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Summary of CV

This section describes briefly a summary of your career in science, academic and research; the main scientific and technological achievements and goals in your line of research in the medium -and long- term. It also includes other important aspects or peculiarities.

Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D) in particle and nuclear physics, specialized in R&D particle detectors used in field of particle physics or medecine and astroparticle physics, Cosmic Rays. My Ph.D supervisors were Juan A. Garzón Heydt and Pablo Cabanelas Eiras at Universidade de Santiago de Compostela (USC), A Coruña - Galice, Spain. **The Ph.D certificate was recognized by the Université Libre de Bruxelles (ULB), Belgium.** The title of my Ph.D thesis was «Study on the composition and energy of secondary cosmic rays with the Tragaldabas detector».

During my PhD, I have done the study of the response for Trasgo-like detectors and the particle identification with Tragaldabas Cosmic Rays telescope with algorithms. A study of the lateral distribution functions of electron and muon clusters for different nuclei (H, He, C and Fe) under the knee region was also carried out. I have acquired a strong background in tools as C/C++ programming language used in EnsarRoot framework (Ensar :: European Project) and Python programming language to write codes for the execution of simulations using high energy physics (HEP) formulas and the analysis of simulated data applied in the study of particle identification algorithms and response functions/LDF for Trasgo-like detectors. Monte Carlo simulations and Geant4 implemented in EnsarRoot included both events generators programs Corsika and Cry, were also essential for my PhD thesis work. The simulation data acquisition has done with resources from Galicia Supercomputing Center (CESGA) located in USC's campus using BASH scripts with SSH or SFTP remote connection to a CESGA account for reduce the calculation computational times from Corsika or EnsarRoot programs. My contribution to the code of EnsarRoot framework and collaboration was: implement the physics building to the geometry with the detector inside of this, the cosmic rays generator of realistic data from Cry, implement lead layers of 1 and 1.5 cm of thickness between the third and fourth plane of the detector and the implement of identification particle algorithms.

All relevant results of my works were published in scientific papers such as: Proceedings of Sciences (PoS) with «MIDAS : A particle identification tool for the Tragaldabas Cosmic Ray telescope» and «Study of the lateral distribution functions of electron and muon bundles using Trasgo detectors», or/and Physics of Atomic Nuclei of Springer with «TRASGOS: Towards a New Standard for the Regular Measurement of Cosmic Rays» and «The TRASGO Project. Present status and results». These works contribute to the development of Trasgo-like detectors located in Particle Physics department at USC and contribute to Cosmic Ray Physics in general.

Recently, I worked in Medical Physics Research collaborating with the IRIS Research Group at Institute of Corpuscular Physics (IFIC) IFIMED, contracted by the Spanish National





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Research Council (CSIC) for the project 'Valorization of a monitoring system for Hadronic Therapy' (INNVA 1/2021/ 37), financed by the Agencia Valenciana de la Innovación (AVI) and the European Union through FEDER. My tasks are focused on simulation, data analysis and image reconstruction of an imaging system. I worked with tools GATE framework ('https://opengate.readthedocs.io/en/latest/index.html'), ROOT data analysis program, and C/ C++ programming language. I worked developing a source C++ neutronic code for nuclear reactor modelling at ISIRYM Institute of Valencia Polytechnic University (UPV). Nowadays, I work developing a Geant4 code for ISRS of ISOLDE at ICMUV. All relevant information about me (Research Statement, Publication List, Certificates, Thesis manuscript, etc) can be found on my personal website, following link: http://mural.uv.es/yafonbar. Best Skills and Attributes applicable to:

- Data Analysis/Data Science
- Programming languages as C/C++, G4, Python, Matlab, or Mathematica
- Software Development

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- Mathematics, Physics and Technical Educational teaching.











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Current professional situation

 Employing entity: Valencia University (UV)
 Type of entity: University Research Institute

 Department: Institute of Materials Science (ICMUV)
 Professional category: Postdoctoral Researcher

 Start date: 24/03/2024
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 Type of contract: Temporary employment contract
 Dedication regime: Full time

 Performed tasks: Nowadays, I work developing a source Geant4 code for the Superconducting Recoil Separator (ISRS) of ISOLDE Experiment.

