

PERSONAL INFORMATION

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Table with 3 columns: Enterprise, University, EPR. It contains checkboxes for various levels such as Management Level, Associate Professor, and Researcher and Technologist.

WORK EXPERIENCE

From April 2022-now

Associate Professor

University of Bergamo, Department of Management, Information and Production Engineering
Teaching, Research

University

From July 2020
To March 2021

Assistant Professor (RTD-B)

University of Bergamo, Department of Management, Information and Production Engineering
Teaching, Research

University

From January 2017
To June 2020

Associate Researcher

Argentinean Council of Scientific and Technological Research (CONICET)
Research

University

From April 2018
To June 2020

Lecturer on contract

National Technological University (UTN), Argentina
Teaching

University

From September 2013
To December 2016

Assistant Researcher

Argentinean Council of Scientific and Technological Research (CONICET)
Research

University

From April 2012  
To August 2013

**Post-doctoral Fellow**

Argentinean Council of Scientific and Technological Research (CONICET)

- Research

From May 2011  
To December 2011

**Post-doctoral Fellow**

University of Seville, Department of Systems Engineering and Automatica, Spain

- Research

University

From May 2007  
To April 2011

**Ph.D. student**

University of Seville, Department of Systems Engineering and Automatica, Spain

- Research

University

From November 2006  
To April 2007

**Research Assistant**

University of Seville, Department of Systems Engineering and Automatica, Spain

- Research

**EDUCATION AND TRAINING**

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From April 2007  
to June 2011

**Ph.D. award in Engineering**

University of Seville, Department of Systems Engineering and Automatica, Spain

- Tesis Title: "MPC for tracking changing setpoints"
- Advisors: Prof. Eduardo Fernandez Camacho, Prof. Daniel Limon
- Grade: 10/10 summa cum laude
- Skills: Model Predictive Control, optimization, stability, invariance

From October 2004  
to September 2006

**M.Sc. award in Computer Engineering - Automation**

University of Pavia, Italy

- Tesis Title: "Modellizzazione e controllo predittivo della fase di start-up di una centrale a ciclo combinato"
- Advisors: Prof. Lalo Magni
- Grade: 110/110

From October 2001  
to July 2004

**B.Sc. award in Computer Engineering**

University of Pavia, Italy

- Tesis Title: "Modellizzazione di una centrale a ciclo combinato in linguaggio C"
- Advisors: Prof. Lalo Magni
- Grade: 110/110

**WORK ACTIVITIES**

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**Main projects**  
2023-Today

**AGeNT**: *leaning toward narrow-track vehicles autonomous guidance*. Funded by: Ministero dell'Università e della Ricerca (MUR) as a PRIN grant.

- 2022-today *ANTHEM: AdvANced Technologies for Human-centrEd Medicine. Spoke 1: Data and technology driven diagnoses and therapies. Pilot 1.3: Intelligent Artificial Pancreas for Children.* Funded by: Ministero de la Universidad e de la Investigación de Italia (MUR).
- 2022-today *KOIOS: Knowledge Extraction, Machine Learning and other AI approaches for secure, robust, frugal, resilient and explainable solutions in Defence Applications.* Funded by: European Fund for Defense.
- 2020-today *WATCHMAN: Workload-reduction mAchine vision-based TeChnology Hub for MANufacturing.* Regione Lombardia
- 2020-today *PID2019-106212RB-C41: Safe operation of strategic infrastructure based on constrained optimization.* Universidad de Sevilla - Ministerio de Economía y Competitividad.
- 2019-2020 *PICT-2019-1794: Diseño de estrategias de control predictivo económico (EMPC) para el seguimiento de trayectorias y caminos variantes en el tiempo, en presencia de obstáculos. Aplicación al transporte de mercadería liviana (entrega de paquetes).* CONICET, Mincyt Foncyt, Argentina.
- 2017-2019 *PICT-2016-3613: Herramientas para la optimización del desempeño económico de controladores predictivos en la industria de refinación de petróleo,* CONICET- Mincyt a través de Foncyt, Argentina.
- 2016-2018 *PICT-2016-0283: Stochastic Economic MPC applied to UAVs control,* CONICET- Mincyt Foncyt, Argentina.
- 2016-2018 *CNPq-486440/2013-3: Robust Control Strategies of TiltRotor UAVs for Load Transportation Tasks,* Universidade Federal de Minas Gerais - CNPq, Brasil.
- 2016-2018 *DPI 2016: Operación Económica Basada en Datos de Sistemas Cyber-Físicos,* University of Seville - Funded by Ministerio de Economía y Competitividad.
- 2013-2017 *Gestión Óptima de Edificios de Energía Cero,* University of Seville - Funded by Junta de Andalucía.
- 2013-2015 *Desarrollo de una herramienta para el monitoreo y diagnóstico de Aplicaciones de Control Predictivo Multivariable. Aplicación a controladores de tipo predictivo, en las columnas de destilación de la refinería de YPF S.A. en Ensenada.,* Funded by YPF S.A., Y-TEC S.A., CONICET
- 2009-2011 *Networked Predictive Control,* University of Seville - Funded by European Union.

