



## NICOLAS VARGAS OCHOA

ARABICA COFFEE CUPPER  
BACHELOR'S DEGREE IN COMMERCIAL ENGINEERING  
ENTREPRENEUR AND FOUNDER

**NATIONALITY:** Bolivian

**COMPANY:** Roastery and cafeteria "Alquimia"

**POSITION:** Owner and manager

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**LANGUAGES:** Spanish and english

### A. EDUCATION

- Bachelor's Degree in Commercial Engineering
- SCA Barista and Brewing Certification
- Semi-Professional Roaster, Café Estelar (Mexico)
- Barista Course, Roaster Specialty Coffee Shop
- Training for Brewing and Barista Competitions (Raúl Martínez, Venezuela; Federico Bolaños, El Salvador)

### B. DIPLOMAS AND RECOGNITIONS

- National Barista Champion, WBC World Barista Championship Bolivia 2025
- National Judge, 3rd Private Auction *Los Rodríguez Collection PCA* — Santa Cruz, 2024
- International Judge, X National Presidential Coffee Quality Cup 2024

### C. GENERAL EXPERIENCE

- Comprehensive coffee quality management at AMÉ Café – Laboratory and Roastery
- Manager and Co-Founder of AMÉ and ALQUIMIA Specialty Coffee Shops
- International Judge, 3rd Edition *Best of Bolivia* — Caranavi, La Paz, 2024
- General Manager and Founder of HIERBABUENA Restaurant
- Instructor in Barista, Brewing, and Sensory Analysis at CEFIM Institute