

## Curriculum vitae – Esteban Tapella

### CURRICULUM VITAE

1. **Family name:** TAPELLA
2. **First names:** Esteban
3. **Date of birth:** October 13, 1964
4. **Passport holder:** Argentinean, Italian
5. **Education:**



Institution [Date from - Date to]	Degree(s) or Diploma(s) obtained:
Doctoral studies at Agricultural Sciences Department of National University of Córdoba, Argentina.	<b>PhD in Agricultural and Social Science</b> (cum laude). Thesis topic. "Social and Environmental Heterogeneity and Ecosystem Services in the Dry Forest in Argentina. A multi-actor and interdisciplinary oriented assessment"
Institute of Social Studies The Hague, The Netherlands. Scholarship World Bank <b>2001</b>	<b>MASTER OF ART IN DEVELOPMENT STUDIES</b> (cum laude)
Department of Social Sciences at the National University of San Juan, Argentina <b>1989</b>	<b>SOCIAL WORKER.</b> Bachelor's Degree (cum laude)
<p><b>POSTGRADUATE AND SPECIALISATION COURSES</b> (only most relevant courses):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>(2016)</b> Workshop '<b>Going Deep on Participatory and collaborative Approaches to Evaluation</b>', conducted by J. Bradley Cousins, Hind Al Hudib and Lyn Shulha, as part of the Conference of the American Evaluation Association, held in Atlanta, USA, October 25.</li> <li>- <b>(2016)</b> Workshop '<b>The Seven Habits of Highly Utilized Evaluations</b>', conducted by Kylie Hutchinson, as part of the Conference of the American Evaluation Association, held in Atlanta, USA, October 24.</li> <li>- <b>(2016)</b> Workshop '<b>Applying Systems Concepts to the Evaluation / Review of An Evaluation Unit</b>', conducted by Bob Williams and Marlene Läubli Loud, as part of the Conference of European Evaluation Society, Maastricht, September 26-30.</li> <li>- <b>(2008)</b> Postgraduate course '<b>Evaluation of Sustainability</b>', 7-22 October, Saarland, Germany. EASY-ECO Program, Research Institute for Managing Sustainability, Vienna University of Economics and Business Administration (Austria) and the Center for Evaluation (CEVal), Saarland University (Germany).</li> <li>- <b>(2008)</b> Postgraduate course '<b>European Ecosystems: Managing Biodiversity</b>', Potsdam Institute for Climate Impact Research and developed in Peyresq, France, from 2-14 September.</li> <li>- <b>(2008)</b> Postgraduate course '<b>Ecosystem Services and Society</b>', January 21 to February 1, in Centro de Investigación en Ecosistemas (CIECO), Universidad Autónoma de Mexico (UNAM), Morelia, México.</li> <li>- <b>(2007)</b> Postgraduate course in '<b>Ecologic Anthropology and Environmental Conflicts</b>' Universidad Nacional de Córdoba, from August to September.</li> <li>- <b>(2007)</b> Postgraduate course in '<b>Methodologies for Qualitative Research</b>', National Council of Scientific Research and Technologies (CONICET), Buenos Aires, 27-31 August, 2007).</li> <li>- <b>(1998)</b> Postgraduate Course in '<b>Science Methodology</b>'; National Universities of Salta.</li> <li>- <b>(1997)</b> Postgraduate Course in '<b>Development</b>' (18-29 November, 1997), National Universities of Salta.</li> <li>- <b>(1997)</b> Specialisation Course in '<b>Strategic Planning</b>' (10-11 November, 1997), Information, Monitoring, and</li> </ul>	

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Evaluation System for Social Programmes (SIEMPRO), Ministry of Social Development.

- (1995) Specialisation Course in ‘**Methodologies for the Administrative Management of Developing Programmes**’ (10 December, 1995), National Secretariat of Agriculture, Livestock, Fishing and Food.
- (1994) Specialisation course in ‘**Methodologies for Financial Assessment of Investment Projects for Small Farmers**’ (19-22 November, 1994), National Secretariat of Agriculture, Livestock, Fishing and Food.
- (1994) Specialisation Course in ‘**Project Cycle and Participatory Planning**’ (27-30 June, 1994), National Secretariat of Agriculture, Livestock, Fishing and Food.
- (1993) Course in ‘**Methodology for Qualitative Evaluation of Social Projects**’ (20-24 April), National University of San Juan, Argentina.
- (1992) Postgraduate Course in ‘**Qualitative and Quantitative Methodologies and Techniques for Research in the Social Sciences**’ National University of Mendoza, Argentina.
- (1991) ‘**International Course for Co-operative Training**’ (3 March – 31 May, 1991), Inter-American Co-operative Institute (ICI) in Panama.

