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*Curriculum Vitae*

Managing Director at Instituto Valenciano de Investigaciones Económicas. Holds a Bachelor's degree in Economics from the Universitat de València (Extraordinary Prize, 1999), specializing in International Economy and a B.A. in European Economics from the University of Middlesex (London, 1998), obtaining her research proficiency qualification from the Universitat de València in International Finance (2002). She also has a Diploma in Public Policy and Program Evaluation (DPE) from the Carleton University (Canada, 2008). During her stay in England, she worked for CRU International Ltd., in charge of its weekly magazine. Later on, she became a freelance correspondent for the magazine Wire & Cable Bulletin (1998-2001).

In 1999, she joined the Technical Research Department of the Instituto Valenciano de Investigaciones Económicas (Ivie), an organization dedicated to the development and promotion of economic research that seeks to establish links between research work and the decisions made by economic agents. It is internationally known for its excellent track record. In addition, it is worth highlighting Chorén's permanent link to the Universitat de València, specifically to the Faculty of Economics. From 2006 to 2012, she worked simultaneously as a research technician at the Ivie and as an adjunct professor in the Department of Economic Analysis at the Universitat de València. Since October 2014, she has held the position of Managing Director of the Ivie.

She has participated in over 50 different research projects and studies, and has gained extensive experience in Project Management and Team Leadership, as well as in Public Relations acquired through direct contact with clients and institutions that collaborate with the Ivie. She has published twenty books and articles in specialized journals related to her fields of specialization (demography, foreign competition, international integration and public policy and program evaluation for the public administration).