

Alejandra RUIZ LEON



My name is Alejandra Ruiz, I am from Lima, Perú, but have lived in Pamplona, Barcelona, Piura and will be moving to the USA in August. I graduated from Biochemistry from the University of Navarra and then studied a Master's Degree in Science Communication at Pompeu Fabra University and a Master in History of Science in University of Barcelona and Autonomous University of Barcelona.

After many years in Spain, I returned to Peru to work at the University of Piura, in the north of Peru, I worked there in the Strategic Communication Office. During my time there I created, coordinated and lived for a science popularization called Piura con Ciencia. During 4 years, I directed activities for students, a volunteer group, workshops for local journalists and many many things being able to impact more than 10 000 people during the time of the project.

I am pretty much obsessed with Science Museums, visiting SM in more than 30 countries, for this reason, I have been training during years for making a Peruvian Science Museum a reality. Currently, I have started a Science Communication Agency called Mitocondria, working different projects here in Peru and start having a strong presence on social media. You can see my projects in my web www.alejandraruizleon.com and also follow me on Instagram @mitocondria.cc

Hope to meet you all soon!