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Biography

Professor Ernesto López Morales is a Professor in the Faculty of Engineering, Architecture, and Design at Universidad San Sebastián. He holds a PhD in Urban Planning from University College London (UCL) and a Master's degree in urban planning from the University of Chile, where he previously obtained the professional title of Architect.

Professor Morales's areas of expertise include urban development, housing, urban segregation, land policy, and gentrification. In 2023, he conducted the Fondecyt Regular Code #1210972 project, focusing on the causes and effects of housing prices and their impact on the city and population. He is also involved in a project on land policies and value capture with Rutgers University in the USA, along with collaborating with other research teams in Canada, the Netherlands, and Hong Kong on gentrification and land policy issues.