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Academic Education

September 1996 to May 2000 TWU - Health Care Administration Division
 Houston, Texas
 Master of Science in Health Care Policy and Administration

 January 1996 to January 1997
 Pain and Policy Studies Group - WHO Collaborating Center
 University of Wisconsin
 Madison, Wisconsin
 Fellow in Policy Studies

 August 1992 to July 1993
 Universidad de Los Andes
 Instituto Colombiano de Fomento para la Educación Superior (ICFES)
 Bogota, Colombia
 Clinical Psychology

 August 1979 to December 1983
 Bradley University
 Peoria, Illinois
 Bachelor of Arts in Clinical Psychology

Short Curriculum

Ms. De Lima is a native of Colombia and currently living in Texas, USA. Her academic background is in psychology with post graduate degrees in clinical psychology and in health care administration. She completed a fellowship in pain and policy studies at Pain and Policy Studies Group at the University of Wisconsin in Madison, USA. Previously held positions include coordinator and director of Hospice La Viga in Colombia and director of international programs in the Palliative care department, University of Texas MD Anderson Cancer Center in Houston. Dr. De Lima is one of the founders of the Latin American Association for Palliative Care (ALCP) and was its President from 2004 to 2010.

Since August 2000 she has been the Executive Director of the International Association for Hospice and Palliative Care (IAHPC) and in this capacity, she has worked with institutions and government representatives to advance palliative care both locally and internationally. She has served in the World Health Organization Expert Committee on Drug Dependence and the WHO Expert Committee on the selection and use of Essential Medicines. She is a commissioner in the Lancet Commission on Alleviating the access abyss in palliative care and pain relief—an imperative of universal health coverage and a member of the PAL-LIFE group of the Pontifical Academy for Life at the Vatican City.

Ms. De Lima received awards from the State of Texas Traineeship for high scholastic achievement and Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society certificate of recognition for high scholastic achievement. In 2014 she was awarded the John Loeser Award from the International Association for the Study of Pain (IASP), in 2017 she was awarded the Floriani Award for substantial contributions to improving pain management and quality of life in terminal patients by advancing hospice and palliative care programs, education and research around the world and in 2018 she received a recognition from the government of Chile for her contribution to the development and advancement of palliative care in Latin America. In 2019 she received a Lifetime award for her contribution to palliative care development from the Colombian Association for Palliative Care (ASOCUPAC).

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