of Integrated Health Care Networks (IHN) in Colombia and Brazil”.*

- Conducted documentary analysis of the history and organization of two IHN
- Interviewed a large number of actors (patients, doctors and administrative staff) of four IHN.
- Coded data from the interviews conducted.

**Bogota, Colombia**

*February 2010-  
August 2010*

**Universidad del Rosario- Department of Health Sciences and District Department of Health (Bogota-Colombia)**

*Researcher*

- Designed the project to evaluate levels of accessibility of public and private buildings in different sectors of Bogota.

**Bogota, Colombia**

*December 2009-  
August 2010*

**Universidad del Rosario- Department of Health Sciences**

***Junior Researcher***

- Provided research assistance in the project “Magnitude of disability: Social exclusion in Colombia”
- Conducted literature review on the topic disability and poverty
- Wrote two working papers on the topic.

**Bogota, Colombia**

*February 2009-*

*February 2010*

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**Academic Professional Experience**

**Universidad del Rosario- Department of Health Sciences**

***Lecturer***

- Economics and rehabilitation

**Universidad de los Andes – School of Medicine**

***Lecturer***

- Module Biostatistics: Elements for Clinical Decisions II

**Universidad del Rosario- Department of Health Sciences**

***Lecturer***

- Social protection and Rehabilitation

**University of Birmingham- College of Social Sciences**

***Postgraduate Teacher Assistant***

- Researching Policy and society
- Global issues (Policy, Politics and Economics degree)
- Introduction to Social research (Master and Postgraduate Students)
- Social Research Methods I and II (Postgraduate and Master Students)
- Social Research Methods (Undergraduate Students)

**Bogota, Colombia**

*October 2018*

**Bogota, Colombia**

*August 2016- May*

*2017*

**Bogota, Colombia**

*August 2016-*

*January 2017*

**Birmingham, UK**

*September 2012-*

*May 2015*

**University of Birmingham- Academic Skills Centre**

***Postgraduate Teacher Assistant***

- Academic support to undergraduate students

**Birmingham, UK**

*January 2014- May*

*2015*

**University of Birmingham-CLAD**

***Project coordinator***

- Planned and organised five research methods seminar in the Collage of Social Science.

**Birmingham, UK**

*September 2014-*

*July 2015*

**University of Birmingham- College of Social Sciences**

***Project coordinator***

- Doctoral Researchers events coordinator: Co-organised the first DR Conference in the School of Social Policy.
- Doctoral Researchers Diversity Network (DRDN). Co-organised research methods seminars.

**Birmingham, UK**

*September 2012-*

*September 2014*

**Universidad del Rosario- Department of Health Sciences**

***Lecturer***

- Rehabilitation with community participation
- Human Rights and Disability
- Logic and game theory.

**Bogota, Colombia**

*February 2009-*

*December 2009*

**Universidad del Rosario- Department of Health Sciences**  
*Manager of Research Group*

- Led study group on social issues for undergraduate students

**Bogota, Colombia**  
*February 2009-  
August 2010*

## **Other qualifications**

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**The Demographic and Health Surveys Programs**  
DHS eLearning Survey Sampling Training Course

**Online course**  
July-August 2018

**Universidad de los Andes**  
Curso Indicadores y Medición en la Gestión de Proyectos

**Bogotá, Colombia**  
*Abril 2018*

**Data Pop Alliance**  
Big Data for Social Development

**Bogotá, Colombia**  
*November 2016*

**CEMMAP**  
Policy evaluation Methods

**London, UK**  
*April 2015*

**University of Birmingham**  
PGCARMS –Postgraduate Certificate in Advance Research Methods and Skills

**Birmingham, UK**  
*January 2012-  
December 2014*

**CEMMAP and PEPA**  
Econometrics of cross-section and panel data

**London, UK**  
*June 2014*

**University of Birmingham**  
Introduction to Teaching and Learning in High Education for Doctoral Researchers

**Birmingham, UK**  
January 2014-  
September 2014

**University of Oxford**  
Multilevel models. Oxford Spring School

**Oxford, UK**  
*April 2014*

**Oxford University: Oxford Poverty and Human Development Initiative (OPHI)**  
Intensive training course on Multidimensional poverty analysis