Previous positions and activities

	Employing entity	Professional category	Start date
1	Valencia Polytechnic University (UPV)	Research Technician	14/09/2022
2	Spanish National Research Council (CSIC)	Research Technician	24/11/2021
3	University of Santiago de Compostela (USC)	Predoctoral Research	16/07/2019
4	University of Santiago de Compostela (USC)	Predoctoral Research	08/01/2018
5	University of Santiago de Compostela (USC)	Predoctoral Research	10/04/2017













5 Employing entity: University of Santiago de Compostela (USC)

Department: Particles Physics, Facultad de Física, Universidad de Santiago de Compostela **City employing entity:** Santiago de Compostela, A Coruña, Galicia, Spain **Professional category:** Predoctoral Research

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Start-End date: 10/04/2017 - 09/10/2017 Duration: 98 days

Type of contract: Temporary employment contract

Dedication regime: Part time

Performed tasks: Particles identification of atmospheric air showers in Tragaldabas detector. Contract financed by complementary support to the postdoctoral contracts of the modality B 2016 (2016-PG005) Ref.

Identify key words: Physics - Experimental nuclear physics; Instrumentations and detectors for experiments in physics, astrophysics, etc

Field of management activity: University







Education

University education

1st and 2nd cycle studies and pre-Bologna degrees

University degree: 4 years Bachelor Name of qualification: Bachelor's Degree in Physics City degree awarding entity: Valencia, Valencian Community, Spain Degree awarding entity: University of Valencia Date of qualification: 17/03/2014 Average mark: Excellent

Doctorates

Doctorate programme: PhD in Particles and Nuclear Physics Degree awarding entity: University of Santiago de Type of entity: University Compostela City degree awarding entity: Santiago de Compostela, Galicia, Spain Date of degree: 16/01/2020 Date of certificate: 20/12/2019 Thesis title: Study on the composition and energy of secondary cosmic rays with the Tragaldabas detector Thesis director: Juan Antonio Garzón Heydt Thesis co-director: Pablo Cabanelas Eiras Recognition of quality: No Special doctorate award: No Standardised degree: No

Other postgraduate university studies

1 Type of education: Masters

Postgraduate qualification: Master's Degree in Secondary Education TeacherCity degree awarding entity: Valencia, Valencian Community, SpainDegree awarding entity: University of ValenciaType of entity: UniversityFaculty, institute or centre: Faculty of social sciencesDate of qualification: 22/07/2022

Type of education: Masters
 Postgraduate qualification: Master's Degree in Advanced Physics from University of Valencia (Estudi General)
 City degree awarding entity: Valencia, Valencian Community, Spain
 Degree awarding entity: University of Valencia
 Date of qualification: 30/07/2015





Specialised, lifelong, technical, professional and refresher training (other than formal academic and healthcare studies)

Type of training: CourseTraining title: Technician Certificate in Physical-Chemical Analysis and Quality ControlCity awarding entity: Alicante, Valencian Community, SpainAwarding entity: IES Virgen del Remedio, AlicanteEnd date: 27/06/2007Type of entity: 100 hours

Attended advanced, improvement and innovative teacher training and new technology courses and seminars focused on improving teaching

- Title of course/seminar: Practicum as Mathematics Teacher
 Goals of the course/seminar: Practicum in a Secondary School Center
 City organizing entity: València, Valencian Community, Spain
 Organising entity: Universitat de València
 Type of entity: University
 Faculty, institute or centre: Magister Faculty
 Duration in hours: 250 hours
 Start-End date: 12/01/2022 11/03/2022
- Title of course/seminar: Online PATC@BSC Training Course: Systems Workshop: Programming MareNostrum 4
 Goals of the course/seminar: Increase theoretical and practical notions in supercomputing
 Organising entity: Barcelona Supercomputing Center
 Type of entity: Public Research Body
 Faculty, institute or centre: BSC
 Duration in hours: 10 hours
 Start-End date: 24/02/2020 25/02/2020
- Title of course/seminar: Introducción á plataforma Hadoop 3 do CESGA
 Goals of the course/seminar: Increase theoretical and practical notions with Hadoop3
 Organising entity: Centro de Supercomputación de Galicia
 Faculty, institute or centre: Universidad de Santiago de Compostela
 Duration in hours: 3 hours
 Start-End date: 11/06/2019 11/06/2019

