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Since 1998, CEO of the Foundation “Montes de Toledo Protected Designation of Origin Regulatory Council”. Responsible of management, promotion and product certification of this Protected Designation of origin and its tasting panel of virgin olive oils.

External collaborator with the Spanish Accreditation Body (ENAC) as technical auditor for the accomplishment of product certification audits in the olive oil sector.

Qualified as sensory judge and panel leader, has conducted olive oil workshops and seminars all over the world, including European Union, USA, Japan, China, Korea, México and others, and been jury member in various international olive oil competitions such as Spanish Ministry of Agriculture awards, Evooleum and Iberoleum guides in Spain, Olive Japan International Competition, Australian International Olive Awards, Athena IOOC and others.

Member of the Board of Trustees of the Mediterranean Diet Foundation, representing the Montes de Toledo foundation, and of the advisory board of the Institute of Gastronomic Culture of Castilla La Mancha.