

# CRISTINA

## CONTACT

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## PERSONAL DETAILS

Spanish and Swedish nationality Born in Palma Mallorca in 1970 Live with the love of my life and our dog and cat

## **EDUCATION**

PhD and Bachelor in Economics Advanced courses in Sustainability Science and Ecological Economics

## **INVOLVEMENT**

Animal rescue (Räddahundarna; Kattstödet) Gender balance in academia (WINGS)

#### HOBBIES

Trekking

Reading

Diving
Traveling
Cooking

Learning new things

Wildlife photography

## **LANGUAGES**

Spanish (Native) Swedish (Average)
English (Fluent) French (Pasive)
Portuguese (Fluent) Catalan (Pasive)

## **WORKED IN**

China, India, South Africa, Vietnam, Thailand,

#### **ABOUT ME**

I am passionate about animal protection and absolutely love to be surrounded by animals. I am touched by anything that I feel unfair - from poverty to gender inequality and I strongly dislike any form of violence.

I am often told that I have a good analytic mind and the heart in the right place and that I tend to follow my heart.

The sound of the waves, the smell of the forest and watching animals gives me peace of mind and puts a smile in my face.

I like travelling and discovering new places, listening to music and dancing when I am not being watched.

### **SKILLS**

Good presenter: Long experience giving lectures, seminars and courses in a variety of settings. Lively and structured presentations

Good at organizing and planning: I have long experience managing small and large scale projects, identifying goals and tasks and implementing plans.

Analytical skills: Able to see the big picture and connecting the dots Able to manage large amounts of data and information: As a researcher, I am used to handle large amounts of data and information in short periods of time. I am also well familiar with qualitative data collection through surveys and interviews.

Clear written communication to a variety of audiences Experience with the creation and maintenance of own wordpress web

pages

Fluent in Spanish, English and Portuguese

## **WORK EXPERIENCE**

- Researcher Innovative practices in sustainable development Lund University and University Autonoma de Madrid. Currently Full professor in Innovation Studies in Lund. (1999-until now)
- Expert for international organizations
  UNCTAD, ECLAC, OECD, European Commission, WTO, WIPO (1998 until now) in areas related to innovation and development.

#### LIFE EXPERIENCE

Have volunteer in animal rescue organizations in Sweden; founded my own animal rescue NGO;

World traveller;

Dived with bull sharks; ate grasshoppers; slept in a tree surrounded by fireflies and in a tent surrounded by lions; lived one year without telephone, TV or fridge (and loved it!) and have survived a fire.

Lived in Spain, Brazil, Italy, UK, Norway, Netherlands and South Africa.

PADI advanced water diver license. Dived in Thailand, Madagascar, Australia, Zanzibar, Costa Rica, Spain or Panama

Car and motorbike driving license (A1, A2, B)