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Fernando Castillo Díaz

## CURRICULUM VITAE

### INFORMAZIONI PERSONALI

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| Cognome         | Castillo Díaz          |
| Nome            | Fernando               |
| Data Di Nascita | [ 13, Febbraio, 1989 ] |

### OCCUPAZIONE ATTUALE

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### ISTRUZIONE E FORMAZIONE

| Titolo                              | Corso di studi   | Università                 | anno conseguimento titolo |
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| Laurea Magistrale o equivalente     | Licenciatura in Scienze Biologiche (eq. to Master)                     | Università di Buenos Aires | 2014                      |
| Specializzazione                    |  |                            |                           |
| Dottorato Di Ricerca                | Dottorato dell'Università di Buenos Aires nell'area Scienze Biologiche | Università di Buenos Aires | 2019                      |
| Master                              |  |                            |                           |
| Diploma Di Specializzazione Medica  |  |                            |                           |
| Diploma Di Specializzazione Europea |  |                            |                           |
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### ISCRIZIONE AD ORDINI PROFESSIONALI

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## LINGUE STRANIERE CONOSCIUTE

| Lingue   | livello di conoscenza |
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| Spagnolo | Lingua Materna        |
| Inglese  | Avanzato              |
| Italiano | Intermedio            |
| Tedesco  | Basico                |

## PREMI, RICONOSCIMENTI E BORSE DI STUDIO

| Anno      | Descrizione premio.  |
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| 2018/2019 | The Grassfoundation-IBRO fellowship for the SFN-LATP 2018.   |
| 2018      | IBRO International Travel Grant to attend FENS Forum 2018.   |
| 2016      | FENS Summer School Scholarship.  |
| 2014-2019 | CONICET (Argentinean Council Research). Instituto for Molecular and Cellular Biology "Prof. E. De Robertis", Medicine Faculty, University of Buenos Aires. |
| 2012-2014 | Student Scholarship for research in the University of Buenos Aires.  |

## ATTIVITÀ DI FORMAZIONE O DI RICERCA

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| descrizione dell'attività   |
| <b>ATTIVITÀ DI RICERCA</b>  |
| Learned and mastered intracerebral infusions and microdialysis techniques, as well as stereotaxic surgeries in rats.  |
| Learned and mastered behavioral protocols with rats such as Conditioned Place Preference, Inhibitory Avoidance, Plus Maze, Fear Conditioning, Object Recognition Task, Open field and Taste Aversion Test.  |
| Learned microscopy techniques, such as Molecular techniques such as Western Blot, immunohistochemistry and fluorescence microscopy and image analysis.  |
| Learned how to manage crustacean culture in aquariums   |
| Biochemical assays to determine proteins, lipids and carbohydrates from animal tissues  |
| Water quality proofs.   |
| Fieldwork research for sampling rodent's blood to analyze hantavirus presence   |
| Learned techniques for the preservation of rodent skulls  |
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| <b>ATTIVITÀ DI FORMAZIONE</b>   |
| <b>LATIN AMERICAN TRAINING PROGRAM 2018: From Molecules to Behavior: The Quest for New Treatments of Neuropathologies.</b><br>August 26 <sup>th</sup> to September 15 <sup>th</sup> , 2018. Centro Interdisciplinario de Neurociencias de Valparaíso (CINV) at the University of Valparaíso in Chile. |
| <b>GENERALIZED LINEAR MIXED MODELS IN R</b><br>March 2018. School of Exact and Natural Sciences (FCEyN), University of Buenos Aires (UBA). Buenos Aires - Argentina.  |
| <b>LABORATORY ANIMALS</b>   |



