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Professional Profile

As a Senior Scientist at Exponent International, Fernando Fuentes specializes in European (EU27 and UK) regulatory frameworks for crop protection products, biostimulants and fertilizers. Fernando helps clients navigate complex EU regulations, ensuring compliance and successful market access for active substances and products. Fernando has significant experience in innovative agricultural solutions and emerging technologies. He offers strategic guidance, dossier preparation, and regulatory project management tailored to diverse client needs. He advises agrochemical companies, biostimulant manufacturers, and agritech innovators, supporting them in meeting regulatory requirements and accelerating product approvals across Europe.

Prior to joining Exponent, Fernando has managed multiple active substance and biostimulant projects at EU level for an agrochemical industry company, delivering high-quality submissions and securing approvals under strict timelines. Additionally, he holds a Master's in Business Administration, enabling him to combine scientific expertise with business strategy for impactful results.

Fernando is committed to maintaining close communication with clients to address specific needs in line with their registration strategies.

Fernando is fluent in Spanish and English, adding value in cross border regulatory communication.

Academic Credentials & Professional Honors

M.S., Advance Techniques in Agriculture & Food Dev, Polytechnic University of Cartagena, 2017

B.Sc. Eng., Chemical Engineering, Universidad de Murcia, 2016

Academic Appointments

Research Associated R&D, Polytechnic University of Cartagena, 2017

Prior Experience

Regulatory Affairs Manager, Trichodex, 2025

Regulatory Affairs Manager, Helm AG, 2021-2025

Regulatory Affairs Coordinator, Probelte SAU, 2018-2021

Research Associated in R&D, Polytechnic University of Cartagena, 2017

Quality Control Engineer, ICL, 2016