Title of course/seminar: Campus del TRASGO
 Goals of the course/seminar: Incrementar nociones básicas en Física de astropartículas y detectores de partículas
 Organising entity: Universidad de Santiago de Compostela
 Faculty, institute or centre: Física, LabCAF
 Duration in hours: 30 hours
 Start-End date: 02/07/2018 - 20/07/2018

5 Title of course/seminar: Training Intel parallel Studio XE, 2018
 Goals of the course/seminar: Increase theoretical and practical notions with MPI
 Organising entity: Centro de Supercomputación de Galicia







Faculty, institute or centre: Universidad de Santiago de Compostela Duration in hours: 18 hours Start-End date: 29/01/2018 - 31/01/2018

- 6 Title of course/seminar: MPI Avanzado: Características Modernas
 Goals of the course/seminar: Increase theoretical and practical notions with MPI
 Organising entity: Centro de Supercomputación de Type of entity: State agency Galicia
 Faculty, institute or centre: Universidad de Santiago de Compostela
 Duration in hours: 20 hours
 Start-End date: 19/06/2017 23/06/2017
- 7 Title of course/seminar: Introducción a la programación paralela
 Goals of the course/seminar: Increase theoretical and practical notions with MPI
 Organising entity: Centro de Supercomputación de Type of entity: State agency Galicia
 Faculty, institute or centre: Universidad de Santiago de Compostela
 Duration in hours: 20 hours
 Start-End date: 08/05/2017 12/05/2017
- 8 Title of course/seminar: Taller: Acceso a Finis Terrae II
 Goals of the course/seminar: Increase theoretical and practical notions in supercomputing Organising entity: Centro de Supercomputación de Type of entity: State agency Galicia
 Faculty, institute or centre: Universidad de Santiago de Compostela Duration in hours: 4 hours
 Start-End date: 12/12/2016 - 12/12/2016
- 9 Title of course/seminar: Taller Big Data
 Goals of the course/seminar: Increase theoretical and practical notions in Big Data
 Organising entity: Centro de Supercomputación de Type of entity: State agency Galicia
 Faculty, institute or centre: Universidad de Santiago de Compostela
 Duration in hours: 4 hours
 Start-End date: 18/10/2016 18/10/2016
- Title of course/seminar: Practicum as Laboratory assistant
 Goals of the course/seminar: Practicum in Laboratory
 City organizing entity: Alicante, Valencian Community, Spain
 Organising entity: EMPR. PROV. AGUAS COSTABLANCA. PROAGUAS COSTABLANCA, S.A.
 Faculty, institute or centre: IES Virgen del Remedio
 Duration in hours: 390 hours
 Start-End date: 20/03/2007 26/03/2007

Provable tasks: Chemical and microbiological analysis of residual water from Wastewater Treatment Plants in the province of Alicante, Spain, for a total of 390 hours. First professional experience in Physicochemical and Microbiological test of Residual Water and Sludge. Quality Tests: - Physicochemical Test : Chemical Oxygen Demand (COD), Biological Oxygen Demand (BOD5), Total Suspend Solids (TSS), Ph, Electrical conductivity, Turbidity, Total Nitrogen, Total Phosphorus, carbonates, bicarbonates, Total Kjeldahl Nitrogen (TKN) and determination of ammonium. - Knowledge in different analytical techniques such as: Ionic Chromatography, Gas Chromatography and Gas Chromatography Mass, and Inductively Coupled Plasma (ICP). - Microbiological Test: Determination and Quantification of total coliforms, fecal coliforms and fecal streptococci by Membrane Filtre (MF) technique and test of Legionella, Clostridium perfringens, aerobes at 22°C, e.coli and salmonella.









