

CURRICULUM VITAE

PERSONAL DATA:

LAST NAME: **PORTILLO**

FIRST NAME: **LIBERATO**

ADDRESS FOR COURIER DELIVERY: **IGUALDAD 92, GUADALAJARA, JALISCO 44300, MEXICO**

TELEPHONE HOME: **(52-33) 36382689**

TELEPHONE OFFICE: **(52-33) 37771192**

EMAIL 1: PORTILLO@CENCAR.UDG.MX

EMAIL 2: LIBERATOPORTILLO@HOTMAIL.COM

MARITAL STATUS: **SINGLE**

DATE OF BIRTH: **08/SEPTEMBER/1964**

GENDER: **MASCULINE**

COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: **MEXICO**

PRESENT NATIONALITY: **MEXICAN**

LANGUAGES AND FLUENCY LEVEL: **SPANISH 100%, ENGLISH 80%, FRENCH 60%**

EDUCATION:

DEGREE EARNED: **AGRONOMIST ENGINEER, 1992**

M.SC. **BIOTECHNOLOGY PROCESSES, 1997**

PH.D. **PLANT BIOTECHNOLOGY, 2007**

WORK HISTORY:

JOB TITLE: **PROFESSOR AND RESEARCHER, UNIVERSITY OF GUADALAJARA, MEXICO, 1988-PRESENT,**

NAME OF SUPERVISOR: **DR. RAMÓN RODRÍGUEZ, RAMONROD@CUCBA.UDG.MX**

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT:

EDUCATIONAL TEACHER: **BIOTECHNOLOGY, EXPERIMENTAL DESIGNS, 1997-PRESENT**

HUMAN RESOURCES: **ADVISOR TO GET TITLES FOR AGRONOMISTS, BIOLOGISTS AND RELATED MASTERS, 1992-PRESENT.**

PROJECTS: **ON KNOWLEDGE AND UTILIZATION OF CACTUS PEAR AND OTHER NATURAL RESOURCES IN DRY AREAS: REARING COCHINEAL IN ARGENTINA, MEXICO, PERU AND BOLIVIA; CONTROL OF WILD COCHINEAL IN MEXICO, AND BRAZIL; CACTUS PEAR PROPAGATION IN ARGENTINA, MEXICO, NICARAGUA, PERÚ AND BOLIVIA.**

PUBLICATIONS: **BOOKS, HANDBOOKS, FLYERS AND PAPERS IN SCIENTIFIC JOURNALS ON COCHINEAL (PRODUCTION, CONTROL, TAXONOMY, ETC), PLANT BIOTECHNOLOGY AND UTILIZATION RELATED TO CACTUS AND OTHER NATURAL RESOURCES IN DRY AREAS.**

SPEAKER: **IN MORE THAN 30 INTERNATIONAL MEETINGS ON CACTUS PEAR, COCHINEAL AND RELATED NATURAL RESOURCES IN DRY AREAS.**

WORKSHOPS: **TRAINER IN MORE THAN 50 THEORETICAL-PRACTICAL WORKSHOPS ON CACTUS PEAR, COCHINEAL AND RELATED NATURAL RESOURCES IN DRY AREAS OF MEXICO, PERU, NICARAGUA, BOLIVIA, BRAZIL, USA AND OTHER COUNTRIES.**

OTHER INFORMATION:

NETWORKS AND SOCIETIES: **COORDINATOR OF COCHINEAL WORKING GROUP (CACTUSNET WWW.CACTUSNET.ORG), EDITOR OF CACTUS AND SUCCULENT BULLETIN NAKARI (WWW.NAKARI.WEBS.TL), MEMBER OF [INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY FOR HORTICULTURAL SCIENCE](http://INTERNATIONALSOCIETYFORHORTICULTURALSOCIETY.COM). LIDER OF ACADEMIC GROUP IN BIOTECHNOLOGY OF DRY AREAS. CONSULTANT TO ESTABLISH PLANT TISSUE CULTURE LABORATORIES FOR CACTUS AND AGAVE MICROPROPAGATION.**