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## **STRATEGY, PLANNING AND PROGRAM IMPLEMENTATION EXPERIENCE**

### **WORLD FOOD PROGRAMME**

#### **Social Protection Specialist, Manager**

*Maputo, Mozambique  
January 2020 - Present*

- Leading team of four officers in designing and implementing social protection programs, in partnership with the government of Mozambique, to over 500,000 eligible citizens and managing a portfolio of over USD20 million.
- Leading food security and essential needs assessments in urban and rural areas to inform social protection programming.

### **FOOD AND AGRICULTURE ORGANIZATION**

#### **Social Protection Specialist for the North Africa and Middle East**

*September 2015 – December 2019: Cairo, Egypt and Home-based*

- Strategically planning of social protection framework in the region. Led and coordinated a regional roadmaps for early achievements, including the 2018-2019 Social Protection Workplan in consultation with the 13 FAO country offices in MENA;
- Conceived, designed and coordinated 3 assessment studies for coverage and gaps of social protection systems in Sudan;

### **WORLD FOOD PROGRAMME**

#### **Program Assistant, Centre of Excellence against hunger**

*Brasilia, Brazil  
September 2012 - October 2014*

- Prepared comprehensive background assessments for 20 inter-ministerial delegations on study tours to Brazil from Global South countries interested in designing and implementing social policies and programs;

## **DIRECT RESEARCH EXPERIENCE**

### **UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN**

#### **Research Assistant, RCT “Adherence to HIV treatment”**

*Beira, Mozambique and Home-based  
May 2019 - Present*

- Managing, analyzing and presenting survey data in weekly reports, running quality-checks to evaluate performance of survey enumerators;
- Designing survey instruments, managing data and assign payments on daily basis.

### **THE WORLD BANK GROUP**

#### **Research Consultant, Social Protection and Labor GP**

*Home-based  
December 2016 - May 2017*

- Authored publication, using primary and secondary sources, that provided an overview of the current social protection systems in Yemen and the existent humanitarian assistance actors and programs.

## **EDUCATION**

### **UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN, FORD SCHOOL OF PUBLIC POLICY**

#### **Master in Public Administration**

*Ann Arbor, USA  
December 2019*

Relevant Coursework: Statistics, Program Evaluation, Econometrics, Stata Practice, R, Survey Methodology

### **LONDON SCHOOL OF ECONOMICS, UNITED KINGDOM**

#### **MSc Political Economy of the late Development – Final grade: Merit**

*London, UK  
September 2015*

Dissertation “Political Economy of the Food Subsidies Reform in Egypt”.

### **PUC-SP, BRAZIL**

#### **BA in Political Science and International Relations – Final grade: 8.6/10**

*Sao Paulo, Brazil  
July 2011*

Dissertation “Human Securitization and Migration – The Case of France”.

## **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

### **LANGUAGE SKILLS**

- Portuguese (mother tongue), English and Spanish (fluent), Italian (intermediate proficiency) and French (basic proficiency).

### **ACADEMIC AND PROFESSIONAL PUBLICATIONS**

- “Social Protection and the Agricultural Sector in the Near East and North Africa Region”, IPC-IG – Policy in Focus Magazine, November 2017, Brasília, 2017;
- “Regional Trends in Social Protection in the Near East and North Africa”, published by FAO RNE in 2017;
- “The Political Economy of Food Subsidies in Egypt – Reform and Strengthening of Social Protection”, The Public Sphere Journal, London School of Economics and Political Science’s Institute of Public Affairs, 2016;