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Doctor of Law from the Universidad Pontificia Comillas (ICADE), where he also studied for a Bachelor's Degree in Law (E-1) and a Master's Degree in Family Counselling and Mediation. Director of Development of the Legal Area of the Faculty of Social and Legal Sciences at VIU and adjunct professor of Criminal Law and Mediation at the faculty. In addition, Dr. Mayoral Narros is an Associate Expert of the United Nations Latin American Institute for the Prevention of Crime and the Treatment of Offenders (ILANUD) - Costa Rica.

From 2011 to 2020 he was a professor of Criminal Law and Criminal Policy at the European University in the Degrees in Law and Degree in Criminology. He currently holds the position of Academic Senior Director, LATAM at Cintana Education (USA).

In 2002 he began his research training at the Santander Chair "Law and Minors" at the Universidad Pontificia Comillas, of which he is a member, and in 2005 he began his work in the field of direct intervention with juvenile offenders as a Jurist at Judicial Measures Enforcement Centers. He subsequently joined the International Observatory of Juvenile Justice (Brussels), where he assumed the position of Executive Secretary and Director of the International School of Juvenile Justice.

At the Universidad Europea he held the position of Director of the Legal Department between 2013 and 2015, highlighting the implementation at said University of the Double Degree in Criminology and Psychology in the academic year 2013/2014. He has been Director of the Postgraduate Degree in Mediation and the Master's Degree in Law at the Universidad Europea.

He has participated in and organised a wide range of scientific events at national and international level, and has also participated in publications and R&D projects with national and international funding. He participated in the drafting process of the UNODC Model Law on Juvenile Justice and has been a member of the European Council on Juvenile Justice since its creation.

Research Lines

His main lines of research focus on property crimes, juvenile rights, gender violence and bullying.