

CURRICULUM VITAE

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Part A. PERSONAL INFORMATION		CV date		14/01/2025
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A.1. Current position

Position	Pos-doctoral Research Fellow		
Initial date	01/04/2020		
Institution	University of Coimbra		
Department/Center	Centre for Interdisciplinary Studies (CEIS20)		
Country	Portugal	Teleph. number	
Key words	Contemporary history; Agrarian history; Social history		

A.2: Previous professional status (including breaks in research career, according to what is indicated in the call, indicate total months)

Period	Position/Institution/Country/Interruption cause
N/A	N/A

A.3. Education

PhD, Licensed, Graduate	University/Country	Year
Programa de Doctorado en Historia Contemporánea	University of Santiago de Compostela	2019
Máster Universitario en Profesorado de Educación Secundaria Obligatoria y Bachillerato, Formación Profesional y Enseñanzas de Idiomas. Especialidad Ciencias Sociales y Humanidades	University of Santiago de Compostela	2013
Máster Universitario en Historia Contemporánea	University of Santiago de Compostela	2013
Licenciatura en Historia	University of Santiago de Compostela	2011

Part B. CV SUMMARY

My career began in Spain at the University of Santiago de Compostela, where I studied for a degree in history. Then, I completed two master degrees, one in contemporary history (2012) and another in education (2013), adding a second essential component to my career, i.e. teaching. I acquired pedagogical and psychological knowledge specific to education and the ability to turn pure scientific research into pedagogical content for different audiences. During my doctorate, I never stopped teaching. I worked in academies, improving my skills.

My PhD –completed in 2019 with the highest qualification and cum laude Distinction– provided me with a broad base of knowledge, historical sources and research perspectives on the study of agriculture. Applying for a project focused on its analysis with a strong emphasis on environmental and human perspectives was a logical choice. Thus, I achieved a Postdoctoral research contract since

2020 in the project “ReSEED - Rescuing seed's heritage: engaging in a new framework of agriculture and innovation since the 18th century” (ERC-2017-STG, GA760090, doi: 10.3030/760090) at the University of Coimbra. Working here consolidated my training, my teamwork capacity and my professional independence. ReSEED has allowed the incorporation of contributions from other sciences, the Portuguese scenario and new methodologies, making the dialogue between the history of science and economic, social, agrarian and environmental history more effective.

Regarding scientific activity, I have developed fieldwork, interviews and archival analysis with a wide variety of sources spanning 500 years. I participated in several workshops and organised a cycle of seminars. As for dissemination, I have published three scientific articles, a conference paper, a review and co-edited two books of proceedings. Four book chapters and five scientific papers are in progress. Also, I have presented research advances at 15 scientific meetings in the last four years in national and international contexts. As for the contribution to society and divulgation, several project members have participated in dissemination activities such as the European Researchers' Night. For the end of the project, I am preparing a final exposition with other colleagues with the results of the research of these years.

In terms of generation of knowledge, many of my recent publications and conference papers defend interdisciplinarity in the search for solutions to the present agricultural challenges. These challenges correspond to a situation that stems from the past, hence the relevance of developing long-term analyses. Thus, history is a tool for understanding the causes of current problems, as well as a resource for seeking possible alternatives in the past. Collaborative analyses between disciplines encourage novel ideas and approaches previously ignored by isolated scientific methodologies. In addition, the organisation of two congresses in collaboration with Portuguese and Spanish colleagues demonstrates my willingness to create a platform where debate among professionals makes it possible the generation of new ideas.

My contribution to the progress of research teams includes my work in the project ReSEED. I have developed documentary analysis in about twenty archives in Spain and Portugal, presented results at scientific events, reviewed project communication, and prepared and published scientific articles. I have enjoyed considerable autonomy, which has helped to shape my research independence progressively. I am also part of one of the Centre for Interdisciplinary Studies (CEIS20) research groups at the University of Coimbra, “Changing Landscapes. Long-term lab”, to which I have actively contributed by organising activities.

Additionally, I highlight my participation in project design teams, i.e. by helping to define the initial lines of work as a consultant. I performed this work within the Histagra research group in four occasions. The projects were granted on a competitive competition basis and funded by the Spanish Ministry of Economy. They helped to consolidate the group's development, which has grown with the addition of new researchers.

The activities that contributed to the development of individuals consist of teaching activities at the University of Coimbra. In the 2021-22 academic year, I lectured on the curriculum unit “Social Relations and Economic Activities” as part of the Master's degree in History in the Faculty of Arts. The task consisted of assisting the student's work, besides some contributions to the subject syllabus. The lectures addressed topics as diverse as rural identities, cultural heritage, suffragism, anti-Semitism and emigration. For this task I benefited from the pedagogical basis provided by the master's degree in education. However, these lectures ceased due to incompatibilities related to the work requirements of ReSEED.

