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Professional experience in the design, planning and coordination of public policies related to Information Technology and Communication for Development.

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Extensive professional experience building up networking with governmental, non-governmental organizations and civil society.

Professional experience in the field of social research in gender issues, with emphasis on the use of methodologies and quantitative techniques and research with a gender perspective.

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