Aims of the stay: Internship

Language skills

Language	Listening skills	Reading skills	Spoken interaction	Speaking skills	Writing skills
English	B1	B1	B1	B1	B2
Catalan	B2	B2	B2	B2	B2
French	C1	C1	C2	C2	B2
Spanish	C1	C1	C2	C2	C1

Teaching experience

Experience supervising doctoral thesis and/or final year projects

Project title: Estudio de la distribución lateral de rayos cósmicos secundarios en función de la energía del primario

Type of project: End of course projectEntity: Universidad de Santiago de CompostelaType of entity: UniversityCity of entity: Santiago de Compostela, Galicia, SpainStudent: Aida Álvarez DíezObtained qualification: ExcellentIdentify key words: Astronomy and astrophysics; Cosmic radiation; Instrumentations and detectors for
experiments in physics, astrophysics, etcDate of reading: 17/09/2019

Teaching experience in courses and seminars for university teacher training

Type of event: Seminar
 Name of the event: Particle identification with TRAGALDABAS. Status report
 Organising entity: LabCAF
 Aims of the course: Presentación de resultados del estudio de identificación de partículas con el detector Tragaldabas
 Target group profile: Investigadores de la Colaboración y estudiantes de último curso de Grado en Física
 Hours of teaching: 2
 Teaching language: Spanish
 Type of participation: Participatory - oral communication
 Corresponding author: Yes

2 Type of event: Seminar

Name of the event: Shower simulation status report Organising entity: LabCAF Aims of the course: Presentación de resultados del estudio de simulación de rayos cósmicos secundarios con detectores Trasgo Target group profile: : Investigadores de la Colaboración y estudiantes de último curso de Grado en Física Hours of teaching: 2 Teaching language: Spanish Teaching date: 10/10/2018 Type of participation: Participatory - oral communication





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Corresponding author: Yes

Type of event: Seminar
 Name of the event: Calorimetric Analysis of TRAGALDABAS detector
 Organising entity: LabCAF
 Aims of the course: Estudio de observables físicos y estrategias para la eficiente identificación de partículas con el detector Tragaldabas
 Target group profile: Investigadores de la Colaboración y estudiantes de último curso de Grado en Física
 Hours of teaching: 2
 Teaching language: Spanish
 Type of participation: Participatory - oral communication
 Corresponding author: Yes

Scientific and technological experience

Research and development groups/teams

Name of the group: Senubio Group: Neutronics and nuclear safety Aims of the group: Nuclear Safety and Bioengineering of Ionizing Radiation Name of principal investigator: Gumersindo Jesús Number of members in the group: 22 Verdú Martín Type of collaboration: Collaboration in training third parties City of group: Valencia, Valencian Community, Spain Affiliation entity: Research Institute for Industrial, Type of entity: University Research Institute Radiophysical and Environmental Safety (ISIRYM) Identify key words: Nuclear medicine Start date: 14/09/2022 2 Name of the group: IRIS Group Aims of the group: Detectors development and image reconstruction of an imaging system for Medical Physics Name of principal investigator: Gabriela Llosá Type of collaboration: Collaboration in training third parties City of group: Valencian Community, Spain Affiliation entity: Spanish National Research Council Type of entity: State agency (CSIC) Identify key words: Physics - Medical physics; Physical application and phisical technologies application Start date: 22/11/2021 Duration: 105 days

Name of the group: TRAGALDABAS Collaboration
 Aims of the group: Investigación y Desarrollo para el detector de rayos cósmicos TRAGALDABAS
 Name of principal investigator: Juan Antonio Garzón Heydt
 Type of collaboration: Collaboration in training third parties
 Affiliation entity: Carmen Fernández Laboratory (LabCAF) in University of Santiago de Compostela
 Identify key words: Astrophysics; Physics - Experimental nuclear physics; Physical application and phisical
 technologies application; Instrumentations and detectors for experiments in physics, astrophysics, etc; Atmosphere
 Start date: 01/12/2017







Scientific or technological activities

R&D projects funded through competitive calls of public or private entities **1** Name of the project: Proof of the Neutronic Transport Concept (PDC2021-121667-I00) Type of project: Research and development, Geographical area: National including transfer Degree of contribution: Researcher Entity where project took place: Universidad Type of entity: University Politécnica de Valencia City of entity: València, Valencian Community, Spain Name principal investigator (PI, Co-PI....): Gumersindo Jesús Verdú Martín; Damián Ginestar Peiro; Antoni Vidal Ferrandíz; Belen Jeanine Juste Vidal; Mónica Martínez Lianes; Vicente Emilio Vidal Gimeno; Yanis Fontenla Barba Nº of researchers: 7 Type of participation: Team member Name of the programme: Prueba de Concepto de Transporte Neutrónico Code according to the funding entity: PDC2021-121667-I00 Start-End date: 2021 - 2023 Total amount: 72.450 € Dedication regime: Full time Applicant's contribution: Prueba de Concepto de Transporte Neutrónico (PDC2021-121667-I00). (01/12/21 - 30/11/23). Investigación competitiva proyectos. AGENCIA ESTATAL DE INVESTIGACION. 2 Name of the project: VALMONT- Valorization of a hadron therapy monitoring system (INNVA1/2021/37) Type of project: Research and development, Geographical area: Regional including transfer Degree of contribution: Technician Entity where project took place: Consejo Superior Type of entity: State agency de Investigaciones Científicas City of entity: València, Valencian Community, Spain Name principal investigator (PI, Co-PI....): Gabriela Llosá Name of the programme: VALMONT- Valorization of a hadron therapy monitoring system

