## Ana Lorena Cueto

## SKILLS & ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Teach Spanish courses. University of South Carolina.

Study Abroad Programs, leading professor.

Teach journalism-Latin America courses.

Coordinate and planning Public Relations office.

Coordinate team journalists, planning news, assignment news, coordinate coverage, copy and edit stories/photos, write and cover stories in newspaper, radio and television.

Managerial skill and news judgment.

Know Latin American culture, costumes, politics conflicts, traditions and Latin American people that live in United States.

Native in Spanish Language.

Reporter in the USA. Central America, El Salvador, Panama, and Nicaragua. Guerilla war, civil war, and political conflicts in Central America.

# EXPERIENCE

University of South Carolina. Senior Instructor. Columbia, South Carolina 2007-now. University of South Carolina. Study Abroad Director Program, San Jose, Costa Rica, Summer 2009-2010-2015-2016.

Global Health Program, San Jose, Costa Rica, Summer-May-2016, Summer-May 2017 University of South Carolina.

Adjunct professor. Columbia. South Carolina, 2004-2007

University of South Carolina. Adjunct professor, Salkehatchie Campus 2006-now

La Prensa Libre Newspaper. Opinion writer. San José, Costa Rica. 2003.

Al Día Newspaper, San José, Costa Rica. Correspondent in Miami, Florida.

Research, cover news and interviews. 9/2001 to 11/2003.

El Diario Newspaper Miami, Florida.

Assistant Managing Editor.

Planning, assigning, covering, news editor. 9/2000 to 1/2001

Presidential House. San Jose, Costa Rica

Assessor of Press and Public Relations

First Vice President

Give suggestions to the Vice president about

The news, press and Public Relations.

Coordinate news conferences and news release.9-12/1993

Channel 6 San Jose, Costa Rica

Managing Editor and anchor.

Coordinate, planning news office, assigning, scripts.

Work to reporters and photographers. Newscaster.8/1988 to 11/1999

Secretary of Science and Technology. San José, Costa Rica

Assessor of Press and Public Relations.

Write news releases, coordinate news conferences.

Give suggestions, strategies to Minister and Vice Minister in Science and Technology.

5/1986 to 9/1987

The National Council of Scientific and Technology Investigations (CONICIT). San Jose,

Costa Rica. Director of Publicity, write news release and planning press conferences.

Coordinate magazine and advertising. 3/1984 to 7/1988

Port of Limon (JAPDEVA) Limón, Costa Rica.

Director of Press and Public Relations

Coordinate news conferences, news releases,

planning public relations and advertising Port

Board. 10/1982 to 12/1983

Channel 11 San José, Costa Rica.

Vice president of the Director Board

Reporter and Newscaster

Cover news, broadcaster, scripts and newscaster. 4/1981 to 3/1982

Channel 6 San Jose, Costa Rica.

Reporter, scripts, broadcaster and newscaster 10/1978 to 3/1981

Universidad Newspaper San José, Costa Rica.

Reporter and writer in weekly newspaper 2/1977 to 9/1978

Monumental Radio San Jose, Costa Rica.

Reporter, writer, broadcaster 1/1976 to 1/1977

## **EDUCATION**

University of South Carolina. Columbia, South Carolina. Master of Art. Spanish

Literature.

Department of Languages, Literatures and Cultures. May-2006.

Miami Dade College. Miami, Florida.

English Second Language Program. 8/1988 to 7/1999

Ferris State University Big Rapid, Michigan.

Intensive English Program 6/1985 to 10/1985.

University of Costa Rica. San José, Costa Rica

Bachelor of Arts Communication

Major in Journalism and Broadcaster,

Minor in Public Relation and Advertising. 2/1978

## OTHER SCHOLARLY ACTIVITIES

International Perspectives on Higher Education (IPHE) USC Faculty/staff overseas program Spring Break 2017, South Africa.

International Perspectives on Higher Education (IPHE)USC faculty/staff overseas program Spring Break 2015, Ireland.

Agency for International Development. USAID. Washington, D.C.

Training as scholarship holder under the Central American Scholarships for Peace, in the field of Journalism. 10/1986.

Unites Schools of America. Miami, Florida.

Training Program of Principles and Procedures of Journalism in USA.7/1986 to 9/1986.

United States International University San Diego, CA.

Presidential Campaign Program in the United States 7/1980

Georgetown University Washington, D.C.

The Presidential Selection Process Program in The United States 8/1980

University of Southern California. Institute of Politics and Government and College of Continuing Education. Seminar on U.S. Presidential Elections. California. 6/1980.

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

# **PUBLICATIONS**

News producer. TV editor. 1978-1989.

Editor, Newsletter of Biotechnology. CONICIT, San José, Costa Rica 1984-1988.

Editor, Prociencia Magazines. CONICIT, San José, Costa Rica. 1984-1988.

Editor, National Program in Science and Technology. (Government Program). San Jose, Costa Rica 1980.

Editor, Gamecooks en espanol, Gallos de Pelea Newsletter. Spanish Program. University of South Carolina. 2005.

Articles and news in newspapers, Al Dia, La Prensa Libre (Costa Rica), El Diario (Miami)2000-2004.

## TV. INTERVIEWS

Bianca Jagger, actress

Oscar Arias, Nobel Price. President of Costa Rica.

Daniel Ortega, President of Nicaragua

Mario Vargas Llosa, writer

Ernesto Cardenal, writer

Sergio Ramirez Mercado, writer

Quince Duncan, writer

Joaquin Gutiérrez, writer

Alejandro Orfila, Former Secretary, OEA.

Rafael Calderon, Former President of Costa Rica.

Miguel Angel Rodriguez, Former President of Costa Rica

Jose Figueres, Former President of Costa Rica

Violeta Chamorro, Former President of Nicaragua

Luis Alberto Monge, Former President of Costa Rica

Franklin Chang, astronaut

and more

#### **AWARDS**

Nomination of National Award in Journalism. San Jose, Costa Rica. 1980. Best Reporter of the year. Gatunas Award. San Jose, Costa Rica. 1979

#### SEMINAR ATTENDEND

Health Education Seminar. Pan American Health Organization, College of Costa Rican Journalist, Costa Rican Social Security Board and the World Health Organization.

San Jose, Costa Rica. 1986

Technical and Scientific Writing, National University, Heredia, Costa Rica, 1985 First National Seminar of Aquaculture: Seminar of the National Council of Scientific and Technological Investigations (CONICIT) and the National University. San Jose, Costa Rica. 1984

Journalism and Democracy: Seminar of the Association of El Salvadoran Journalists. San Salvador, El Salvador. 1983

Seminar for Journalists and Communicators about the Environment. State University by Distance. San Jose, Costa Rica. 1983

Economics for Journalists. College of Costa Rican Journalists and the Center of Latin American Demographic Studies (CEDAL). Heredia, Costa Rica. 1982

Symposium for journalists about the System of Integral Planning. Ministry of National Planning and Economic Politics. San José, Costa Rica.1981

Course about the experimental use of recording equipment in Video Tape (VTR); Costa Rican Social Security Board and the Costa Rican Demographic Association. 1976