### 6. Language skills: Indicate competence on a scale of 1 to 5 (1 - excellent; 5 - basic)

Language	Reading	Speaking	Writing
Spanish	1	1	1
English	1	2	1
Portuguese	2	3	3
Italian	2	3	5

### 7. Membership of professional bodies:

- Member of the **Executive Board of Latin American Network for Monitoring, Evaluation and Systematization (RELAC) (2014-2017)** <http://noticiasrelac.ning.com/>
- Member of the **Executive Board of International Organization for Cooperation in Evaluation (IOCE) (2012-2015)** <http://www.ioce.net/en/index.php>
- Member of the **Social Science Commission of National University of San Juan, Argentina (2014 to the present)**
- Member of the **Academic Committee of Postgraduate Programme on Evaluation for Development (FLACSO – Chile)**
- Member of the **Latin America and Caribbean Network on Food Security, Human Nutrition and Sustainable Development (REDLAYC)** <http://www.redlayc.net>
- **Member of Diversus Network for Research on Biodiversity and Sustainability** [www.nucleodiversus.org](http://www.nucleodiversus.org)

8. **Other skills:** Computer literacy and ability to use word processing and other standard software under Windows environment (MS Word, Excel, PowerPoint, CorelDraw, Project, EndNote, Atlasti, etc.). Experience on statistical and accounting data bases and credit software operation. Familiarity with Internet and grey material findings

**Philanthropy photographer.** See [www.estebantapella.com](http://www.estebantapella.com)

9. **Present position: Professor and Researcher** at the Social Science Department, National University of San Juan, Argentina, and freelance **consultant** in project management, monitoring and evaluation

10. **Years within the firm: 26** (starting from 1990 to the present) Position obtained through an open contest

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### 11. Key qualifications:

Post graduate and specialisation courses in fields involving in-depth socio-economic analysis, qualitative, quantitative, and participatory research methodologies, and policy making and human resource management. Post graduate courses in Impact Evaluation, Systematization, Outcome Mapping, Evaluation of Sustainability and Qualitative Evaluation. 26 years of increasing professional responsibilities and experience in areas of community and rural development and social planning, particularly with the co-ordination and management of social policies and training programmes at local, regional and national levels. Substantive experience in project identification and formulation, implementation, monitoring and evaluation of development programmes in areas such as agriculture, rural housing and training of community leaders and extension workers, both in the public and private sectors.