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| 3 <sup>rd</sup> to 21 <sup>st</sup> July 2017. School of Exact and Natural Sciences (FCEyN), University of Buenos Aires (UBA). Buenos Aires - Argentina.  |
| <b>ANIMAL HISTOLOGY: BASIC TECHNIQUES OF OPTIC AND ELECTRONIC MICROSCOPY</b><br>6 <sup>th</sup> to 18 <sup>th</sup> March 2017. School of Exact and Natural Sciences (FCEyN), University of Buenos Aires (UBA). Buenos Aires - Argentina. |
| <b>CELLULAR MECHANISMS AND NETWORKS IN ADDICTION</b><br>May 29 <sup>th</sup> to June 4 <sup>th</sup> , 2016. Training Center of Bertinoro, University of Bologna. Italy.  |
| <b>BEHAVIORAL ANALYSIS OF ANIMAL MODELS OF PSYCHIATRIC DISORDERS</b><br>March 14 <sup>th</sup> to April 5 <sup>th</sup> , 2016. School of Exact and Natural Sciences (FCEyN), University of Buenos Aires (UBA). Buenos Aires - Argentina. |
| <b>COMPARED NEUROENDOCRINOLOGY</b><br>February 29 <sup>th</sup> to March 11 <sup>th</sup> , 2016. School of Exact and Natural Sciences (FCEyN), University of Buenos Aires (UBA). Buenos Aires - Argentina.                               |
| <b>STATE-OF-THE-ART METHODS IN NEUROSCIENCE RESEARCH</b><br>27 <sup>th</sup> to 29 <sup>th</sup> September 2015. Mar del plata, Argentina.  |
| <b>SOCIAL AND REPRODUCTIVE BIOLOGY</b><br>2 <sup>nd</sup> to 13 <sup>th</sup> March 2015. School of Exact and Natural Sciences (FCEyN), University of Buenos Aires (UBA). Buenos Aires - Argentina.                                       |

## ATTIVITÀ PROGETTUALE

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## CONGRESSI, CONVEGNI E SEMINARI

| Data  | Titolo   | Sede   |
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| To be presented 19 <sup>th</sup> to 23 <sup>rd</sup> October 2019 | Dopamine neurotransmission of the VTA regulates aversive memories formation and persistence. <b>Fernando Castillo Díaz</b> , Juliana F. Dalto, Margdalena Pereyra, Jorge H. Medina.                  | SFN 2019 Chicago, Illinois, USA.                     |
| 10 <sup>th</sup> to 13 <sup>th</sup> July, 2019.                  | Exploring the role of prefrontal cortex nicotinic receptors on cocaine-associated memory. Verónica Pastor, <b>Fernando Castillo Díaz</b> , Valeria C. Sanabria, Jorge H. Medina, Marta C. Antonelli. | FENS Regional Meeting<br>Belgrade, Serbia.           |
| 23 <sup>rd</sup> to 26 <sup>th</sup>                              | Inhibition of alpha 7 nicotinic receptors in the prefrontal cortex   | XXXIII Anual Meeting SAN 2018<br>Córdoba, Argentina. |