Part C. RELEVANT MERITS

C.1. Publications

1. Scientific paper. Alberto González remuiñán. 2025. El catastro de Garay en galicia (1817-1821). Particularidades de aplicación, singularidades documentales y desafíos analíticos», In *Fuentes geohistóricas, nuevas tecnologías, nuevos retos*, C. Camarero, A. Aguilar & M. Corral (eds.), 187-199, UAM Ediciones – Ediciones Universidad de Cantabria. ISBN: 978-84-19024-76-3. Review: the text is an actualisation of my doctoral research. Martín de Garay was Minister of Finance during the absolutist reign of Ferdinand VII. To correct the calamitous situation of the Treasury, he promoted an ambitious plan that entailed the replacement of the old taxes of Castile and Aragon with a mixed tax

system. In regional contexts, we observe that the application of this reform had important specificities. The study discards the idea of homogeneity in its implementation, which may appear when looking at general legislation and regulations.

2. Scientific paper. Inês Gomes (AC); (2/3) Alberto González Remuiñán; Dulce Freire. 2024. Exotic, traditional and hybrid landscapes: The subtle history of the Iberian Peninsula maize between 'tradition' and 'modernity'. *Plants, People, Planet*. 6-5, pp.1047-1059.

<https://doi.org/10.1002/ppp3.10458>. Review: Using historical sources from Iberian agricultural research institutions, this paper aims to 1) contribute to understand the maize landscape and culture in the Iberian Peninsula and 2) interrogate how landscape changes (and the landscape history of maize) can frame local or regional heritage and identities reflecting customs or ways of life. The analysis unveils networks of knowledge, agricultural technologies and seed exchange.

3. Scientific paper. Alberto González Remuiñán. 2020. La Contribución General de 1817 en Galicia. Fuentes y posibilidades de investigación. *CT Catastro*. 99, pp.59-86.

4. Scientific paper. Alberto González Remuiñán. 2016. O Catastro de Martín de Garay na antiga provincia de Betanzos. O caso de Pontedeume. *Cátedra. Revista eumesa de estudos*. 23, pp.7-34.

Review 3 & 4: These texts introduce, from the Galician area, a source to study the Ancient Regime crisis barely used by scholars. In 1817 was instituted the reform of the tax system conducted by minister Martín de Garay. The process gave us an historical source of great value, product of the fiscal government investigations about the wealth of taxpayers of the monarchy. The various documentary corpuses that this tax collector reform resulted in offer a wide variety of possibilities to study essential aspects of farmer activities, as well as other demographic or social facets.

5. Others. Book of proceedings. Dulce Freire (AC); Ana Isabel Ribeiro; Pedro C. Carvalho; et al; Leonardo Aboim Pires; (8/10) Alberto González Remuiñán. 2023. IV international Congress. Food Sovereignty: Production and supply dynamics in the long term. Communications book. Sociedade Portuguesa de Estudos Rurais. ISBN: 978-972-96347-7-2.

6. Others. Book of proceedings. Dulce Freire (AC); Ana Isabel Ribeiro; Pedro C. Carvalho; et al; Leonardo Aboim Pires; (8/10) Alberto González Remuiñán. 2023. IV international Congress. Food Sovereignty: Production and supply dynamics in the long term. Sessions & Communications abstracts. Sociedade Portuguesa de Estudos Rurais. ISBN: 978-972-96347-6-5.

Review 5 & 6: Those books bring together the contributions received by the Organising Committee of the IV International Rural RePort & SEHA Congress, on the theme of Food Sovereignty: Production and supply dynamics in the long term. The event –which gathered more than 200 participants from 17 countries– was a platform for researchers working on agricultural and rural history on both sides of the Atlantic, as it was open to the Spanish-Portuguese speaking community.

7. Review. Alberto González Remuiñán. 2024. Continentes, intercambios e hibridaciones. Transferencias técnicas y culturales en la historia rural entre Europa y América (siglos XVI al XX). Salvador Álvarez & Alejandro Tortolero (coords.). *Historia Agraria. Revista de agricultura e historia rural*. 92, pp.237-241. <https://doi.org/10.26882/histagar.092r10b>

Review: This work –a review of a collective book– was published in a high-impact journal, the most important in its field in the Spanish-speaking world. The volume deals with a fundamental aspect of the Columbian exchange: the hybridisation of technical knowledge caused by contacts between different peoples and cultures. Beyond beliefs, attitudes and symbolic facts, it values the productive practices of the societies involved, as well as the tools and knowledge related to them.