### 12. Specific experience in the region:

Country	Date from - Date to
<b>Costa Rica</b>	June 2016 to February 2017, contracted by Deutsches Evaluierungsinstitut der Entwicklungszusammenarbeit gGmbH (DEVAL) to design and facilitate the Participatory Evaluation of Programa Nacional de Prevención y Atención del Cáncer en Valle la Estrella, Costa Rica.
<b>Germany</b>	September 2017, contracted by Deutsches Evaluierungsinstitut der Entwicklungszusammenarbeit gGmbH (DEVAL) to design and facilitate workshop on Participatory Evaluation with focus on use and learning in DeVAL headquarters oriented to support DeVAL team.
<b>Costa Rica</b>	2015 (November-December) Trainer and consultant in FOCEVAL Project ( <i>Fomento de las Capacidades de Evaluación en Centroamérica</i> , to design and coordinate the course on Participatory Evaluation with focus on use and learning”; contracted by Deutsches Evaluierungsinstitut der Entwicklungszusammenarbeit gGmbH (DEVAL).
<b>Ecuador</b>	2013 (April) Co-coordination of project design in the second Colloquium on Knowledge Integration at the Science-Policy Interface (C2013), developed by Inter-American Institute for Global Change Research and Training Institute Seed Grant Program (TISG).
<b>Costa Rica</b>	2012 (November – December) Trainer in the post graduate course “Train of Trainers in Evaluation”, developed by FOCEVAL ( <a href="http://foceval.com/?lang=en">http://foceval.com/?lang=en</a> ), supported by GIZ and CeVAL.
<b>Costa Rica</b>	2010 (July) Training workshop coordinated together with Jim Rugh on Real World Evaluation Approach, as part of The International Conference on Evaluation. ReLAC 2010.
<b>Chile</b>	2008 (January) and 2009 (January and November) Evaluation course in the master Program on Social Management and Public Policy at FLACSO Chile
<b>Brazil and Guatemala</b>	2007 (October) and 2008 (September), Consultancy for ActionAid International, to design, develop and monitoring the Systematization of Development Experiences.
Different Latin American Countries ( <b>Colombia, Panamá, Ecuador and Chile</b> )	Meetings and seminar to design a Master Program on Evaluation. Formulation in 2006 (July) and 2007 (August). Study Program started in Jun 2008 to may 2009, FLACSO -Chile
Lentisco Project ( <b>Latin American and European Universities</b> ) – ALFA program	2002 – 2005 Coordinated by Roskilde University. In participated on behalf of national University of San Juan,
<b>Argentina</b> . Sustainable Development Training Project (supported by Global and Environmental Facility . the World Bank)	Part time contract from Jan 2003 to Dec 2006, participating in project design and coordination in San Juan, Argentina.
Cluster Evaluation in <b>Brazil</b> for Action Aid International	October 2007, I participated in designing and implementing Training and Evaluation project
<b>Argentina</b> for the Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA)	Part time contract from 2006 to 2007, to design and implement a training project to Strengthen the Management of three Rural Microfinance Institutions.
<b>Costa Rica</b> for Inter American Institute for Global Change Research	December 2007, participated in the identification and formulation of the Research and Training Project Functional Biodiversity

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13. Professional experience

Date from - Date to	Location	Company	Position	Description
June 2016 - February 2017	Costa Rica	Deutsches Evaluierungsinstitut der Entwicklungszusammenarbeit gGmbH (DEVAL)	Trainer and evaluator	Design and facilitation of the Participatory Evaluation of Programa Nacional de Prevención y Atención del Cáncer en Valle la Estrella, Costa Rica.
September 2016	Germany	Deutsches Evaluierungsinstitut der Entwicklungszusammenarbeit gGmbH (DEVAL)	Trainer	Design and facilitation of a workshop on Participatory Evaluation with focus on use and learning, developed in DeVAL headquarters oriented to support DeVAL team.
November-December 2015	Costa Rica	Deutsches Evaluierungsinstitut der Entwicklungszusammenarbeit gGmbH (DEVAL).	Trainer and consultant	Design and coordination of training course for Central American Social Organization Leaders on “Participatory Evaluation with focus on use and learning”, organized by FOCEVAL Project ( <i>Fomento de las Capacidades de Evaluación en Centroamérica</i> ).
December 2015	Argentina	UCAR ( <i>Unidad para el Cambio Rural</i> ) and The World Bank (BIRF 7520-AR)	Trainer	Design and coordination of an evaluation workshop for adopting lessons learned from the evaluation process in 79 Small Farmers Forestry Development Projects in different provinces in Argentina.
May-September 2015	Argentina	UCAR ( <i>Unidad para el Cambio Rural</i> ) and The World Bank (BIRF 7520-AR)	Evaluator	Consultant to design and guide the Mid-term Evaluation of 12 Small Farmers Forestry Development Projects in provinces of Jujuy and Salta, northern Argentina.

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June-July 2014	Benin	Ministry of Public Policy Evaluation (Benin)	Lecturer	Workshop on <b>systematization of experiences, a learning oriented evaluation methodology</b> , developed during the Third Benin Evaluation Days (June 28 to July 2)
May 2014	Argentina	Unidad para el Cambio Rural (UCAR) y la Fundación ArgenINTA,	Evaluator	<b>Ex ante Evaluation of applied research projects</b> submitted to Programme of Forestry Sustainability and Competitiveness, supported by The International Development Bank (IDB)
March 2014	Rome - Italy	The Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations	Consultant on Evaluation	Participation as evaluator in the <b>Expert Consultation on Experience Capitalization</b> to design a learning curriculum on experience capitalization to be developed by FAO Knowledge Outreach Team (March 25 – 27)
March 2014	Cameroon	AFREA	Lecturer	Workshop on <b>systematization of experiences, a learning oriented evaluation methodology</b> , developed during the conference of the African Evaluation Association (AFREA)
September to December 2013	Argentina	National Ministry of Agriculture. Secretary of Forest Development	Evaluator	<b>Systematization of the experiences</b> of 4 forest development programmes in different provinces of Argentina, implemented by Forest Secretary and supported by the World Bank.
April 2013	Ecuador		Team member Evaluator	Co-coordination of project design to submit <b>proposals oriented to promote Initiatives on research and science-policy interface</b> to the Training Institute Seed Grant Program (TISG). It was developed during the Colloquium on Knowledge Integration at the Science-Policy Interface (C2013) supported by the Inter-American Institute for Global Change Research.