**Managua, Nicaragua**  
*September 2013*

**Erasmus University Rotterdam**  
Diploma Course on International Health and Policy Evaluation

**Rotterdam, NL**  
*March 2011-May  
2011*

**Erasmus University Rotterdam: NIHES**  
Erasmus Summer Programme

**Rotterdam, NL**  
*August 2010*

**Universidad del Rosario**  
Intensive level courses in microeconomics, macroeconomics, optimization methods and econometrics

**Bogota, Colombia**  
*July 2007- July  
2009*

**Universidad del Rosario**  
Diploma Course in Community Based Rehabilitation

**Bogota, Colombia**  
*February 2007-  
March 2007*

## Publications

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- Pinilla-Roncancio, M (2017) The reality of disability: Multidimensional poverty of people with disability and their families in Latin America. *Disability and Health Journal*
- Pinilla-Roncancio, M. & Silva, R. (2017) Children in Angola: Poverty, Deprivation and Child Labour. *Child Indicators Research*, 1-25.
- Carminchael, F, Fenton, S-J, Pinilla-Roncancio, M. Sing, Marea. Sadhra, S. (2016). Workplace health and wellbeing in construction and retail: sector specific issues and barriers to resolving them. *International Journal of Workplace Health Management*.
- Pinilla-Roncancio, M. (2015) Disability and poverty: Two related conditions. A literature review. *Revista de Salud Publica* 63 (3) Supplement 1.
- Pinilla-Roncancio, M. (2015) Gender, globalization and health in a Latin American Context. Book Review. *Journal of Social Policy* 44(4) pp. 834-836.
- Pinilla-Roncancio, M. (2015) Disability and Social Protection in five Latin American countries. *Disability and Society* (available online: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1080/09687599.2015.1059316>)
- Pinilla-Roncancio, M. (2015). Some useful sources. *Social Policy and Society* 14 (2) 323-327.
- Bovaird, T. Stoker, G. Jones, P. Loeffler, E. Pinilla-Roncancio, M. Activating collective co-production mechanisms for public services: influencing citizens to participate in complex governance. Manuscript accepted in the *International Review of Administrative Sciences* 82 (1) Special Issue on Co-production.
- Pinilla M, Cruz I, Hernández J. (2009) Demografía, pobreza y discapacidad. Borrador de Investigación No. 4, Escuela de Medicina y Ciencias de la Salud. Bogotá D.C: Universidad del Rosario
- Pinilla M, Cruz I, Hernández J (2010). Marco de referencia metodológico para la formulación de Índices e indicadores sociales. Borrador de Investigación No.10, Escuela de Medicina y Ciencias de la Salud. Bogotá D.C: Universidad del Rosario.

## Working papers

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- **Pinilla-Roncancio, M.** and Alkire, S. (2017). 'How poor are people with disabilities around the globe? A multidimensional perspective.' OPHI Research in Progress 48a, University of Oxford.
- Amador D and **Pinilla-Roncancio M.** (2017) The Effect of Child Disability on Parents' Labour Supply: Evidence from Colombia. Documento CEDE No. 2017-25. Available at SSRN: <https://ssrn.com/abstract=2939727>
- Carmichael, F., Fenton, S., **Pinilla Roncancio, M.**, Sadhra, S. and Sing, M. (2015) Workplace wellbeing programmes and their impact on employees and their employing organisations: A scoping review of the evidence base, Report for Health Exchange, Work, Wealth and Wellbeing network discussion paper 02/15, IAS, University of Birmingham. Available at <http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/research/activity/ias/www/index.aspx>
- Deluca, M., **Pinilla-Roncancio, M.**, Kett, M. (2016). Research Report: Post Intervention Survey on Knowledge, Attitudes and Practices (KAP) on Disability and

Inclusive Education in Zimbabwe (Mashonaland Province). London: Leonard Cheshire Disability and Inclusive Development Centre

- Deluca, M., **Pinilla-Roncancio, M.**, Kett, M. (2016). Research Report: Pre- and Post- Intervention Comparative Analysis – School level data and Survey on Knowledge, Attitudes and Practices (KAP) on Disability and Inclusive Education in Zimbabwe (Mashonaland Province). London: Leonard Cheshire Disability and Inclusive Development Centre

## **Current Research**

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- Pinilla-Roncancio, M. Access to health care for people with disabilities in Colombia and Brazil.
- Pinilla-Roncancio, M., Gonzalez C. Lucumi, D. Self-rated health status for elderly individuals in Bogota, Colombia
- Gomez-Castillo M, Pinilla-Roncancio, M. Data and Human Rights for Persons with Disabilities: The case of deprivation of Liberty
- Pinilla-Roncancio, M. Gallardo, M. Equality of opportunities for persons with disabilities in Latin-American.
- Pinilla-Roncancio, M. Pollack S. Disability and poverty in Cameroon, India and Guatemala a case control study.