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| October 2018   | impairs cocaine-induced conditioned place preference. Verónica Pastor, <b>Fernando Castillo Díaz</b> , Valeria C. Sanabria, M. Eugenia Pallarés, Jorge H. Medina, Marta C. Antonelli.  |   |
| 7 <sup>th</sup> to 11 <sup>st</sup> July 2018.             | Dopamine neurotransmission in the VTA regulates appetitive memories persistence. <b>Fernando Castillo Díaz</b> , Micaela A. Hernandez, Tomás Capellá, Jorge H. Medina.   | FENS FORUM 2018<br>Berlin, Germany.   |
| 26 <sup>th</sup> and 27 <sup>th</sup> September 2017.      | Oral communication: Blockade of D1/D5 dopaminergic receptors in the VTA promotes the persistence of weak appetitive memories. <b>Fernando Castillo Díaz</b> , Micaela A. Hernandez, Tomás Capellá, Valentina de Castro, Jorge H. Medina. | XXXII Anual Meeting SAN 2017<br>Mar del plata, Argentina.   |
| May 29 <sup>th</sup> to June 4 <sup>th</sup> 2016          | Activation of medial prefrontal cortex dopamine receptors induces a persistent aversive behavior. <b>Fernando Castillo Díaz</b> , Cecilia Kramar, Micaela A. Hernandez, Jorge H. Medina.   | FENS-SFN Summer School "CELLULAR MECHANISMS AND NETWORKS IN ADDICTION".<br>Bertinoro, Italy.                            |
| September 27 <sup>th</sup> to October 1 <sup>st</sup> 2015 | Activation of medial prefrontal cortex dopamine receptors induces a persistent aversive behavior. <b>Fernando Castillo Díaz</b> , Cecilia Kramar, Micaela Anahí Hernandez, Jorge H. Medina.  | XXX Anual Meeting and SAN-ISN Small Conference and Course<br>Mar del plata, Argentina.                                  |
| 7 <sup>th</sup> to 9 <sup>th</sup> July 2015               | Activation of D1/D5 dopamine receptors in the medial prefrontal cortex is sufficient to induce a long delay aversive behavior. Cecilia Kramar, <b>Fernando Castillo Díaz</b> , Jorge H. Medina.  | 9 <sup>th</sup> World Congress International Brain Research Organization<br>Rio de Janeiro, Brazil.                     |
| 1 <sup>st</sup> to 3 <sup>rd</sup> December 2014           | Oral Communication: Effect of food restriction on the gonad and hepatopancreas biochemical composition of <i>Cherax quadricarinatus</i> females. <b>Castillo Díaz F</b> , Tropea C, Stumpf L & López Greco L. S.                         | Anual meeting of the Argentinian Biology Society "Anthropic Impact on the organisms fisiology"<br>Chascomús, Argentina. |
| 9 <sup>th</sup> to 12 <sup>th</sup> November 2014          | <i>Cherax quadricarinatus</i> (Parastacidae): as a model to study nutritional flexibility in sea-freshwater transition. López Greco L.S., Stumpf L., Sacristán H.J., Calvo N., <b>Castillo Díaz F.</b> , Tropea C., Dyzenchouz A.        | VIII Brazilian Crustacean Congress<br>Bonito, Brazil.   |
| 1 <sup>st</sup> to 5 <sup>th</sup>                         | Food restriction effect of the parental  | Aquaciencia Congress 2014<br>Foz do Iguaçu, Brazil.   |



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| September 2014                                      | broodstock of freshwater crayfish <i>Cherax quadricarinatus</i> on the brood quality. <b>Castillo Díaz F.</b> , Stumpf L., Tropea C., López Greco L.S.  |   |
| 4 <sup>th</sup> to 6 <sup>th</sup> December 2013    | Effect of food restriction on the <i>Cherax quadricarinatus</i> broodstock growth and reproduction (Parastacidae). <b>Castillo Díaz, F.</b> Stumpf, L. Tropea, C. López Greco, L.S.   | Annual meeting of the Argentinian Biology Society “60th year of the DNA structure description” Chascomús, Argentina.  |
| 7 <sup>th</sup> to 11 <sup>th</sup> July 2013       | Catch up and compensatory growth in juveniles of the crayfish <i>Cherax quadricarinatus</i> (Parastacidae) exposed to different diets. Stumpf L; Tropea C; <b>Castillo Díaz F</b> ; López Greco L.S.  | Sustainable Aquaculture at the upcoming Summer Meeting of The Crustacean Society (TCS) jointly organized with the Latin American Association of Carcinology (ALCARCINUS). San José, Costa Rica. |
| 3 <sup>rd</sup> to 7 <sup>th</sup> June 2012.       | Effects of intermittent feeding and continuous feeding periods on compensatory growth in juveniles of the crayfish <i>Cherax quadricarinatus</i> (Parastacidae). Stumpf L.; <b>Castillo Díaz F.</b> ; López Greco L.S.                            | Crustacean Society Summer Meeting and the 10th Colloquium Crustacea Decapoda Mediterranea. Atenas, Greece.  |
| 17 <sup>th</sup> and 18 <sup>th</sup> November 2011 | Hepatopancreas structure of the freshwater crayfish <i>Cherax quadricarinatus</i> (Decapoda: Parastacidae). López Greco L.S.; Tropea C.; Sacristán H.J.; Calvo N.S.; Stumpf L.; Franco Tadic L.M.; <b>Castillo Díaz F.</b> ; Arias M.; Tomas A.L. | First Conference of morphologic science in Tandil hills, Buenos Aires, Argentina.   |
| 7 <sup>th</sup> to 10 <sup>th</sup> November 2010   | Compensatory growth on the juveniles of <i>Cherax quadricarinatus</i> freshwater crayfish after a short term period of food restriction. Stumpf, L; Calvo, NS; Tropea, C; <b>Castillo Díaz, F</b> ; Valenti, WC & López Greco, LS.                | Brazilian Crustacean Congress Ilhéus - Bahia, Brazil.   |

