



# Boris Polanco

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## Personal Information

Nationality **Ecuadorian**, Born January 11th 1989.

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## Education

September 2016- September 2018 **Master of Science in Statistics**, *University of Bern*, Switzerland, I got a master degree in statistics at the Institute of Mathematical Statistics and Actuarial Science at the University of Bern. My master thesis was about Monte Carlo estimators of Value at Ruin and Tail Value at Ruin. This project was performed using the Monte Carlo estimator of two measures of risk, using importance sampling and stochastic simulation techniques to compute the probability of ruin, more precisely the amount of capital required for an insurance company in order to have a small value of ruin probability. Some of the lectures during my master studies were Non Life Insurance Mathematics, Linear Models, Actuarial Mathematics, Probability Theory, Cryptography, Modeling Extremal Events, Survival Data Analysis, Stochastic Models in Finance and Insurance, Stochastic Processes, Actuarial Risk Theory, Multivariate Statistics among others.

2008 – 2014 **Mathematical Engineering**, *Escuela Politécnica Nacional*, Quito-Ecuador, I got a bachelor diploma in applied mathematics, that was focused in statistics and operational research. During this time, I have obtained a good theoretical and applied background in statistics. It allowed me to get my first job positions where I learned to the usage of mathematics in different fields. In order to obtain the diploma I worked for half year in a thesis project that is described as follows. .

## Thesis Project

Title *A comparative study of late life mortality deceleration in Ecuador*  
Director Dr. Luis Horna, PhD

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**Summary** This work we about to obtain by fitting several mortality data to certain survival analysis functions. The methodology used was the non linear least squares method. After some statistical validation process, the best-fitted curve was selected using certain statistical criteria. Two approaches were examined in order to determine the age at which the mortality deceleration process started. Finally, a comparison between the obtained results was performed. The data used in this research corresponds to population projections obtained from Natonal Institute of Statistics in Ecuador (INEC). All the numerical calculations were derived using the programming language and environment R

<http://bibdigital.epn.edu.ec/handle/15000/10515?locale=en>

## Work Experience

- May 2019-  
February 2020

**Chief of Supervision of Social Security System** , SUPERINTENDENCY OF BANKS, Quito-Ecuador.

I was managing the supervisory department of the social security system in Ecuador. Part of the activities were plan the supervision scheme for IESS, ISSFA, ISSPOL and also 69 pension funds, review of the actuarial reports of the different social protection funds, control the compliance of regulations for institutions of social security system. I was in charge of 40 people.
- December 2018-April 2019

**Actuarial Consultant** , ASEGURADORA DEL SUR INSURANCE COMPANY, Quito-Ecuador.

I worked on this company as a external consultant, I developed risk indicators using R and shiny. Some of them provided measures for quantifying risk of insufficiency of IBNR reserves, concentration risk, deviation claim rate risk, prime insufficiency risk. The proposed indicators were established using quantiles based measures.
- December 2018-February 2019

**Professor** , UNIVERSIDAD TÉCNICA DEL NORTE, Ibarra-Ecuador.

I was teaching during one semester two lectures to students of the faculty of biotechnology. I was lecturer of Statistics and Experimental Design.
- February 2018-July 2018

**Intern in Statistics**, LONZA- DRUG DEVELOPMENT SERVICES, Basel-Switzerland.

I was part of the team managed by the Dr. Roman Mathaes. I was involved in two main projects. The first one is about the simulation of the impurity limits for some drugs with data obtained from the MFI technique. All the simulation process was developed in R. This project included several statistical techniques as stochastic simulation and statistical quality control. The other project was about a classification model using machine learning techniques to classify three kinds of aggregated protein particles.
- February 2016-August 2016

**Actuary**, ACTUARIAL AND RESEARCH OFFICE, IESS, Quito-Ecuador.

I was working as actuarial researcher working in the preparation of technical reports and research about the actuarial situation of the different insurance schemes of the institute. In this job, I did most of my activities using R and VBA excel. Some of the statistical techniques used were time series analysis, that was an important asset before attend this lecture during the master studies.

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- June **Actuarial Consultant**, ACTUARIA CONSULTORES CIA LTDA, Quito-Ecuador,  
2015-January .
- 2016 My duties included: Worked in the data cleansing of different data sets provided by Ecuadorian Insurance companies. Also, I performed frequency and severity models with mathematical and statistical techniques. Generation of reports of different of non life insurance schemes. I was involved in the data cleansing and generation of the frequency and severity model for AIG insurance, all the computations were performed in R, I acquire strong skills in R especially in GLM models. Also I started working with big data sets.
- Mayo **Sampling Desing Assistant**, DINEM, National Institute o Statistics and Census  
2014-Mayo Bureau INEC, Quito-Ecuador.
- 2015 My tasks were related to the development and implementation of algorithms in order to generate several samples corresponding to the national survey of employment. All the algorithms was developed in SPSS, Excel and R
- Julio- **Private Consultant**, FARMAENLACE Quito Ecuador, I worked as an Technical  
Noviembre Assistant of professors of my bachelor's program in Quito. I assisted them in the  
2013 development of a supply chain inventory model using time series models to predict sales of a chain of pharmacies in Ecuador..

## Other Courses

- October- **EDX-The Australian National University**, *Introduction to Actuarial Science*,  
December Length: 2 months.  
2015
- November **Datacamp**, *Introduction to R. Intermediate Level*, Length: 8 hours.  
2015
- November **Datacamp**, *Introduction to R. Basic Level*, Length: 8 horas.  
2015
- March 2015 **INEC**, *SPSS*, Length: 20 hours.
- 7 – 18 July **INEC**, *SPSS to construct survey indicators*, Length: 20 hours.  
2014
- July-August **INEC**, *R basic level*, Length: 20 hours.  
2014
- 6 – 8, 21 – 22 **INEC**, *Introduction to mathematical modelling with R*, Length: 20 hours.  
August 2014
- February **Vale dos Vinhedos, Rio Grande do Sul, Brazil February 5-10, 2012**, *La-*  
2012 *tinoamerican School in Operational Research ELAVIO 2012*, Length: 120 hours,  
<http://www.inf.ufrgs.br/elavio2012/elavio2012/>.

## Language Skills

- Spanish , Mother Tongue.
- English , C1.
- German , Basic.

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## References

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Dr. Roman **Head of Pharmaceutical Services**, LONZA AG, Tel. : +41 61 316 8355,  
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Prof. Dr , *Lecturer / Program Coordinator Swiss Association of Actuaries, Institute of Mat-*  
Riccardo *hematical Statistics and Actuarial Science (IMSV)*, University of Bern-Switzerland,  
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## Honors and Awards

Mathematical , CUM LAUDE.  
Engineer

SENESCYT , I have been awarded the scholarship given by the Ecuadorian Government to the  
Scholar most successful applicants. I have chosen to study at the university of Bern the  
master program in statistics with this fund..

## Computational Skills

- C++
- R advanced (Generation of complex functions, Dynamic reports, Dynamic plots, Shiny, Tensor flow in R)
- Python
- TensorFlow
- Latex Software (Scientific Text Edition)
- Microsoft Office
- SQL Language
- SPSS

## Personal Interests

- Mathematical Statistics
- Machine Learning
- Data Science
- Actuarial Mathematics
- Probability
- Risk Theory
- Variance Reduction Methods.
- Financial Mathematics
- Mathematical Modeling
- Data Analysis
- Data Visualization

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