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November to December 2012	Costa Rica	Centrum For Evaluation (CEval) CEval Consult GmbH <a href="http://www.ceval.de">http://www.ceval.de</a>	<b>Lecturer</b>	Professional and methodological planning, preparation, conduction and post-processing of two modules of the course “ <b>Train the Trainer in Evaluation</b> ”, as follows: (a) Evaluation in the public and institutional context in Latin America and Reporting, (b) Developing an organizational consultancy for the public sector. Reference: Dr. Stefan Silvestrini <a href="mailto:s.silvestrini@ceval.de">s.silvestrini@ceval.de</a>
August to November 2011	Argentina	National Ministry of Agriculture. Secretary of Forest Development	<b>Lecturer</b>	Training on <b>Project Management, Monitoring and Evaluation</b> , oriented to the Staff of the Agricultural Ministry (mainly agricultural and forest engineers working in 20 provinces for the implementation of the Forest Development Programme with Small Farmers). It was an extensive training, including the following topics: theory of change, project management, project identification and participatory appraisal, project design, ex ante evaluation, monitoring, final evaluation, systematization, etc. Reference: Monica Catania ( <a href="mailto:mcatan2000@yahoo.com.ar">mcatan2000@yahoo.com.ar</a> )
September, 2010	Argentina	Red Argentina de Instituciones de Microfinanzas RADIM	<b>Lecturer</b>	Training on <b>Evaluation of Rural Development Projects</b> , oriented to young professionals working in NGOs and Public institutions in charge of Monitoring and Evaluation. Reference: Magdalena Frigerio ( <a href="mailto:mfrigerio@reddemicrocredito.org">mfrigerio@reddemicrocredito.org</a> )
November, 2009	Argentina	National University of Córdoba	<b>Evaluator</b>	Member of the team in charge of doing a background and performance <b>evaluation of three lecturers for the Social Planning course at the Social Science</b> Department of this University. Reference: Nora Aquín ( <a href="mailto:noraquin@arnet.com.ar">noraquin@arnet.com.ar</a> )
December, 2009	Argentina	National Council for University Evaluation (CONEAU)	<b>Evaluator</b>	<b>Ex-ante Evaluation</b> of two master programmes on rural development to be implemented by two national universities en Misiones and Entre Rios, Argentina. Reference: Natalia Copolla CONEAU Tel 54 (11) 4815-1767 / 1798 / 1545