## **Research Projects**

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- Assessing the role of social pensions on poverty and health in Colombia: a mixed-methods study. In collaboration with Dr. Philipp Hessel (PI), Dr. Catalina Gonzalez and Dr. Andrés Ham. Universidad de los Andes, Bogotá, Colombia.
- Child Poverty in Latin America: A multidimensional perspective: The objective of this project is to design and to calculate a child based multidimensional poverty index (CMPI) for Latin American countries (PI). In collaboration with Dr. Catalina Gonzales, Dr. Sandra Garcia and Dr. Amy Rutterbush. Universidad de los Andes, Bogota. Colombia.

## **Presentations in International Conferences**

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Human Development and Capability Association conference 2018. Buenos Aires, Argentina:  
**Child multidimensional poverty in Latin America: Are data restrictions insuperable for the development of a Child MPI for the region?**

Human Development and Capability Association conference 2018. Buenos Aires, Argentina:  
**Conceptual Debates on Poverty Measurement: The Use of Qualitative Expert Consultation in Mixed- Method Multidimensional Poverty Research**

International Health Conference 2018 Oxford, UK. June 2018. Paper: **Self-rated Health for elderly individuals in Bogota-Colombia.**

6th Conference of the International Society of Child Indicators. Montreal Canada. June 2017. Paper: **Child Poverty in Latin America: A multidimensional Perspective.**

Social Policy Association Annual Conference 2015: Symposium Comparative social policy research. Paper: Disability and poverty: **Comparing the incomparable using secondary data from five Latin American Countries.**

Human Development and Capability Association conference 2014. Athenas, Greece: **Child Poverty in Angola.**

Colloque franco-latinamericain de recherché sur le handicap. Paris, France. 10<sup>th</sup> -11<sup>th</sup> July: **Discapacidad y Proteccion Social en Latin America**

Society for Latin American Studies (SLAS) Annual conference 2013. University of Manchester, UK. 11<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> April 2013. **Disability and Social Protection in Latin America.**

13<sup>th</sup> World Congress on Public Health. April 23-27, 2012. Addis Ababa, Ethiopia.

Social Determinant of Health Conference. Social Well-being and Social Policy. Mexico D.F November 7<sup>th</sup> -8<sup>th</sup> 2011. **Disability as a determinant of access in health care in Colombia.**

16<sup>th</sup> World Physical Therapy Congress: Panellist in discussion panel “*Investigating what matters: how to meet the challenges of research in the 21<sup>st</sup> century*”. Amsterdam, Netherlands. 20-23 June 2011

VI World Congress of Scientific Youth. FISS. Mexico D.F October 13th to 17th 2009. *Name of the presentation:* Magnitude of disability: Social exclusion in Colombia. **Disability and social exclusion.**

## **Awards and honours**

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- Egresado Sobresaliente del Programa de Fisioterapia. Universidad del Rosario. Marzo 2017
- Best Doctoral Researcher Conference Paper Award, 2012. Collage of Social Sciences, School of Social Policy. University of Birmingham
- PhD Scholarship Colciencias 2010
- ERACOL Scholarship 2010 Master in Health Economic, Policy and Law. Health Economics Specialization. Erasmus University Rotterdam)
- Junior Investigator Grant-internship Colciencias 2009.

## **Skills**

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- **Language skills:** Spanish (mother tongue), English (fluent), Portuguese (basic), French (basic)
- **IT Skills:**
  - Econometric packages: Stata (Excellent), Eviews (Good), SPSS (Excellent), ADePT (Good), R (Good).



- Qualitative programme: Atas Ti (Excellent).
- EndNote (Excellent), Reference Manager (Good) Zotero (Good) Latex (Good).

## **Country experience**

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Argentina, Afghanistan, Angola, Brazil, Bhutan, Caribbean Islands, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Guatemala, Honduras, Mexico, Panama, Peru, Rwanda, Uganda, Sierra Leone, European Region, United Kingdom and Thailand.

*References are available upon request*