C.2. Congress

1. Alberto González Remuiñán. Seventh Biennial Conference of the European Rural History Organisation (EURHO). European Rural History Organisation; University of Coimbra. 9-12 September 2025. Portugal. Organisational - Organising committee.

2. Alberto González Remuiñán. I Iberian Early-Career Researchers' Congress of the Campus Terra: Roots of Knowledge 2024. Universidad de Santiago de Compostela. 14-16 October 2024. Spain. Organisational - Scientific committee.

3. Alberto González Remuiñán. El cultivo del maíz antes de la Revolución Verde. Saberes campesinos e investigación científica en la Península Ibérica. I Congreso de la Asociación Latinoamericana de Historia Rural. El Colegio de México. 24-27 June 2024. Mexico. Participatory - oral communication.

4. Alberto González Remuiñán; Inês Gomes. Growing maize and saving water: Recovering peasant and expert knowledge. 6th Biennial Conference of the European Rural History Organisation; University of Cluj. 11-14 September 2023. Romania. Participatory - oral communication.
5. Alberto González Remuiñán. El catastro de Garay en Galicia (1818-1821). Particularidades y posibilidades para el estudio del paisaje. IV international Congress. Food Sovereignty: Production and supply dynamics in the long term. Universidade de Coimbra. 6-8 September 2023. Portugal. Participatory - oral communication.
6. Alberto González Remuiñán. IV international Congress. Food Sovereignty: Production and supply dynamics in the long term. Universidade de Coimbra. 6-8 September 2023. Portugal. Organisational - Organising committee.
7. Alberto González Remuiñán; Inês Gomes. Hybrids or Local Varieties? The Agrotechnology of Maize in the Iberian Peninsula. 4-6 August 2022 Agricultural History Society Annual Meeting. Stavanger University. 2022. Norway. Participatory - oral communication.
8. Carlos Manuel Faísca; Alberto González Remuiñán. New seeds and agricultural changes in Iberian Peninsula (XVIII-XIX centuries). V conference of the European Rural History Organization; University of Uppsala. 20-23 June 2022. Sweden. Participatory - oral communication.
9. Alberto González Remuiñán; Inês Gomes. Cultivar milho: práticas agrícolas e gestão da água (séculos XIX-XX). CER 2022. IX Congresso de Estudos Rurais – X Encontro Rural RePort. Sociedade Portuguesa de Estudos Rurais. 26-28 May 2022. Portugal. Participatory - oral communication.
10. Alberto González Remuiñán. Viejas comunidades, nuevas organizaciones y su relación con las prácticas y el cambio agrarios: Galicia (1800-1850). III Congreso Internacional SEHA-Rural Report. Despoblación rural, desequilibrio territorial y sostenibilidad. Universidad de Salamanca. 28-30 June 2021. Spain. Participatory - oral communication.

C.3. Research projects

1. **Project.** Grant agreement ID: 760090, Rescuing seeds' heritage: engaging in a new framework of agriculture and innovation since the 18th century (ReSEED). European Research Council. Dulce Freire. (University of Coimbra). 01/11/2018-31/10/2025. 1.467.727 €. Team member.
2. **Project.** Las dos vías de cambio y desarrollo agrario del siglo XX. Pluralismo de saberes en un marco orgánico y tecnocracia de la Revolución Verde. La agricultura atlántica, 1880-2000 – Generación de conocimiento 2020 (PID2020-112686Gb-I00). Generación de Conocimiento. Lourenzo Fernández Prieto. (Universidad de Santiago de Compostela). 13/09/2021-31/08/2025. Others. Working team (consulting).
3. **Project.** Consolidación e estruturación 2017 GRC GI-1657 Historia agraria e política do mundo rural. Séculos XIX e XX (HISTAGRA) (ED431C 2017/11). Consolidación e Estruturación de Unidades de Investigación. Lourenzo Fernández Prieto. (Universidad de Santiago de Compostela). 01/01/2017-31/12/2020. 200.000 €. Others. Working team (consulting).
4. **Project.** Consolidación e estruturación 2017 REDES - Rede de Agroecoloxía e Historia. REVOLTA (ED431D 2017/05). Consolidación e Estruturación de Unidades de Investigación. Lourenzo Fernández Prieto. (Universidad de Santiago de Compostela). 01/01/2017-31/12/2019. 120.000 €. Others. Working team (consulting).
5. **Project.** Los vectores del cambio estructural de las agriculturas atlánticas ibéricas: motomecanización y especialización lechera (HAR2016-77441-P). Lourenzo Fernández Prieto. (Universidad de Santiago de Compostela). 30/12/2016-03/12/2019. 40.000 €. Others. Working team (consulting).

C.4. Contracts, technological or transfer merits

N/A