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September, 2008	Guatemala	ActionAid International	Evaluator and Lecturer	<b>Monitoring and Evaluation of systematization experience</b> in ActionAid Guatemala. This experience was connected with preparation and approval of the comprehensive youth development law. Reference: Rosario León ( <a href="mailto:Rosario.Leon@actionaid.org">Rosario.Leon@actionaid.org</a> )
April, 2008	Argentina, Paraguay y Uruguay	United Nation Development Program (UNDP)	Evaluator	<b>Ex ante Evaluation of project</b> 'Acciones para la reducción de la pobreza y mejorar las condiciones de vida de madres y niños en Argentina, Paraguay y Uruguay'. Referente: Iván Momeño ( <a href="mailto:ivan.momeno@undp.org">ivan.momeno@undp.org</a> )
October, 2007	Brazil	ActionAid International	Lecturer	<b>Design and development of a training course on Systematization</b> of Experiences in ActionAid Americas (AAI), and write a special document on the topic, Río de Janeiro, Brasil, October 2007. Reference: Rosario León ( <a href="mailto:Rosario.Leon@actionaid.org">Rosario.Leon@actionaid.org</a> )
May, 2007	Argentina	National University of San Juan	Academic Evaluator	<b>Evaluation of papers presented to the II International Congress of Philosophy</b> , National University of San Juan, Argentina, 5-12 July, 2007. Reference: Juana Raiano ( <a href="mailto:juanitaraiano@sinectis.com.ar">juanitaraiano@sinectis.com.ar</a> )
April, 2007	Colombia	RELAC	Academic Evaluator	<b>Evaluation of papers presented to the II Conference</b> "Contributions to the Evaluation of Governance and Democracy", Latin American Network for Monitoring and Evaluation (RELAC), Bogotá, Colombia, 17-21 July, 2007. Reference: Sergio Martinic ( <a href="mailto:smartini@uc.cl">smartini@uc.cl</a> )
April to December 2007	Argentina	World Bank	Evaluator	Part time contract to design and implement a <b>Cluster Evaluation of the Sustainable Development</b> initiative in San Juan and Córdoba provinces. Reference: Robert Davis ( <a href="mailto:rdavis1@worldbank.org">rdavis1@worldbank.org</a> )
July, 2006	Colombia	RELAC/UNICEF	Lecturer and Evaluator	<b>Design of E-learning Master Programme on Evaluation</b> , starting in 2008, FLACSO Chile. Reference: Andres Palma ( <a href="mailto:andres.palma@flacso.cl">andres.palma@flacso.cl</a> )
2006 (15 to 29 March)	Denmark	Roskilde University	Lecturer	<b>Lecturer of the international course</b> 'European Union and International Local Development Projects: Management and Evaluation Tools' Roskilde University, 15-29 March, 2006. Reference: Andrea Gallina ( <a href="mailto:agallina@ruc.dk">agallina@ruc.dk</a> )



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April, 2006	Argentina	National University of Gral Sarmiento	Academic Evaluator	External reviewer and evaluator of the Master of Science thesis on Social Economy entitled "Outreach of Microfinance in Local Development" by Ruth Muñoz. Reference: José Luis Coraggio ( <a href="mailto:jcoraggi@ungs.edu.ar">jcoraggi@ungs.edu.ar</a> or <a href="mailto:jcoraggio@yahoo.com">jcoraggio@yahoo.com</a> )
April 2006 to June 2007	Argentina	JICA	Lecturer and Evaluator	Part ime contract to assess, design and Implement a training project for Microfinance Institutions. Reference: Yayoi Sato ( <a href="mailto:jicaag-gyomu@jica.go.jp">jicaag-gyomu@jica.go.jp</a> )
February 2006 to December 2007	Argentina	National University of San Juan	Researcher	Research position at PETAS ( <a href="http://www.petas.com.ar">www.petas.com.ar</a> ) in the National University of San Juan, to design indicators to assess sustainability of small farmer systems. Pablo Rodriguez-Bilella ( <a href="mailto:pablo67@gmail.com">pablo67@gmail.com</a> )
June 2005 to May 2006	Argentina	World Bank	Evaluator	Part time contract to do the Cluster Evaluation of the experience of Kollas' organization in the highland community in Salta. Reference: Susana Aparicio ( <a href="mailto:aparicio@bbt.net.ar">aparicio@bbt.net.ar</a> )
April to December 2005	Argentina	Social and Agricultural Programme	Evaluator and Lecturer	Design and implement a training programme on micro-credit PSA Directors in 21 provinces. Monica Catania ( <a href="mailto:mcatan2000@yahoo.com.ar">mcatan2000@yahoo.com.ar</a> )
February 2005 to December 2006	Argentina	World Bank	Evaluator and Project management	Design an implement the ongoing evaluation system for sustainable development projects supported by the Global and Environmental Facility and National Park System in Argentina. Robert Davis ( <a href="mailto:rdavis1@worldbank.org">rdavis1@worldbank.org</a> )
April to December 2005	Argentina	IBRD – World Bank	Evaluator	Part time contract o do the impact evaluation of 42 productive projects, implemented in 3 provinces by the Programa Social Agopecuario with the auspicious of the World Bank. Reference: Susana Aparicio ( <a href="mailto:aparicio@bbt.net.ar">aparicio@bbt.net.ar</a> )

