

CURRICULUM VITAE
MANUEL CHENG PEÑALBA
8-230-2318.
Howard, Panama.
Cel. 507 69829106
manuelchenp@yahoo.com

OBJECTIVE: I would like to increase my experiences and skills as engineer working for an institution that have technology and projects that allow me to apply my knowledge to get results and achieving the company goals.

Panamanian citizen born on June 21 1964 on Panama City. Republic of Panama. I am married and I have two children.

I never been arrested nor committed any felony nor broken the law. I am not smoker.

EXPERIENCE:

- I obtained a contract from the Panamanian government to rehabilitate some rooms belong to the MIDES. (Ministerio de Desarrollo Social) 2006. I developed functions as project manager, supervisor and administrative during that job
- I worked as manager and civil engineer on the rehabilitation of the cafeteria from the General Controller of the Republic of Panama. I won the contract with the lowest price, in which also participated others contractors. I had to estimate the cost for each activity for the program. I completed this project on December 2005 according with the schedule.
- Together with another partner, We founded the company CHENG VALLESTER Y ASOCIADOS S.A. 2000-2002. Under this company we completed the following jobs, where I was the civil engineer and project manager:
 1. Rehabilitation of the elementary schools Santa Eufracia located on San Francisco's neighborhood and Republic of Brasil located on Calidonia's neighborhood.(2000).
 2. Rehabilitation of the gastronomy room and bakery's rooms of the INAFORD (INADES). 2001.
- I worked as project engineer for the Panama Canal Authority on the rehabilitation of the rail's system which is used for the locomotives. 1998-1999 During this period of time I supervised the jobs on the Gatun, Pedro Miguel and Miraflores Locks.

- In 2005 I worked for the Autoridad del Canal de Panama as civil engineer, supervising the jobs developments for private companies that work for the Canal improving the lock's installations.
- From 1990 to 1992 I worked as civil engineer for the Technological University of Panama.
- I worked as Engineer in Costa Esmeralda (Panama), doing analysis of costs, house's design, streets, and preparing the financial reports. - 1992
- I started working as civil engineer in the reconstruction of the Chorrillo's neighborhood. 1990

EDUCATION.

- Civil Engineer graduated from the Technological University of Panama. 1989
- Master Degree on Numeric Methods applied to the Engineering. Catalonia's University. Barcelona Spain 1991.
- Master degree on Analysis of systems. 1996. (thesis not completed)
- Studies on Nuclear Energy using tracers to solved dam's crackers. Bello Horizonte Brazil. 2003. UN.
- Internship on Madrid Spain, working for a company that make designs for terminals ports using huge concrete blocks. 2006.

Awards

I obtained a scholarship to make university studies. IFARHU. 1983

I won a scholarship through the Spain's embassy to study a master degree. Master in Numeric's Methods for the Calculations and Design in Engineering. Barcelona UPC 1991.

I got a scholarship to get an internship on Madrid, Spain. 2006

Superior Awards from the PCC (Panama Canal Commision). 1998-1999.

Superior Awards from the ACP (Panama Canal Authority). 2000, 2001,2002, 2005, 2006,2007,2008,2009,2010,2011,2012,2013.

Computer Skills: I have received training and used the following software:
Excell, Word, Autocad, Microsoft project, Power Point, Access, Microsoft office.

Present Duties:

I work as Tonnage surveyor for the Panama Canal doing security inspections for all ships transiting the channel. Also calculate the corresponding tonnage for the vessel that transits for first time the Panama Canal.