Code according to the funding entity: INNVA1/2021/37

Start-End date: 2021 - 2023

Total amount: 337.926,35 €

Dedication regime: Part time







Scientific and technological activities

Scientific production

Publications, scientific and technical documents

- Fontenla 1; Vidal Ferràndiz 2; Carreño 3; Ginestar 4; Verdú. FEMFFUSION and its verification using the C5G7 benchmark. Elseiver. Y. Fontenla, 02/09/2023.
 Type of production: Scientific paper Format: Journal Corresponding author: Yes
- Damian García Castro; M. Ajoor; Hector Alvarez Pol. The TRASGO Project. Present status and results. Physics of Atomic Nuclei. 84 - 6, pp. 1070 - 1079. (Switzerland): Springer, 24/12/2021. Available on-line at: <https://doi.org/10.1134/S1063778821130093>. ISSN 1063-7788
 DOI: S1063778821130093
 Type of production: Scientific paper
 Position of signature: 12
 Position of signature: 12
 Impact source: Springer
 Impact index in year of publication: 0.420
- 3 Juan Antonio Garzón Heydt. TRASGOS: Towards a New Standard for the Regular Measurement of Cosmic Rays. Physics of Atomic Nuclei. 83 - 3, pp. 453 - 462. (Switzerland): Springer, 09/09/2020. Available on-line at: https://doi.org/10.1134/S1063778820030084>. ISSN 1063-7788

DOI: S1063778820030084 Type of production: Scientific paper Position of signature: 22 Total no. authors: 30 Impact source: Springer Impact index in year of publication: 0.420

Format: Journal Degree of contribution: Editor or co-editor Corresponding author: No

Yanis Fontenla Barba. MIDAS : A particle identification tool for the Tragaldabas Cosmic Ray telescope.
 Proceedings of Science (PoS). 01/09/2019. Available on-line at: https://doi.org/10.22323/1.358.0072>. ISSN 1824-8039

DOI: 10.22323/1.358.0072 Type of production: Scientific paper Position of signature: 1 Total no. authors: 1 Impact source: PoS Impact index in year of publication: 0.14

Format: Scientific and technical document or report Degree of contribution: Editor or co-editor Corresponding author: Yes

Format: Scientific and technical document or report

Aida Álvarez Díez; Pablo Cabanelas Eiras; Yanis Fontenla Barba; Juan Antonio Garzón Heydt. Study of the lateral distribution functions of electron and muon bundles using Trasgo detectors. Proceedings of Science (PoS). 01/09/2019. Available on-line at: https://doi.org/10.22323/1.358.0067>. ISSN 1824-8039
 DOI: 10.22323/1.358.0067

Type of production: Scientific paper

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Position of signature: 1 Total no. authors: 4 Impact source: PoS Impact index in year of publication: 0.14 **Degree of contribution:** Editor or co-editor **Corresponding author:** Yes

Other achievements

Obtained grants and scholarships

Name of the grant: Becas y ayudas al estudio de carácter general y de movilidad, para el curso académico 2012-2013, para estudiantes de enseñanzas universitarias
City awarding entity: Spain
Aims: Estudios de Grado
Awarding entity: Ministerio de Educación, Cultura y Deporte
Amount of the grant: 2.800 €
Conferral date: 08/04/2013
Entity where activity was carried out: FUNDACIÓN GENERAL DE LA UNIVERSITAT DE VALÈNCIA
Faculty, institute or centre: Facultad de Física



