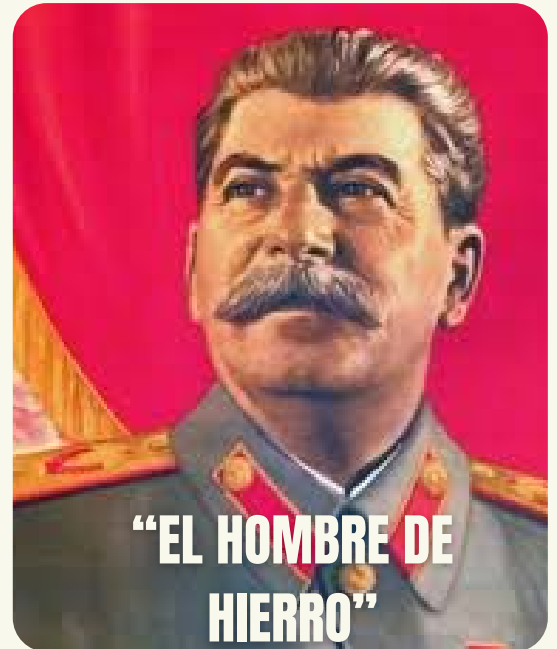


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Curriculum Vitae

Personal data

- **-Full name:** Joseph Vissarionovich Dzhugashvili
- **-Date of birth:** December 18, 1878
- **-Place of birth:** Gori (present-day Georgia)
- **-Date of death:** March 5, 1953
- **-Place of death:** Moscow (USSR)
- **-Nationality:** Soviet



EDUCATION & EXPIERENCE

- **Gori Parish School (1888–1894):** Primary education
- **Tiflis Theological Seminary (1894–1899):** Religious studies
Did not complete; expelled for **Marxist** activities
- **University degrees:** None obtained

- **1917–1922:** Bolshevik leader and People's Commissar during the Russian Revolution and Civil War
- **1922–1952:** General Secretary of the Communist Party of the USSR
- **1941–1953:** Chairman of the Council of Ministers of the USSR
- **1941–1945:** Commander-in-Chief of the Red Army (Second World War)

ACTIONS & AWARDS

- Implementation of five-year plans
- Accelerated industrialisation of the USSR
- Victory over Nazi Germany in the Second World War
- Conversion of the USSR into a world superpower
- Consolidation of the socialist bloc in Eastern Europe
- Promotion of the Soviet nuclear programme

- Nominated for the Nobel Peace Prize (1945 and 1948)



Skills

- Authoritarian political leadership
- Great organisational ability
- Military strategy and resource management
- Control of the party and the state through propaganda

Ideology

- Marxism-Leninism
- Socialism in one country
- Communist internationalism oriented towards Soviet interest

Legacy

- Transformation of the USSR into a world power
- Totalitarian regime based on repression
- Great Purge (1937–1938), Gulag and state terror
- Key and deeply controversial historical figure