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Adjunct Scientist and Lecturer - University of Buenos Aires (UBA) - Institute of Agricultural and Environmental Biosciences (INBA): 2013.

Associate Scientist - International Maize and Wheat Improvement Center (CIMMYT): 2011-2013.

Postdoc - Swiss Federal Institute of Technology (ETH) - Group of Agronomy and Plant Breeding: 2007-2011.

Visiting Scientist - Agricultural Research Service - US Department of Agriculture (ARS-USDA) - Soil Plant Nutrient Research Unit: 2006 - 2007.

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University of California Davis (UC Davis) - United States - Plant Breeding Academy.

University of Buenos Aires (UBA) - Argentina - Degree: Agronomist.

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Teaching **University of Buenos Aires (UBA)** - Soil fertility and fertilizer management.

Swiss Federal Institute of Technology (ETH) - Alternative crops and field excursions for students of Agronomy and Plant Breeding at the research station of the Institute of Agricultural Sciences of ETH.

Graduate students:

PhD: Simon Treier (ETH, From 2020, Co-supervisor), Paola Bongiovani de Figueiredo (ETH, From 2019, Co-supervisor), Luis Manenti (UBA, From 2019, Advisor), Lucia Casali (U.B.A, From 2023, Co-supervisor), Carlos Torres Guerrero (COLPOS, 2017), Deborah Britschgi (ETH, 2011, Advisor); Marc Faget (ETH, 2010, Co-supervisor).

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Published manuscripts (Information in language of publication)

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Articles in scientific journals