PUBBLICAZIONI

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| Articoli su riviste  |
| The late consolidation of an aversive memory is promoted by the VTA dopamine release in the dorsal hippocampus. Cecilia P. Kramar, <b>Fernando Castillo Díaz</b> , Eduardo D. Gigante, Jorge H. Medina, Flavia M. Barbano. Submitted on <i>Neuropsychopharmacology</i> , 2019. |



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| Dopamine neurotransmission in the ventral tegmental area promotes active forgetting of cocaine-associated memory. <i>Molecular Neurobiology</i> , New Orleans, ed. Nicolás Bazán, 2019.<br><b>Fernando Castillo Díaz</b> , Micaela A. Hernandez, Tomás Capellá, Jorge H. Medina   |
| Activation of D1/5 Dopamine receptors in the dorsal medial prefrontal cortex promotes incubated-like aversive responses. <i>Frontiers of Behavioral Neuroscience</i> , ed. Nuno Sousa, Minho Braga, 2017.<br><b>Fernando Castillo Díaz</b> , Cecilia P. Kramar, Micaela A. Hernandez, Jorge H. Medina.  |
| Mobilization of energetic reserves during starvation in juveniles of different size of the redclaw crayfish <i>Cherax quadricarinatus</i> . <i>Aquaculture Nutrition</i> , ed. Marit Espe, USA, 2017.<br>Natalia S. Calvo; Liane Stumpf; Edilmar Cortes Jacinto; <b>Fernando Castillo Díaz</b> ; Laura Susana López Greco.  |
| Effect of food restriction on female reproductive performance in the redclaw crayfish <i>Cherax quadricarinatus</i> (Parastacidae, Decapoda). <i>Aquaculture Research</i> , ed. Ronald Hardy, USA, 2016.<br><b>Fernando Castillo Díaz</b> , Carolina Tropea, Liane Stumpf, Laura Susana López Greco.  |
| Effect of the food shortage on growth, energetic reserves mobilization, and water quality in juveniles of the redclaw crayfish, <i>Cherax quadricarinatus</i> , reared in groups. <i>Journal of Crustacean Biology</i> , ed. Peter Castro, Pomona, 2014.<br>Liane Stumpf, <b>Fernando Castillo Díaz</b> , Verónica Elizabeth Viau, Wagner C. Valenti, Laura S. López Greco. |
| Effect of intermittent feeding on compensatory growth in early juveniles of the crayfish <i>Cherax quadricarinatus</i> (Parastacidae). <i>Aquaculture</i> , ed. D.M. Gatlin, Texas, 2011.<br>Liane Stumpf, Natalia S. Calvo, <b>Fernando Castillo Díaz</b> , Wagner C. Valenti, Laura S. López Greco.   |

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ALTRE INFORMAZIONI

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| Teaching Experience   |
| Academic Auxiliary teacher<br>Biodiversity and Experimental Biology Department, Exact and Natural Science School, University of Buenos Aires. 2014. |
| Academic Auxiliary teacher<br>Biodiversity and Experimental Biology Department, Exact and Natural Science School, University of Buenos Aires. 2013. |
| Scientific Dissemination Activities   |
| <b>Crustacean World</b><br>November 2013.<br>Exact and Natural Science School, University of Buenos Aires<br>Expositor                              |
| <b>International Book Fair</b><br>May 2013<br>Sociedad Rural Argentina, Buenos Aires.<br>Expositor  |
| <b>The Night of the Museum 2011</b><br>November 2011  |



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| Exact and Natural Science School, University of Buenos Aires<br>Expositor  |
| <b>Biology Week 2011</b><br>August 2011<br>Exact and Natural Science School, University of Buenos Aires<br>Expositor                     |
| <b>ExpoUBA - University of Buenos Aires</b><br>October 2010<br>Exact and Natural Science School, University of Buenos Aires<br>Expositor |
| <b>Biology week 2010</b><br>September 2010<br>Exact and Natural Science School, University of Buenos Aires<br>Expositor                  |

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