**Tutoring activities** **Ph.D. Thesis Advisor and Co-advisor**

- 2023-Today Nicola Licini: *Neural Networks based Model Predictive Control for the Artificial Pancreas* University of Bergamo, Italy  
Advisor
- 2022-Today Beatrice Sonzogni: *Data-driven Model Predictive Control for the Artificial Pancreas* University of Bergamo, Italy  
Advisor
- 2021-Today Marco Polver: *Model Predictive Control based on Gaussian Processes* University of Bergamo, Italy  
Co-advisor
- 2021-Today Rodrigo Alarcón: *Learning-based Model Predictive control for smartgrids* Universidad Nacional del Litoral, Santa Fe, Argentina  
Advisor
- 2018-Today Martin Alarcón: *Economic and Distributed Model Predictive control for smartgrids* Universidad Nacional del Litoral, Santa Fe, Argentina  
Advisor

- 2018-2023 Marcelo Alves dos Santos: *MPC for UAV autonomous piloting*  
Universidade Federal de Minas Gerais, Belo Horizonte, Brazil  
*Co-advisor*
- 2017-2023 Pablo Abuin: *Model Predictive Control Algorithms for Artificial Pancreas*  
Universidad Nacional del Litoral, Santa Fe, Argentina  
*Co-advisor*
- 2017-2020 José Maria Vergara Dietrich: *Economic Model Predictive control for solar plants*  
Unversidade Federal de Santa Catarina, Florianopolis, Brazil  
*Co-advisor*
- 2015-2019 Agustina D'Jorge: *Robust and Stochastic Economic MPC*  
Universidad Nacional del Litoral, Santa Fe, Argentina  
*Advisor*

**Master Degree Theses**

25 Master's degree theses

**Awards**

Best conference paper: 18th IFAC Conference on Control Applications and Optimization. *Artificial pancreas under periodic MPC for trajectory tracking: handling circadian variability of insulin sensitivity* - authors Pablo Abuin, Antonio Ferramosca, Chiara Toffanin, Lalo Magni, Alejandro H. Gonzalez

**Editorial activity**

From 2021

**International Journals**

**Associate Editor**

Optimal Control Application and Methods, Wiley.  
Journal of Control, Automation, and Electrical Systems  
Frontiers in Control Engineering

**Conferences**

- 2023 Italian Conference on Automatic Control, SIDRA 2023  
2020 27th Argentinean Conference on Automatic Control, AADECA 2020  
2018 6th IFAC Conference on Nonlinear Model Predictive Control, NMPC'18  
26th Argentinean Conference on Automatic Control, AADECA 2018  
2016 25th Argentinean Conference on Automatic Control, AADECA 2016

**Invited presentations**

- 06/2023 **Model Predictive Control for the Artificial Pancreas**  
University of Seville, School of Engineering, Seville, Spain  
11/2019 **Adaptive Control and Nonlinear Systems**  
National Technological University (UTN), Santa Fe, Argentina  
09/2019 **Economic Model Predictive Control**  
University of Seville, School of Engineering, Seville, Spain  
04/2019 **Impulsive MPC for Glucose Regulation in T1DM patients**  
National Technological University (UTN), Reconquista, Santa Fe, Argentina  
02/2018 **Fundamentals of Model Predictive Control**  
University of Minas Gerais, School of Engineering, Belo Horizonte, Brazil  
11/2016 **Economic Model Predictive Control**  
University of Seville, School of Engineering, Seville, Spain  
04/2016 **Fundamentals of Model Predictive Control**  
University of Santa Catarina, School of Engineering, Florianopolis, Brazil  
05/2015 **Multi-model Economic Model Predictive Control**  
University of Seville, School of Engineering, Seville, Spain  
03/2013 **Distributed Model Predictive Control**  
University of Sao Paulo, School of Engineering, Sao Paulo, Brazil  
10/2010 **MPC for tracking**  
INTEC-CONICET, Santa Fe, Argentina  
09/2009 **MPC for tracking**  
University of Wisconsin-Madison, Depart. Of Chemical and Biochemical Engineering, Madison, WI, USA

