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Brief biography.

Electronic Engineer, 38 years old, I obtained my degree from Yacambú University in 2004. For the past 5 years I have worked in the field of data and telecommunication networks in both the public and private sectors. I earned the Cisco CCNA Routing and Switching and CCNA Cyberops certifications and am currently working as IP operations coordinator for Inter, operating the network that provides Internet, telephone and television services to more than 300,000 subscribers nationwide. I am an enthusiast of technology and teamwork.

Tell us about yourself and your interests.

I consider myself to be a hard-working person, easy to work with and with the ability to adapt to change. My priorities in life are Family/Work/Friends/Music. I speak Spanish and English and am currently studying German. My work has forced me to be continuously learning to understand different technologies and protocols and how we connect to the Internet.

Tell us about your work experience, education and professional development.

In 2004 I obtained my degree in Electronic Engineering specializing in Computer Science. Although during my first years as a professional I was not involved in the field of technology, I had the opportunity to learn from many other fields, including Mechanical and Electrical Engineering. In 2012 I enrolled in a Cisco data networking course that led me to change my job and opened up new learning opportunities which I am still pursuing.

Tell us why you are interested in participating in LACNIC and your history with the organization.

I became aware of the existence of Lacnic when I started working at Inter, an Internet service provider. Due to the many changes that are taking place in Venezuela, I was



eventually appointed as a representative of the company before Lacnic and will soon be attending my first Lacnic event in Panama at the end of April. My interest in Lacnic comes from my desire to support the growth of my country through my work, share information and experiences with like-minded people from other countries to solve problems and improve the way we connect to the Internet and keep up with the latest advances in technology.

What do you think of LACNIC, its mission, and the organization's role as a driver of growth and development in the region?

I believe Lacnic has an important responsibility in integrating the countries of the region to improve how we connect and contributing solutions and improvements in the countries that need them the most. Especially at this time when IPv6 adoption is becoming more and more important, we need an entity that can provide order and support Internet growth in Latin America.

In your opinion, what would be your greatest contribution to LACNIC as a member should you be elected? What motivated you to run for a position on the elective body?

The most important thing I can contribute to the position for which I am applying is my integrity. Meeting different people from other countries of the region and working towards the same goal is what motivates me.



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