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Gisella Bejarano has recently joined Marist College as an Assistant Professor. Her research focused on machine learning for sequential data such as sign language processing and smart city problems. During her postdoc at Baylor University, Gisella was named an AI2050 Early Career Fellow to explore iconicity in sign language and gestures through artificial intelligence methods. She earned her doctorate degree from State University of New York at Binghamton, where she also studied for a master in Computer Science thanks to a Fulbright Scholarship. Her professional experience includes the financial and insurance industries as well serving in a committee of experts to develop the National Artificial Intelligence Strategy for the Peruvian Government