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Gloria Cerón is the Coordinator of the Local Development Program at the Organization of Salvadorian Women, a feminist organization in El Salvador working with poor rural and urban women, including *maquila* workers. Gloria has a Bachelor's degree in Maternal and Child Health and post graduate education in gender and governance as well as NGO management. For the past few years Gloria has been providing leadership to ORMUSA's programs in local development and capacity building, training in sexual and reproductive rights and services to survivors of violence.

Oxfam has been funding ORMUSA since 2003 mainly in support of the labour rights and violence against women programs and has also provided substantive funding to ORMUSA's response to humanitarian emergencies.

Gloria is actively involved in ORMUSA's disaster risk reduction program initiatives as well as response to emergencies and natural disasters. In recent years she has continued to develop expertise in policy and advocacy work on women's rights especially with local authorities and stakeholders at the municipal level.

Gloria is also able to speak to ORMUSA's work promoting labour rights and access to justice for *maquila* workers in El Salvador. Her commitment to gender equality and empowerment of vulnerable groups at the grassroots level is making a real difference in women's lives.