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45. Visse-Mansiaux M, Soyeurt H, **Herrera JM**, Torche JM, Vanderschuren H, Dupuis B. 2022. Prediction of potato sprouting during storage. *Field Crops Research* 278: 108396.
44. Morisse M, Wells DM, Millet EJ, Lillemo M, Fahrner S, Cellini F, Lootens P, Muller O, **Herrera JM**, Bentley AR, Janni M. 2022. A European perspective on opportunities and demands for field-based crop phenotyping. *Field Crops Research* 276: 108371.
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42. Casali L, **Herrera JM**, Rubio G. 2021 Modelling maize and soybean responses to climatic change and soil degradation in a region of South America. *Agronomy Journal*; 1-13. *Top cited article 2021-2022*.
41. Torres-Guerrero CA, Gutiérrez-Castorena MC, Gutiérrez-Castorena EV, Ortiz Solorio CA, **Herrera JM**. 2020. Cuantificación de los componentes del suelo en secciones delgadas. *Boletín de la Sociedad Geológica Mexicana*. 72: 1-17.
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39. **Herrera JM**, Noulas C, Stamp P, Levy-Häner L, Pellet D, Qin R. 2020. Nitrogen rate increase not required for no-till wheat in cool and humid conditions. *Agronomy* 10: 430.
38. **Herrera JM**, Levy Häner L, Mascher F, Hiltbrunner J, Fossati D, Brabant C, Charles R, Pellet D. 2020. Lessons from 20 years of studies of wheat genotypes in multiple environments and under contrasting production systems. *Frontiers in Plant Science*. 10: 1745. Doi: 10.3389/fpls.2019.01745
37. Wendling M, Charles R, **Herrera J**, Amossé C, Jeangros B, Walter A, Büchi L. 2019. Effect of species identity and diversity on biomass production and its stability in cover crop mixtures. *Agriculture, Ecosystems and Environment* 281: 81-91.
36. Casali L, Rubio G, **Herrera JM**. 2018. Drought and temperature limit differently tropical and temperate maize hybrids in a subtropical region. *Agronomy for sustainable development* 38: 49.
35. Schils R, Olesen JE, Kersebaum K-C, Rijk B, Oberforster M, Kalyada V, Khitrykau M, Gobin A, Kirchev H, Manolova V, Manolov I, Trnka M, Hlavinka P, Paluoso T, Peltonen-Sainio P, Jauhainen L, Lorgeou L, Marrou H, Danalatos N, Archontoulis S, Fodor N, Spink J, Roggero PP, Bassu S, Pulina A, Seehusen T, Uhlen AK, Żyłowska K, Nieróbcia A, Kozyra J, Vasco Silva J, Martins Maçãs B, Coutinho J, Ion V, Takáč J, Mínguez MI, Eckersten H, Levy L, **Herrera JM**, Hiltbrunner J, Kryvobok O, Kryvoshein O, Sylvester-Bradley R, Kindred D, Topp CFE, Boogaard H, de Groot H, Lesschen JP, van Bussel L, Wolf J, Zijlstra M, van Loon MP, van Ittersum MK. 2018. Cereal yield gaps across Europe. *European Journal of Agronomy* 101: 109-120.
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31. Qin R, Noulas C, **Herrera JM**. 2017. Morphology and distribution of wheat and maize roots as affected by tillage systems and soil physical parameters in temperate climates: an overview. Archives of Agronomy and Soil Science, pp. 1-16.
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29. Levy Häner L, Courvoisier N, Rechsteiner S, **Herrera JM**, Brabant C, Hund A, Weissflog T, Dierauer H, Pellet D. 2017. Winter Wheat: A review of 15 years of variety research on extensively managed land. Recherche Agronomique Suisse 8: 300-309.
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27. Levy Häner L, Courvoisier N, **Herrera JM**, Brabant C, Pellet D. 2016. Protein potential of winter wheat varieties. Recherche Agronomique Suisse 7: 364-371.
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25. **Herrera JM**, Rubio G, Levy Häner L, Delgado JA, Lucho-Constantino CA, Islas-Valdez S, and Pellet D. 2016. Emerging and established technologies to increase nitrogen use efficiency of cereals. Agronomy 6: 25.
24. Islas-Valdez S, Beltrán-Hernández RI, Gómez-Mercado R, Jiménez-Gonzalez A, **Herrera JM**, Lucho-Constantino CA. 2015. Biological effectiveness of liquid biofertilizer in barley. Environmental Science and Pollution Research 24: 25731-25740.
23. Noulas C, Alexiou I, Karyotis T, **Herrera JM**, Toulios M. 2015. Relationship between the Isotope Dilution and the difference methods for assessing fertilizer nitrogen recovery efficiency. Advances in Geoecology 44: 143-153.
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21. Baudron F, Delmotte S, Corbeels M, **Herrera JM**, Tittonell P. 2014. Multi-scale trade-off analysis of cereal residue use for livestock feeding vs. soil mulching in the Mid-Zambezi Valley, Zimbabwe. Agricultural Systems 134: 97-106.
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17. **Herrera JM**, Stamp P, and Liedgens M. 2013. Root growth of spring wheat genotypes varying in nitrogen uptake and other nitrogen-related traits. Journal of Plant Nutrition and Soil Science 176: 561-571.
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14. Noulas C, Alexiou I, **Herrera JM**, and Stamp P. 2013. Course of dry matter and nitrogen accumulation of spring wheat genotypes known to vary in parameters of nitrogen use efficiency. Journal of Plant Nutrition 36: 1201-1218.
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12. Schulthess, U, Timsina J, **Herrera JM**, and McDonald A. 2013. Mapping field-scale yield gaps for maize: an example from Bangladesh. Field Crops Research 143: 151-156.

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10. Faget M, Liedgens M, Feil B, Stamp P, and **Herrera JM**. 2012. Root growth of maize in an Italian ryegrass living mulch studied with a non-destructive method. *European Journal of Agronomy* 36: 1-8.
9. **Herrera JM**, Delgado JA, Dillon M, Barbarick K, and McMaster GC. 2011. Accumulation of late-applied nitrogen and root dynamics during grain filling in irrigated spring wheat. *Communications in Soil Science and Plant Analysis* 42: 2235-2249.
8. **Herrera JM**, Feil B, Stamp P, and Liedgens M. 2010. Root growth and NO₃-N leaching of catch crops following spring wheat. *Journal of Environmental Quality* 39: 845-854.
7. Noulas C, Liedgens M, Stamp P, Alexiou I, and **Herrera JM**. 2010. Subsoil root growth of field grown spring wheat (*Triticum aestivum* L.) genotypes differing in nitrogen use efficiency parameters. *Journal of Plant Nutrition* 33: 1887-1903.
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5. Faget M, **Herrera JM**, Stamp P, Aulinger-Leipner I, Frossard E, and Liedgens M. 2009. The use of green fluorescent protein (GFP) as a tool to identify roots in mixed plant stands. *Functional Plant Biology* 36: 930-937.
4. **Herrera JM** and Liedgens M. 2009. Leaching and utilization of nitrogen during a spring wheat catch crop succession. *Journal of Environmental Quality* 38: 1410-1419.
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Edited books:

