

# Leidy Tatiana García Navarrete

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## Work Experience

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### Michigan State University

- Visiting scholar

East Lansing-USA

June 2019 –current

During the last months I'm working in the look for and characterization TFs relation as the synthesis, degradation and storage of fatty acids, and carbon fluxes in oil seed plants (*Camelina sativa* and Penny-cress). Currently i'm working the annotation update of Penny-cress genome, using data coming from the different sequencing technologies.

### Genetix-Diagnostic Center in Human Genetics and reproductive

- Bioinformatic

Bogotá-Colombia

December 2018 –May 2019

I worked in the single nucleotide polymorphisms (SNP's) identification and their associated with human diseases, with data from whole genome sequencing and TruSight One Sequencing Panels. Additionally, I participated in the tools development in python for the analysis automation the SNP's with the human database.

### Universidad Nacional de Colombia

- Co-research

Bogotá-Colombia

Marzo 2016 –Marzo 2018

Name of project: Genetic structure and climate adaptation of Lima bean *Phaseolus lunatus L.* and its domestication: a new approach using genomic fingerprints obtained by sequencing.

During the last three years I have worked in the development of projects associated with Phaseolus genus, in special with Lima bean. I participated in *de novo* assembled genome for this specie with read for different sequencing technologies as Pacbio, 10x and Illumina. also, I annotated this genome with experimental evidence (RNA-Seq) and looked for genes associated with the domestication syndrome in legums.

### International Center for Tropical Agriculture (CIAT)

- Visiting investigator

Palmira, Valle del Cauca-Colombia

June –July 2017

In this instance of research I was trained in DNA and RNA extraction techniques for sequencing with second and third generation technologies of different plant tissues.

## Education

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### Universidad Nacional de Colombia

- Master, Bioinformatics

Bogotá, Colombia

2018

Thesis: Computational strategy for the detection and characterization of microsynthetic blocks related to genomic regions associated with domestication in Lima bean.

Advisor: María Isabel Chacón Ph.D.

### Universidad Pedagógica Nacional

- B.Sc.Ed.; Biology Bachelor of Science Education

Bogotá, Colombia

2014

Thesis: Development of explanatory texts on the obtaining of transgenic plants by *Agrobacterium tumefaciens* through a Virtual Learning Object (OVA).

Advisor: Alcira Ordóñez Rey. Msc.

## Short-Term courses.....

- Principles of Genomic and Metagenomic Data Analysis. 2016  
International School.  
Universidad Nacional de Colombia.
- Diploma in Biotechnology Principles, fundamentals and techniques. 2013  
Universidad Pedagógica Nacional - CorpoGen.

## Congress, Seminar and Symposium participation

### ○ 2019

Tatiana Garcia, Jorge Duitama, Stephanie Smolenski Zullo, Andrea Ariani, Paola Hurtado, Clara Bermúdez, Paul Gepts, & Maria Isabel Chacón. **High Quality Genomic Resources to Understand Independent Domestication Processes and Genetic Diversity in Lima Bean.** Plant Animal Genome Conference XXVII (San Diego,CA,USA). Oral presentation.

### ○ 2018

Tatiana Garcia, Jorge Duitama, Stephanie Smolenski Zullo, Andrea Ariani, Paola Hurtado, Clara Bermúdez, Paul Gepts, & Maria Isabel Chacón. **Understand independent domestication processes in Lima bean.** ISCB-LA SOIBIO EMBnet 2018 (Vina del Mar, Chile). Poster presentation.

Tatiana Garcia, Jorge Duitama, Stephanie Smolenski Zullo, Andrea Ariani, Paola Hurtado, Clara Bermúdez, Paul Gepts, & Maria Isabel Chacón. **De novo genome assembly, annotation and identification of associated domestication genes in Lima bean (*Phaseolus lunatus L.*).** III Congreso Colombiano de Bioquímica y Biología Molecular (2018, Bogotá-Colombia). Oral presentation.

Tatiana García , Jorge Duitama Chacón María I. **Advances in the sequencing of the Lima bean genome** Seminar “Genetic architecture of complex traits in plants”, Facultad de Ciencias Agrarias, Universidad Nacional de Colombia. (Bogotá-Colombia). Oral presentation.

### ○ 2017

Tatiana García , Paola Hurtado, Jorge Duitama & María I.Chacón **Development of genomic resources in Lima beans (*Phaseolus lunatus L.*) for evolutionary studies and future breeding programs.** IV Congreso Colombiano de Bioinformática y Biología Computacional y VIII Conferencia Iberoamericana de Bioinformática.Cali-Colombia. Poster presentation.

### ○ 2014

Tatiana García & Lola Constanza Melo. **Diseño de un objeto virtual de aprendizaje (OVA) sobre la obtención de plantas transgénicas mediante *Agrobacterium tumefaciens*.** XLIX Congreso Nacional de la Asociación Colombiana de Ciencias Biológicas. Sincelejo, Colombia. Ponencia oral

## Software skills

- Proficient in perl, bash, R, latex and command line
- Experienced in java, Python.

## **Languages**

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Spanish (native speaker)

English (Intermediated B1)

## **Research interests and Bioinformatic tools**

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- I'm interested in plant genome evolution research, focusing in the identification of coding genes related to domestication syndrome. I would like to develop software relevant to this questions. I am skilled in genome assembly based on multiple data sources such as long reads (Pacbio), short paired-end reads (Illumina) and linked-reads (10X-genomics). Additionally, I am proficient in multiple transcriptome and validation assembly.

## **Academic Awards and Scholarship**

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- Thesis of Merit award. Msc thesis: Computational strategy for the detection and characterization of microsynthetic blocks related to genomic regions associated with domestication in Lima bean.
- Scholarship "Convocatoria Nacional para el Apoyo al Desarrollo de Tesis de Posgrado o de Trabajos Finales de Especialidades en el área de la Salud de la Universidad Nacional de Colombia 2017-2018" From Vicerrectoría de Investigación - Universidad Nacional de Colombia. Resolution 21 -2017

## **Personal References**

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