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IRENE CAMPOS GÓMEZ

MSc. Civil Engineer

Civil Engineer with extensive experience in public administration, academia, and technical management. She has held senior leadership positions, including Minister of Housing and Human Settlements of Costa Rica (2010–2012), President of the BANHVI Board of Directors, and Director General of the Costa Rican Cement and Concrete Institute (ICCYC), an organization she led through significant growth (2005–2010 and since 2013). She also served as President of the company CAUSA, held senior positions at the Costa Rican Institute of Electricity (ICE) and the College of Civil Engineers (CIC), and served as a university professor in areas such as environmental engineering and land-use planning. She has participated in international missions evaluating, updating, leading, and monitoring organizations to ensure their mission, objectives, sustainability, and professional accreditation, consolidating her technical and academic leadership within the sector.

ACADEMIC BACKGROUND

- **[1992]** Master of Science in Environmental Sanitation, Ghent University, Belgium.
- **[1988]** Bachelor's Degree in Civil Engineering, Universidad de Costa Rica.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- **[Present]** Housing Leader, BAC Credomatic.
- **[2005–2010]** and **[2013–2018]** Director General, Costa Rican Cement and Concrete Institute (ICCYC).
- **[2014–Present]** Coordinator, Housing Committee, Inter-American Federation of the Construction Industry (FIIC).
- **[1998–2010]** Partner and Project Director, CAUSA Environmental Consultants.
- **[2010–2012]** President, Board of Directors, Banco Hipotecario de la Vivienda (BANHVI).
- **[2010–2012]** Minister of Housing and Human Settlements, Costa Rica.
- **[2008–2012]** President, Pan-American Union of Engineering Associations (UPADI).
- **[2004–2006]** President, Pan-American Federation of Engineering Organizations (FOPAE).
- **[2002–2004]** President, College of Civil Engineers (CIC).
- **[2002–2004]** President, Federated College of Engineers and Architects of Costa Rica (CFIA).
- **[1999–2001]** Vice President, College of Civil Engineers (CIC).
- **[1988–1998]** Various positions at the Costa Rican Institute of Electricity (ICE). From February 1996 to March 1998, she served as Head of the Environmental Management Office for Power Generation Projects, responsible for environmental planning and oversight of projects under development, construction, and operation.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- **[2013–2016]** Professor, Environmental Engineering, Master's Program in Sustainable Tourism Management.
- Professor, Environmental Impact Assessment, School of Civil Engineering, Universidad de Costa Rica.
- **[2013]** Professor, Seminars III and IV, Master's Program in Civil Engineering, Universidad de Costa Rica.
- **[1994–2009]** Professor of various courses in Environmental Engineering, Civil Engineering Program, Universidad de Costa Rica.
- **[1999–2000]** Professor and Coordinator, Environmental Monitoring Program, Master's Program in Environmental Evaluation and Management, Universidad Estatal a Distancia.
- **[2000]** Head, Department of Natural Resources Management, School of Natural Resources and Environment, Universidad Estatal a Distancia (UNED).
- Instructor in various environmental topics in Civil Engineering programs at Universidad de Costa Rica and the College of Civil Engineers.