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Chapters of books:

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5. **Herrera JM** and Stamp P. 2013. Nitrogen management effects on root systems: a synthesis and future needs. Timlin D and Laj R. (Eds.) *Enhancing Understanding and Quantification of Soil-Root Growth Interactions. Advances in Agricultural Systems Modeling. Series 4*. American Society of Agronomy, Madison, USA.
4. **Herrera JM**, Verhulst N, and Govaerts B. 2012. Estrategias para la identificación de diversidad genética en rasgos del sistema radicular. Reynolds MP, Pask A, Mullan D y Chávez P (Eds.) *Fitomejoramiento fisiológico I: Enfoques Interdisciplinarios para mejorar la adaptación del cultivo*. CIMMYT. Mexico D.F., Mexico.
3. **Herrera JM**, Verhulst N, and Govaerts B. 2012. Strategies to identify genetic diversity in root traits. Reynolds MP, Pask AJD and Mullan DM. (Eds.) *Physiological Breeding I: Interdisciplinary Approaches to Improve Crop Adaptation*. CIMMYT. Mexico D.F., Mexico.
2. **Herrera JM** and Delgado JA. 2010. Integrated Nitrogen Management. In: *Advances in Nitrogen Management for Water Quality*. Delgado JA and Follett RF. (Eds.). Soil and Water Conservation Society, Ankeny, Iowa, USA.
1. **Herrera JM**, Stamp P, and Liedgens M. 2007. Dynamics of root development of spring wheat genotypes varying in nitrogen use efficiency. In: *Wheat Production in Stressed Environments*. Buck HT, Nisi JE, and Salomón N. (Eds.). Pp.: 197-201. Springer, Dordrecht, The Netherlands.

Conference articles:

6. **Herrera JM**, Levy Häner L, Holzkämper A, Pellet D. 2016a. Genotypic predictions and environmental characterization by coupling climate suitability and statistical models. International Crop Modelling Symposium, Berlin, Germany.
5. **Herrera JM** and Stamp P. 2012. Efecto de la aplicación de nitrógeno en el crecimiento y la descomposición de raíces de trigo. Jornada científico-técnica sobre cereales invernales, INBA-BIOLAB AZUL, FAUBA.
4. **Herrera JM**, Verhulst N, Burgueno J, Sayre KD, and Govaerts B. 2012. Genotype by cropping system interaction effects on the grain yield of irrigated bread and durum wheat. International 19th Soil Tillage Research Organisation Meeting.
3. **Herrera JM**. 2012. Agricultura de conservación en la producción de trigo bajo riego. Actas del XIX Congreso Latinoamericano de la ciencia del suelo. Orden 521.
2. Britschgi D, Stamp P, **Herrera JM**, and Liedgens M. 2009. Spatial root interaction of maize and two important weed species. International Symposium "RootRAP", Vienna, Austria.
1. Herter P, Szczerba D, **Herrera JM**, and Hund A. 2009. Modeling the root system of maize to predict water and phosphorus uptake. International Symposium "RootRAP", Vienna, Austria.

Articles in magazines:

5. Torres-Guerrero CA, Gutiérrez-Castorena MC, Ortíz-Solorio CA, **Herrera JM**, and Gutiérrez-Castorena EV, Etcheveres Barra JD. 2019. Tasa de descomposición de raíces de maíz (*Zea mays* L.) en parcelas y regiones usando conocimiento local de tierras y análisis técnico de suelos. Agrociencia 53: 661-680.
4. Levy L, **Herrera JM**, Rechsteiner S, Courvoisier N, Pellet D, Scheuner S, Weisflog T, Brabant C, Foiada F, Hund A. Alternatives to secure wheat quality with lower supplies of nitrogen fertilizer. Cereal Technology 71: 206-216.
3. Pellet D, Levy L, Courvoisier N, Baux A, Schwaerzel R, **Herrera JM**, Dupuis B, Hiltbrunner J, Charles R. 2017. Les grandes cultures fourragères ou alimentaires: concurrence ou complémentarité? Bulletin SGPW-SSA. 29:5.
2. **Herrera JM**. 2011. Investigación para adaptar los principios de Agricultura de Conservación a las condiciones del Pacífico Norte. Revista ENLACE no. 8: 53-54.
1. Stamp P and **Herrera JM**. 2010. Welche Rolle spielt die Wurzel für die Ertragsbildung von Weizen? Getreide Magazin 4:226-230.

