# Herberth Solórzano Somoza

***General Manager***

Dr. Herberth Solórzano holds a Bachelor's degree in Economics from Universidad Rafael Landívar (URL). He also holds a Postgraduate Diploma in Economics and Finance, jointly awarded by Banco de Guatemala, the Centro de Estudios Monetarios Latinoamericanos (CEMLA), and URL; as well as a Master's degree in Economic Development from Universidad del Valle de Guatemala and both a Master's degree and a Ph.D. in Economics from Claremont Graduate University in California, United States of America.

In addition, he has completed prestigious executive education programs, including the Senior Management Program at INCAE Business School and the Professional and Executive Development Certificate program at Harvard University, further strengthening his strategic leadership skills and expertise in institutional transformation.

Dr. Solórzano has also received specialized training in economics from the European Central Bank, the World Bank and the International Monetary Fund, further consolidating his expertise in monetary, exchange rate, and credit policy, as well as in macroeconomic analysis and development management.

His professional career spans more than 27 years at Banco de Guatemala, where he has served as macroeconomist, Deputy Director of the Macroeconomic Analysis and Forecasting Department, and Director of the Communication and Institutional Relations Department, a position he held from August 2020 to October 2022. Subsequently, from October 2022 to October 2026, he served as Administrative Manager, before holding his most recent position as Chief Economist of Banco de Guatemala.

In academia, Dr. Solórzano has taught undergraduate and graduate courses at Universidad Rafael Landívar, Universidad Francisco Marroquín, and Universidad del Valle de Guatemala, as well as in Banco de Guatemala's Advanced Studies Program. His teaching experience includes Macroeconomics, Microeconomics, Financial Forecasting, and Socratic Seminars in Economics.

He has published articles in national and international academic journals, including Perspectivas Económicas (México), Banca Central, Laissez Faire and ECO. Furthermore, Dr. Solórzano received first place in Banco de Guatemala's "Dr. Manuel Noriega Morales" Permanent Research Competition on Topics of Interest to Central Banking and was awarded the "Charles Stillman" Award, granted by Universidad Francisco Marroquín.