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May to December 2004	Argentina	Social and Agricultural Programme	Evaluator	Part time contract to do the <b>evaluation of financial performance and social impact</b> of Programa Social agropecuario (PSA) and design policy implications for PSA Staff. Reference: Monica Catania ( <a href="mailto:mcatan2000@yahoo.com.ar">mcatan2000@yahoo.com.ar</a> )
October, 2005	México	Chapingo University/EC ALFA Programme	Evaluator	External <b>reviewer and evaluator of Master thesis</b> on Innovation Studies and Co-Development, entitled "The New orientation of rural finances in Mexico", from CIESTAAM, Chapingo University, México, that was developed under the ALFA programme in the Lentisco Network.
September, 2005	Argentina	National University of San Juan/ EC ALFA Programme	Academic Evaluator	External <b>reviewer and evaluator of the Master thesis</b> on Innovation Studies and Co-Development, entitled "Small Farmers Producers in a Large Markets", from National University of San Juan, Argentina, , that was developed under the ALFA programme in the Lentisco Network.
February 2003 to December 2005	Argentina	National University of San Juan	Co-director researcher	<b>Research position</b> to develop the Study Structural Reforms and the Agrarian Question in San Juan, Argentina: new ruralities, new policies?
September 2003 to June 2004	Argentina	National University of San Juan/ EC ALFA Programme	Lecturer, researcher and evaluator	Member of the <b>Latin America-European Network</b> for Technology Innovation Studies and Co-Development, within the European Union ALFA Program. Researcher in the network and lecturer in the Master programme "Regional Integration and Sustainable Development Academic Training. A Euro-Latin America Cooperation in Social Sciences and Technology Studies".
May 2002 to June 2003	Argentina	Kellogg Foundation	Evaluator	Part time contract to do the <b>cluster evaluation</b> of five large scale projects in the field of agro-ecology, food security and sustainable development.
February 2002 to December 2003	Argentina	National University of San Juan	Researcher	Research position to <b>develop the Study</b> "Designing Scales and Indicators to Measure Development".

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<b>June to October 2002</b>	Argentina	IBRD – world Bank and Programa Social Agropecuario	<b>Evaluator</b>	Part time contract to do the <b>social impact evaluation</b> of 24 productive projects in 2 provinces, implemented by Programa Social Agropecuario., partially supported by The world Bank. Reference: Monica Catania ( <a href="mailto:mcatan2000@yahoo.com.ar">mcatan2000@yahoo.com.ar</a> ) and Susana Aparicio ( <a href="mailto:aparicio@bbt.net.ar">aparicio@bbt.net.ar</a> ).
<b>2002 2004</b>	Argentina	World Bank	<b>Researcher</b>	<b>Social and Economic Appraisal</b> of Buffer zone of San Guillermo National Park population
<b>June 1999</b>	Argentina	World Bank and Commission for University Evaluation and Accreditation	<b>Academic Evaluator</b>	<b>Evaluation of 12 Masters Study Programmes</b> in the area of agriculture, natural resources and sustainable development.
<b>June to October 1999</b>	Argentina	GTZ	<b>Project Official</b>	<b>Implementation of 3 projects</b> to mitigate the impact of desertification in San Juan.
<b>1997 to 2010</b>	Argentina	National University of San Juan	<b>Researcher</b>	Member of the <i>Programa de Estudios del Trabajo, el Ambiente y la Sociedad</i> (PETAS) <a href="http://www.petas.com.ar">www.petas.com.ar</a>
<b>October 1998 to the present</b>	Argentina	National University of San Juan	<b>Lecturer</b>	<b>Lecturing the Social Planning Course</b> at the Department of Social Sciences
<b>April 1994 to August 2000</b>	Argentina	Ministry of Agriculture	<b>Director</b>	<b>Director of the Social and Agricultural Programme</b> in San Juan province.
<b>October 1989to March1994</b>	Argentina	Ministry of Education	<b>Lecturer and project official</b>	<b>Coordinator</b> of the Interdisciplinary Bureau of Education

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<b>February 1989 to December 1993</b>	Argentina	National University of San Juan	<b>Researcher and evaluator</b>	<b>Research position</b> at the Institute of Social and Economic Research to do the Study on “Development of Small Scale training projects in the Andes”.
<b>October to December 1988</b>	Argentina	Ministry of Education	<b>Project official</b>	Appraisal of Technical and Education Programme for rural areas.