Dissertations:

PhD: Root studies in crop successions a model experiment with spring wheat and catch crops. Swiss Federal Institute of Technology, Switzerland.

Bachelor: Small-scale farmer's land management strategies in Concordia (In Spanish). Universidad de Buenos Aires, Argentina.

Presentations in meetings (Information in language of presentation):

27. XVe European Society for Agronomy Congress. "Alternatives for Herbicide Reduction with Examples on Oilseed Rape and Sugar Beet". 2018, Geneva, Switzerland. Oral presentation.
26. COST WG1 / EPPN2020 workshop. "How can drones and modern phenotyping methods contribute to the understanding of Genotype × Environment interactions (G × E)?". 2017, Novi Sad, Serbia. Oral presentation.
25. 4-tes Treffen der Innovationsgruppe Getreide & Backwaren. "Site-specific prediction of grain yield of winter wheat genotypes by means of machine learning". 2016, Wädenswil, Switzerland. Oral presentation
24. EUCARPIA General Congress. "Identifying the best variety at each site with climatic-limitation covariates". 2016, Zürich, Switzerland. Oral presentation.

23. International Crop Modelling Meeting. "Genotypic predictions and environmental characterization by coupling climate suitability and statistical models". 2016, Berlin, Germany. Poster
22. 3èmes Journées Nationales Grandes Cultures. "Approaches under evaluation for a more precise recommendation of varieties", Morat, Switzerland. Oral presentation.
21. Seminar organized by Institute of Agricultural and Environmental Biosciences (INBA). "Desarrollo de un método no destructivo para identificar raíces de distintas plantas en el suelo". 2013, University of Buenos Aires, Argentina. Oral presentation.
20. Winter Cereals day. "Efecto de la Aplicación de Nitrógeno en el crecimiento y la descomposición de raíces de trigo". 2012, Azul, Argentina. Oral presentation.
19. Nineteenth International Soil Tillage Research Organization Meeting. "Genotype by cropping system interaction effects on the grain yield of irrigated bread and durum wheat". 2012. Montevideo, Uruguay. Oral presentation.
18. Conservation Agriculture Course. "Agricultura de conservación para una producción rentable". Aguascalientes, México. 2012. Oral presentation.
17. Conservation Agriculture Course. "Agricultura de conservación para una producción rentable". San Luis Potosí, México. 2012. Oral presentation.
16. Expo Agrícola Jalisco. "Agricultura de conservación para una producción rentable". Ciudad Guzmán, México. 2012. Oral presentation.
15. XXIII Congreso Argentino y XIX Latinoamericano de la Ciencia del Suelo. "Agricultura de conservación en la producción de trigo bajo riego". 2012. Mar del Plata, Argentina. Poster.
14. XXXV Fall Seminars. "Agricultura de conservación para una producción sustentable". 2011. Escobedo, Nuevo León, México. Oral presentation.
13. Workshops organized by Fideicomisos Instituidos con Relación a la Agricultura (FIRA). "Agricultura de conservación para una producción rentable". 2011. Texcoco, Estado de México, México. Oral presentations.
12. Third Carbon International Symposium. "Reducción de emisiones de gases con efecto invernadero". 2011. Universidad Autónoma del Estado de México, Toluca, México. Oral presentation.
11. Sexto Simposio Internacional de Trigo. "Avances en la Adopción de Agricultura de Conservación en México". 2011. Mazatlán, Sinaloa, México. Oral presentation.
10. Segundo Congreso Internacional de Agronomía Tropical. "Agricultura de conservación, la base de una producción sustentable". 2011. Villahermosa, Tabasco, México. Oral presentation.
9. RootRAP conference. "Root growth and leaching of nitrogen of catch crops - results from a lysimeter project". 2009. Viena. Austria. Poster.
8. Rhizosphere II. "Effects of catch crops on grain yield, nitrogen uptake and root development of succeeding spring wheat at high and low nitrogen supply". 2007. Montpellier, France. Poster.
7. Colorado State University. "Root development of spring wheat as affected by genotypes and interannual variability". 2006. Fort Collins, USA. Oral presentation.
6. Seventh International Wheat Conference. "Root development of spring wheat genotypes varying in nitrogen use efficiency". 2005. Mar del Plata, Argentina. Oral presentation.

