

### **Indira Castroverde Aguilar**

Graduated at the University of Panama with a Bachelor's Degree in Economics. She also has 3 Master's Degrees and one specialization: a MBA with an Emphasis in Banking and Finance, a Master's Degree in Public Management and a Master's Degree in Leadership and Government and a specialization in Senior Management. Her masters degrees were obtained at Universidad Latina de Panamá, Instituto de Estudios Superiores de Administración (IESA) and INCAE Business School.

In 2011 she started working in the Government Sector as a Financial Analyst at the Technical Secretariat of the National Economic Council known as CENA, where he analyzed a series of requests from different Public Entities.

In 2014, she joined the Public Financing Division as a Financial Analyst at the Debt Payment and Contract Registration Unit, where she managed the records, projections and preliminary budget drafts of loan portfolios of Commercial and Bilateral Banks.

In 2015, she worked at the Directorate of Public Policies, reviewing and issuing considerations on the economic, financial and budgetary impacts of the policy drafts presented in the National Assembly. She also supported the follow-up of projects for the Strategic Government Plan and the elaboration of projects planning of public entities.

In 2016, she started working as Investment Projects Coordinator at the Investment Programming Department in which she monitored the execution of investment projects financed by multilateral banks such as the World Bank.

In 2017, she became the Deputy Head of the Public Financing Registration and Statistics Department working in the management, monitoring, and recording of financing contracts and their payments, budget and debt service statistics. Nowadays she is the current head of this department.

Indira is the representative member for the Republic of Panama since 2017 at the Public Finance Statistics and Public Sector Debt Working Group. This group aims to work in the statistics information harmonization and is led by the Regional Center for Technical Assistance for Central America, Panama and the Dominican Republic (CAPTAC-DR) of the International Monetary Fund (IMF) and other entities supporting the execution of the action plan prepared to strengthen the compilation and dissemination of Public Finance Statistics and public sector debt following the guidelines of the Public Finance Statistics Manual of 2014 and the Guide for Compilers and Users of Public Sector Debt Statistics.