## 14. Other relevant information

### RESEARCH SEMINARS AND CONFERENCE DISSERTATIONS (only most recent)

- (2016) Co-author and presenter of “**Evaluation Standards for Latin America and the Caribbean**”, discussed in the round table (Session ID:1262) at the American Evaluation Association conference, in Atlanta, Georgia, USA, October 24-29.
- (2016) Author and presenter of the paper “**Are Parliamentarians Successful Advocates for Evaluation?**”, discussed in the central panel (Session ID: 1124) at the American Evaluation Association conference, in Atlanta, Georgia, USA, October 24-29.
- (2016) Author and presenter of the paper “**Shared Learning and Participatory Evaluation: a case of Multi-stakeholder Systematization of the Sustainable Development Project in the Andes, Argentina**”, discussed in parallel sessions (Session ID: 1056) at the American Evaluation Association conference, in Atlanta, Georgia, USA, October 24-29.
- (2016) Discussant of the paper ‘**Evaluation Globe – Compendium on the World-Wide Institutionalization of Evaluation**’, commenting on the Concept for the Evaluation Globe from an American Perspective, developed in the Round Table on Evaluation Systems, Organizations and Partnerships, 12<sup>th</sup> Conference of European Evaluation Society, in Maastricht, The Netherlands, September 26-30.
- (2016) Panelist in the session ‘**The Guiding Force of Standards - Do They Really Help to Ensure Professionalism?**’, developed in the panel session Evaluation Ethics, Governance, and Professionalism, at the 12th Conference of European Evaluation Society, in Maastricht, The Netherlands, September 26-30.
- (2015) Author and presenter of the paper “**Incluyendo la sistematización y la evaluación de impacto en la cultura de la organización de una forma sencilla, accesible y útil**”, presented at the International seminar “La sistematización: una oportunidad de mejora para la medición del impacto y el aprendizaje”, developed in Universidad Loyola, Andalucía, Sevilla, España, April 7 to 8.
- (2014) Co-author of the paper “**Capitalisation et systématisation d’expériences: pertinence et utilisation des approches d’évaluation orientées vers l’apprentissage en contexte de développement**”, presented at the Forum International Francophone de l’Evaluation Evaluation des Politiques Publiques et bonne gouvernance, Senegal, October 27 to 30.
- (2014) Co-author of the paper “**Evaluaciones para aprender, aprendizajes para mejorar. Sistematización de un proyecto de desarrollo sustentable en Argentina**”, presented at the VII Seminar on Sociology and Public Policy at the National University of La Plata, Buenos Aires, December 3 to 5.
- (2014) Co-author of the paper “**Evaluaciones para aprender, aprendizajes para mejorar. Sistematización de un proyecto de desarrollo sustentable en Argentina**”, presented during the International Seminar on Evaluation at the National University of Lanus, Buenos Aires Argentina. September 11-12.
- (2014) Author of the paper “**Logros y desafíos de las organizaciones voluntarias de evaluación. De cara al 2015, año internacional de la evaluación**”, presented during the International Seminar on Evaluation at the National University of Lanus, Buenos Aires Argentina. September 11-12.
- (2014) Author of the paper “**Contribution of the Scientific and Academic Community to the Development of Evaluation**”, presented during the Third edition of Benin Evaluation days, entitled “Evaluation for Accelerating the Implementation of the Millennium Development Goals”, en Cotonou, Benin, 30 June - 2 July, 2014.
- (2013) Author of the paper “**Logros y desafíos de las organizaciones voluntarias de evaluación: el caso de la Red de Seguimiento, Evaluación y Sistematización de América Latina y el Caribe (ReLAC)**”, presented during the en el 7º National Congress of Public Administration in mendoza, Argentina, September 18 to 20.
- (2013) Author of paper “**How to learn from development practice? The systematization approach to assess complex interventions**”, presented in IDEAS Global Assembly and International Conference in Barbados, from 6 to 9 May.
- (2012) Author of the paper “**Shared Learning and Participatory Evaluation. The Systematization Approach to Assess Development Interventions**” presented to the Biennial Conference of the European Evaluation Society, developed in Helsinki, Finland, October 1 to 5.
- (2012) Co-author of the paper “**Land Use Change, Social Actors and Environmental Conflicts in Central**

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- **(2010)** Author of the paper **“Incidencia Para El Cambio. Sistematización de tres experiencias en Guatemala, Brasil y USA”**, presented at the III Internacional conference on Evaluation organised by the Latin American network on Monitoring, Evaluation and Systematization (ReLAC) and the University of Costa Rica, in San José, July 28 to 30.
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