5. American Society of Agronomy- Crop Science Society of America- Soil Science Society of America. "Root development of spring wheat in minirhizotrons as affected by genotypes and interannual variability at low and high nitrogen supply". 2005. Salt Lake City, USA. Oral presentation.
4. Roots and the Soil Environment II. Association of Applied Biology. "Root development of catch crops and nitrate losses by leaching after spring wheat". 2005. Nottingham, England. Oral presentation.
3. Roots and the Soil Environment II. Association of Applied Biology. "Root development of spring wheat genotypes". 2005. Nottingham, England. Oral presentation.
2. Sixth International Symposium on Structure and Function of Roots. "Effect of nitrogen on root development of spring wheat". 2003. Stara Lesna, Slovakia. Poster.
1. Eleventh Annual Meeting of the Swiss Society of Agronomy. "Rooting patterns of spring wheat genotypes varying in nitrogen use efficiency". 2002. Zollikofen, Switzerland. Poster.

Contributions in meetings:

15. Torres-Guerrero CA, Gutiérrez-Castorena MC, Herrera JM, Gutiérrez-Castorena EV y Ortiz-Solorio, CA. 2018. La descomposición de las raíces y su relación con la estructura del suelo: análisis *in situ* y mosaicos de alta resolución de secciones delgadas. XLII Congreso Nacional Sociedad Mexicana de la Ciencia del Suelo.
14. Torres-Guerrero CA, Gutiérrez-Castorena MDC, Ortiz-Solorio CA, Herrera JM, Gutiérrez EV, Etchevers BJD. 2016. Micromapping the effect of root decomposition on the soil structure. 15TH International Conference on soil micromorphology, Mexico City, Mexico.
13. Baux A, Wegmüller J, **Herrera JM**, Holzkämper A. 2016. Identifying oilseed rape climatic limitation to understand regional and annual yield variability. 14TH European Society of Agronomy Congress. Edinburgh, Scotland.
12. **Herrera JM**, Holzkämper A, Levy-Häner L, Didier Pellet. 2016. Identifying the best variety at each site with climatic-limitation covariates. 20TH General Congress EUCARPIA, Zürich, Switzerland. Oral presentation.
11. Casali L, **Herrera JM**, Rubio G. 2016. Cambio Climático y residuos de cosecha: efecto sobre el Maíz en el Chaco semiárido. XXV Congreso Argentino de la Ciencia del Suelo. Río Cuarto, Argentina. Poster presentation.
10. **Herrera JM**, Levy Häner L, Holzkämper A, Pellet D. 2016. Genotypic predictions and environmental characterization by coupling climate suitability and statistical models. International Crop Modelling Symposium, Berlin Germany. Poster.
9. Calitri F, Necpalova M, Lee J, Zaccone C, Spiess E, **Herrera JM**, Six J. 2016. Regional modelling of nitrate leaching from Swiss organic and conventional cropping systems under climate change. European Geosciences Union General Assembly 216, Vienna, Austria. Poster
8. Mugny C, **Herrera JM**, Baux A, Pellet D. 2015. The development of HOLL oilseed rape in Switzerland: a success story. 2nd High Oleic Oils Congress, Paris, France. Oral presentation.
7. Mugny C, **Herrera JM**, Baux A, Aebi L, Krattiger JP, Von Rotz J, Eberhard P, Pellet D. 2015. Evolution of High Oleic Low Linolenic (HOLL) winter oilseed rape (WOSR) production in Switzerland: how agricultural innovations can open markets and increase production options. 14th International Rapeseed Congress, Saskatoon, Canada. Oral presentation.

