

# CURRICULUM VITAE

## PERSONAL DATA

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## EDUCATION

### PhD in Informatics

Program: *“Design, Analysis and Applications of Intelligent Systems”*  
Department of Computer Science an Artificial Intelligence (DECSAI)  
E.T.S. Ingeniería Informática  
Universidad de Granada, España  
September 2005

### M.S. in Computer Science

Department of Computer Science Facultad de Ciencias Exactas y Naturales  
Universidad de Buenos Aires, Argentina  
November 2001

### B.S. in Computer Science

Department of Computer Science Facultad de Ciencias Exactas y Naturales  
Universidad de Buenos Aires, Argentina  
August 1999

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

### Assistant Professor

Courses: *Data Structures, Administration of Resources in Informative Units* Department of Computer Science an Artificial Intelligence (DECSAI)  
E.T.S. Ingeniería Informática  
Universidad de Granada, España  
Spring Term 2006 - present.

### Graduate Instructor

Courses: *Computer Organization I, Paradigms of Programing Languages*  
Department of Computer Science  
Facultad de Ciencias Exactas y Naturales

Universidad de Buenos Aires, Argentina  
Spring Term 2002 - Fall Term 2005

Master Course: *DM & KD in science and technology*  
Data Mining Master - Universidad de Buenos Aires, Argentina - 2004

Master Course: *Computational biology*  
Medical Molecular Biology Master - Universidad de Buenos Aires, Argentina - 2004,  
2005

### Teaching Assistant

Courses: *Paradigms of Programming Languages, Machine Learning, Algorithms and Data Structures II*  
Fall Term 2000 - Fall Term 2001

## PUBLICATIONS

### Journals

C. Rubio-Escudero, R. Romero-Zaliz, O. Cordón, O. Harari, C. del Val, and I. Zwir. Optimal selection of microarray analysis methods using a conceptual clustering algorithm. In Franz Rothlauf et al, editor, *Applications of Evolutionary Computing: EvoWorkshops 2006: EvoBIO, EvoCOMNET, EvoHOT, EvoIASP, EvoINTERACTION, EvoMUSART, and EvoSTOC, Budapest, Hungary, April 10-12, 2006. Proceedings*, volume 3907, chapter EvoBIO Contributions, pages 172 – 183. Springer Berlin / Heidelberg, 2006.

R. Romero-Zaliz, C. Rubio-Escudero, O. Cordón, O. Harari, C. del Val, and I. Zwir. Mining structural databases: An evolutionary multi-objective conceptual clustering methodology. In Franz Rothlauf et al, editor, *Applications of Evolutionary Computing: EvoWorkshops 2006: EvoBIO, EvoCOMNET, EvoHOT, EvoIASP, EvoINTERACTION, EvoMUSART, and EvoSTOC, Budapest, Hungary, April 10-12, 2006. Proceedings*, volume 3907, chapter EvoBIO Contributions, pages 159 – 171. Springer Berlin / Heidelberg, 2006.

V. Cotik, R. Romero-Zaliz, and I. Zwir. A hybrid promoter analysis methodology for prokaryotic genomes. *Special issue on "Bioinformatics", Fuzzy Sets and Systems*, 152(1):83–102, 2005.

I. Zwir, R. Romero-Zaliz, and E. Ruspini. Automated biological sequence description by genetic multiobjective generalized clustering. In Faramarz Valafar, editor, *Techniques in bioinformatics and medical informatics*, volume 980, pages 65–82, 2002.

**National Conferences** *Extracción de conocimiento en repositorios biológicos estructurados*, Actas del BIOMAT'05. Academia Nacional de Letras de Córdoba (Argentina), 2006. In Press.

R. Romero-Zaliz, I. Zwir, and F. Herrera. Búsqueda dispersa multiobjetivo de promotores en secuencias de adn. In *MAEB'04 (Tercer congreso español de Metaheurísticas, Algoritmos Evolutivos y Bioinspirados)*, pages 141–147, Córdoba, España, Febrero 2004.

R. Romero Zaliz and I. Zwir. Analysis of multiobjective ga features in biological sequence recognition. In *AEB'02 (Primer congreso español de algoritmos evolutivos y bioinspirados)*, pages 175–182, Mérida, España, February 2002.

R. Romero Zaliz, I. Zwir, and I. Loiseau. Using multiobjective genetic algorithms for biological sequence pattern recognition. In *30 JAIIO (Jornadas Argentinas de Informática e Investigación Operativa) - ASAI 2001 (Simposio Argentino de Inteligencia Artificial)*, pages 117–129, Buenos Aires, Argentina, September 2001.

**International Conferences** R. Romero Zaliz, O. Cerdón, C. Rubio, and I. Zwir. A multiobjective evolutionary fuzzy system for promoter discovery in *e. coli*. In *I International Workshop on Genetic Fuzzy Systems*, pages 68–75, Granada, España, March 2005.

R. Romero Zaliz and I. Zwir. Automated biological sequence description and recognition by a localized multiobjective genetic algorithm. In *FEA 2002 (The Fourth International Workshop on Frontiers in Evolutionary Algorithms)*, pages 586–589, North Carolina, USA, March 2002.

R. Romero Zaliz, I. Zwir, and I. Loiseau. Automated biological sequence description and recognition: Studies of quality and extension features. In *Proceedings of the 2001 International Conference on Mathematics and Engineering Techniques in Medicine and Biological Sciences (METMBS'2001)*, pages 132–138, Las Vegas, USA, 2001.

**Book Chapters** R. Romero-Zaliz, I. Zwir, and E. Ruspini. *Applications of Multi-Objective Evolutionary Algorithms*, chapter Generalized Analysis of Promoters (GAP): A method for DNA sequence description, pages 427–450. World Scientific, 2004.

## AWARDS

### Student Research Fellowship (Beca Estímulo)

Secretaría de Ciencia y Técnica, Universidad de Buenos Aires (UBACyT)

Title: “Algorithms for DNA repeated sequence recognition”

Tutor: Dr. I. Loiseau

Institution: Department of Computer Science. Facultad de Ciencias Exactas y Naturales. Universidad de Buenos Aires, Argentina.

Date: October 2000 - March 2002

### FOMEC Scholarship

Provides funds for short term visits to academic institutions outside Argentina.

Institution: Department of Computer Science and Artificial Intelligence (DECSAI). E.T.S. Ingeniería Informática. Universidad de Granada, España.

Date: 16/05/2002 - 27/06/2002

### PhD Scholarship

Consejo Nacional de Investigaciones Científicas y Técnicas (CONICET), Secretaría de Ciencia, Tecnología e Innovación Productiva, Ministerio de Educación, Ciencia y Tecnología, Presidencia de la Nación, Argentina.

Title: “Distributed multi-objective genetic algorithms for pattern recognition in bioinformatics”

External tutor: Dr. F. Herrera Triguero

Internal tutor: Dr. I. Zwir

External institution: Department of Computer Science and Artificial Intelligence (DEC-SAI). E.T.S. Ingeniería Informática. Universidad de Granada, España.  
Internal institution: Department of Computer Science. Facultad de Ciencias Exactas y Naturales. Universidad de Buenos Aires, Argentina.  
Date: September 2002 - August 2006

## **TUTOR IN MASTER THESIS**

### **Aplicación de clustering generalizado al problema de gene ontology**

Student: Juan Pablo Grassi

Tutors: I. Zwir, R. Romero Zaliz

Date: December 2005

Department of Computer Science. Facultad de Ciencias Exactas y Naturales. Universidad de Buenos Aires, Argentina.

## **LANGUAGES**

**English**            Good spoken and written skills in English.

**Spanish**            Native.