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### What is your mission in MyMachine?

In 2010 I realized that I was not content with what was happening at that time in schools. I would have to go much further. I realized that my mission should not only have to provide the children with a smile, I would also have to guarantee a better future. From that moment, I started a personal and professional quest for answers, partnerships and projects that could support me in this mission.

#### Why is MyMachine important to you?

MyMachine is a methodology that although the result is the construction of a machine, its essence is children's emotions. And if we unite children and adults to communicate based on emotions, we are building a better world. MyMachine can bring people and organizations together for the common good.

#### What advice would you give to your 7-year-old self?

I would like to tell her that she should enjoy herself as much as she can. Nowadays I try to do that as often as I can when I'm at sea. Being at sea has the power to bring us in perfect harmony with nature, where we forget what is happening in the modern and technological world and connect with ourselves.





## What is a fun fact about you that no one knows?

I play the clarinet.



#### Where would you like to travel?

If I had an unlimited budget and could travel to any place, I would go to Alaska.



## Favourite place for thinking?

My favourite place to think is the sea.