6. **Mugny C**, Baux A, **Herrera JM**, Rougier M, Pellet D. 2015. Effects of solar radiation and temperature on alpha-linolenic acid content of High Oleic Low Linolenic (HOLL) Oilseed Rape. 14th International Rapeseed Congress, Saskatoon, Canada. Poster.
5. **Mugny C**, **Herrera JM**, Charles R, Baux A, Pellet D. 2015. Management of oilseed rape (OSR) volunteers to secure low alpha-linolenic acid content in High Oleic Low Linolenic (HOLL) OSR crop. 14th International Rapeseed Congress, Saskatoon, Canada. Poster.
4. **Casali L**, **Herrera JM**, Rubio G. 2014. Predicción de las limitantes del rendimiento de Maíz en Haplustoles del este de Santiago del Estero mediante modelos DSSAT. XXIV Congreso Argentino de la Ciencia del Suelo. Bahía Blanca, Argentina. Oral presentation.
3. Herter P, Szczerba D, **Herrera JM**, **Hund A**. 2009. Modeling the root system of maize to predict water and phosphorus uptake. International Symposium “Root Research and Applications - RootRAP”. Vienna, Austria. Oral presentation.
2. **Britschgi D**, Stamp P, **Herrera JM**, Liedgens M. 2009. Spatial root interaction of maize and two important weed species. International Symposium “Root Research and Applications - RootRAP”. Vienna, Austria. Poster.
1. **Faget M**, Liedgens M, **Herrera JM**, Frossard E, Stamp P. Green fluorescent protein (GFP) – A tool to identify roots in mixed plant stands. International Symposium “Root Research and Applications - RootRAP”. Vienna, Austria. Poster.

Management of research projects: Wheat Advisor, Switzerland (2019-2023); INVITE, Europe (2019-2024): Work package (WP) 6 and Task 6.1; INNOVAR, Europe (2019-2024): activities for WP4 in Switzerland; SolACE, Europe (2017-2022): Wheat activities for WP3 in Changins-Switzerland

Evaluation activities:

Journals: Acta Agriculturae Scandinavica (1), Agriscentia (1), Agricultural Systems (1), Agronomy Journal (1), Archives of Agronomy and Crop Science (1), Biosystems (1), Computers and Electronics in Agriculture (1), Crop Science (2), Euphytica (1), European Journal of Agronomy (2), Journal of Environmental Quality (1), Journal of Integrative Agriculture (1), Journal of Soil and Water Conservation (20), Pakistan Journal of Scientific and Industrial Research (1), Journal of Plant Nutrition and Soil Science (6), New Phytologist (1), Plant and Soil (1), PLOS One (1), Science of the Total Environment (1), Terra (1), and Weed Science (2).

Research projects: Universidad de Mar del Plata, Argentina (2020); University of Guelph, Canada (2020); CONICET, Argentina (2016), Universidad Autónoma de Chapingo, México (2012); Universidad Autónoma de Nuevo León, México (2011); Swiss Federal Institute of Technology (2006-2010).

Postgraduate courses:

Modeling and statistics: Geo-computation (Spatial Ecology Net – Matera, 2017); Stics v8 (INRA – Toulouse, 2015); DSSAT v4.5 (University of Georgia, 2010); The art of modelling (University of Wageningen, 2008); Model selection and inference (University of Zürich, 2004); Spatial statistics and time

series analysis (University of Basel, 2005); Multivariate analysis techniques (Plant Science Center, Switzerland (PSC, 2004)); Linear models (PSC, 2003); Generalized linear models (PSC, 2003).

Agronomy and plant breeding: Image analysis for Plant Phenotyping (Wageningen University and Research, 2016); Field Phenomics (University of Arizona, 2015); Conservation agriculture (CIMMYT, 2011); Soil ecology (University of Wageningen, 2007); Functional genomics (PSC, 2007); QTL analysis (PSC, 2005); Introduction to phylogenetic analysis (PSC, 2004); Gas exchange measurements (PSC, 2004); Transport processes in plants (PSC, 2004); Understanding the transfer of nutrients and contaminants from the soil to the plant using isotopes (PSC, 2003).

Teaching, supervision and administration: MindManager Software (México, 2011); Introduction to university teaching and learning (PSC, 2005); Effective leading and coaching (PSC, 2004); Project management for scientific intents (PSC, 2003); Scientific writing (PSC, 2002); Presentations, publishing, communicating (PSC, 2002); Balanced scorecard (Repsol-YPF, 2000); Negotiations (Buenos Aires Institute of Technology, 2000); Supply Food Chain Management (University of Buenos Aires, 2000); Producer Organizations and Marketing Strategies (University of Buenos Aires, 2000); Formulation and evaluation of agricultural development projects (University of Buenos Aires, 1999).