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### EDUCATION/TRAINING

INSTITUTION AND LOCATION	DEGREE (if applicable)	MM/YY	FIELD OF STUDY
Colorado State University, Fort Collins	PhD	12/1990	Epidemiology
University of California, Davis	MPVM	08/1985	Preventive Medicine
University of Baja California, Mexico	DVM	08/1983	Veterinary Medicine

### A. PERSONAL STATEMENT

I am a veterinary epidemiologist with interest in diseases of economic and public health importance in animal and human populations, as well as capacity building and training in animal health in national veterinary services. I have experience in education, research, and capacity building programs in the US, Latin America and the Caribbean, South East Asia, and West Africa.

### B. POSITIONS AND HONORS

#### Positions and Employment

2007-present	Professor, Department of Clinical Sciences, College of Veterinary Medicine, University of Florida
2003-2007	Associate Professor, Department of Large Animal Clinical Sciences, College of Veterinary Medicine, University of Florida
1998-2003	Assistant Professor, Department of Large Animal Clinical Sciences, College of Veterinary Medicine, University of Florida
1996-1998	Analytical Epidemiologist, Texas Animal Health Commission.
1991-1996	Professor, School of Veterinary Medicine, University of Baja California.

#### Honors

UF Health Science Center: Superior Accomplishment Award (2003)  
UF Distinguished International Educator Award (2004, 2006)

#### Professional Memberships

Association of Veterinary Epidemiology and Preventive Medicine  
International Society of Veterinary Epidemiology and Economics

### C. PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

Ekiri A, House A, Krueger T, **Hernandez JA**. Are equine hospital surveillance and infection control services relevant and well accepted? Feedback from referral veterinarians and clients. *J Am Vet Med Assoc* 2013 (accepted).

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#### **D. RESEARCH SUPPORT**

**Jorge Hernandez (PI)**. USDA Foreign Agricultural Service: Office of Capacity Building and Development. Capacity building and training program in animal health in Peru. \$216,447; October 2010 to June 2013; FTE 15%.

E Goss E (PI), N Keyhani N (CoI), **Jorge Hernandez (Co-PI)**. Evolution and epidemiology of the plant and animal pathogen *Pythium insidiosum*. UF Division of Sponsored Research Opportunity Fund. May 2012 to April 2014. \$88,161 (\$17,246 administered by Hernandez; No Indirect Cost); FTE 10%.

**Pending**

**Jorge Hernandez (PI)**. Understanding parasitic disease transmission and control strategies to improve animal and human health under different environmental conditions in Senegal. USAID. \$249,332. FTE 22%. October 2013 to April 2015.