**Grants** **ANTHEM:** *AdvaNced Technologies for Human-centrEd Medicine. Spoke 1: Data and technology driven diagnoses and therapies. Pilot 1.3: Intelligent Artificial Pancreas for Children.* Funded by: Ministero dell'Università e della Ricerca (MUR).  
**AGeNT:** *leaning toward narrow-track vehicles autonomous guidance.* Funded by: Ministero dell'Università e della Ricerca (MUR) as a PRIN grant.  
**60FERR22:** Intelligent Artificial Pancreas, a learning-based MPC approach. University of Bergamo, Departmental funds.  
**PICT-2019-1794:** Diseño de estrategias de control predictivo económico (EMPC) para el seguimiento de trayectorias y caminos variantes en el tiempo, en presencia de obstáculos. Aplicación al transporte de mercadería liviana (entrega de paquetes). CONICET- Mincyt Foncyt, Argentina.  
**PID-UTN-CCUTNRQ0006540:** Design of IA algorithms for images inspection. Application to rational shepherding. PID UTN, Argentina.  
**PID-UTN-ENUTNRQ0005536:** Modelling of an house Microgrid. Feasibility study and design of automatic control strategies. PID UTN, Argentina. Project Leader.  
**PICT-2016-0283:** Stochastic Economic MPC applied to UAVs control, CONICET- Mincyt Foncyt, Argentina.

**Patents** None

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

**Publications** Total number of publications in peer-review journals: 48  
Total number of citations (Scopus): 1422  
H index (Scopus): 19

### Relevant publications (5-10 publications)

1. Ferramosca, A., Limon, D., Alvarado, I., Alamo, T., & Camacho, E. F. (2009). MPC for tracking with optimal closed-loop performance. *Automatica*, 45(8), 1975-1978.
2. Ferramosca, A., Limón, D., Alvarado, I., & Camacho, E. F. (2013). Cooperative distributed MPC for tracking. *Automatica*, 49(4), 906-914.
3. Ferramosca, A., Limon, D., & Camacho, E. F. (2014). Economic MPC for a changing economic criterion for linear systems. *IEEE Transactions on Automatic Control*, 59(10), 2657-2667.
4. Ferramosca, A., Limon, D., González, A. H., Odloak, D., & Camacho, E. F. (2010). MPC for tracking zone regions. *Journal of Process Control*, 20(4), 506-516.
5. Limon, D., Ferramosca, A., Alvarado, I., & Alamo, T. (2018). Nonlinear MPC for tracking piece-wise constant reference signals. *IEEE Transactions on Automatic Control*, 63(11), 3735-3750.
6. Marchetti, A. G., Ferramosca, A., & González, A. H. (2014). Steady-state target optimization designs for integrating real-time optimization and model predictive control. *Journal of Process Control*, 24(1), 129-145.
7. Ferramosca, A., Limon, D., González, A. H., Alvarado, I., & Camacho, E. F. (2012). Robust MPC for tracking zone regions based on nominal predictions. *Journal of Process Control*, 22(10), 1966-1974.
8. Rivadeneira, P. S., Ferramosca, A., & González, A. H. (2017). Control strategies for nonzero set-point regulation of linear impulsive systems. *IEEE Transactions on Automatic Control*, 63(9), 2994-3001.
9. Ferramosca, A., González, A. H., & Limon, D. (2017). Offset-free multi-model economic model predictive control for changing economic criterion. *Journal of Process Control*, 54, 1-13.
10. González, A. H., Ferramosca, A., Bustos, G. A., Marchetti, J. L., Fiacchini, M., & Odloak, D. (2014). Model predictive control suitable for closed-loop re-identification. *Systems & Control Letters*, 69, 23-33.

A complete list of publications can be found at <http://www.antonioferramosca.com/publications/>

According to the law 679/2016 of the Regulation of the European Parliament of 27<sup>th</sup> April 2016, I hereby express my consent to process and use my data provided in this CV.

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