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2008-2009: Complutense University of Madrid, **MSc in Conservation Biology**.

2007-2009: Cadiz University and International University Study Center, **MSc in Nature Management and Conservation**.

1995-2001: Complutense University of Madrid, **BSc in Biology with a major in Botany**.

EXPERIENCE

2005-present: **Vicedean of the Environmental School of the National University of Equatorial Guinea.**

2002-2005: **Academic Secretary of the Agricultural and Forestry School of the National University of Equatorial Guinea.**

2004-2006: **Assistant Lecturer of Biological Research Methods and Tropical Ecology in the Arcadia University and National University of Equatorial Guinea Study Aboard Program.**

2002-2007. **Lecturer of Botany at the National University of Equatorial Guinea.**

PUBLICATIONS

Fero, M., Cabezas, F.J., Aedo, C. & Velayos, M. 2003. *Check-list of the Piperaceae of Equatorial Guinea.* Anales Jard. Bot. Madrid Vol/Pag: 60(1): 45-50.

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COMUNICATIONS AND CONFERENCE PAPERS:

Cabezas F., Aedo C., Barberá P., Estrella M., **Fero, M.** & Velayos M. September 2011. *Wiki keys for the ferns of the Flora of Equatorial Guinea*. Oral presentation. Bioidentify 2010, Tools for Identifying Biodiversity: Progress and Problems. Published in Nimis P.L., Vignes Lebbe R., eds. Tools for Identifying Biodiversity: Progress and Problems pp. 99-105.

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RESEARCH EXPERIENCE:

Participation in the Project **Flora of Equatorial Guinea, 3 (CGL2009-07405)**. October 2009/present.

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LANGUAGES

English: Intermediate level

French: Intermediate level. DELF B1.