

# CURRICULUM VITAE



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### Academic Background

1977-1980 Bachelor's degree in Ferrous metallurgy. ITM. Morelia, México  
1981-1982 Master of Science degree in Ferrous metallurgy. Specialty in Heat treatment of steel. ITM. Morelia, México  
1992-1995 PhD in Metallurgical Engineering. Thesis: "Conversion of hematite to iron carbides by gas phase carburization", Colorado School of Mines. Golden CO, USA.

### Employment record

June 1982-June 1985 Several positions such as trainee, head of the heat treatment department and welding supervisor at different metallurgical plants  
Sep 1985-Oct 1987 Manager of R&D at NKS, a manufacturer of capital goods (casted and forged)  
June 1988-August 2018 Professor at the Metallurgy department of Morelia Technological Institute (ITM).  
September 2018-Present Professor at the University of Science and Technology Beijing (USTB). School of Metallurgical and Ecological Engineering. Beijing China.  
Ferrous Metallurgy Research Institute (FeMRI) México.  
Principal researcher on ironmaking and steelmaking.

### Awards:

- [Editor of Metallurgical Research and Technology](#) (previously known as *Revue de Metallurgie*). Since January 2017
- [National award](#) (2<sup>nd</sup> place): Technology and Science award granted by the Mexican Steel Producers Association (Canacero). 2010/2011. Work on EAF modeling.
- Michoacán [State award](#): Technology award, 2005. Work on EAF slag foaming.

- Best paper award, [Charles W. Briggs award](#) 2002, Iron and steel society, USA. EAF steelmaking.
- Member of the [National System of Researchers](#) (SNI). Level II (top 18% nationwide). Current period: 2018-2021. Level II from 2014-2017. Previously level I from 1989-1993, 2002-2013.
- [Visiting professor](#), Tohoku University, IMRAM, Kitamura laboratory, Sendai [Japan](#). 3 months, July-September 2009.
- [Visiting professor](#), ArcelorMittal R&D, Avilés [Spain](#), 6 months, Feb-July 2011.
- [Visiting professor](#), School of Metallurgical en Ecological Engineering of the University of Science and Technology Beijing (USTB), [P.R. China](#), One year, August 2014-July 2015. One month; June 28-July 30, 2016.
- [Visiting professor](#), Indian Institute of Technology Kanpur, Department of Materials Science and Engineering, Kanpur, Uttar Pradesh, India. 5 months, December 2017-May 2018.

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5. **SOOTING BEHAVIOR DURING THE CARBIDIZATION OF IRON OXIDES.**  
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6. **A MATHEMATICAL SIMULATOR FOR THE EAF STEELMAKING PROCESS USING DIRECT REDUCED IRON.**  
R. D. Morales, H. Rodríguez and [A. N. Conejo](#). ISIJ international, Vol 41 (5), 2001. 426-435. Japan.
7. **OPERATIONAL RESULTS DURING THE MELTING OF 100% DRI OF HIGH CARBON-HIGH METALLIZATION AT IMEXSA**  
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9. **PROCESS DYNAMICS OF ELECTRIC ARC FURNACE DURING DIRECT REDUCED IRON MELTING**  
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10. **CONCEPT OF DYNAMIC FOAMING INDEX AND ITS APPLICATION TO CONTROL OF SLAG FOAMING IN ELECTRIC ARC FURNACE STEELMAKING**  
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**Handbooks:**

**1. EAF STEELMAKING:**

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- 1.2 Kinetics of chemical reactions: 6 semesters
- 1.3 Numerical analysis: 10 semesters
- 1.4 Methods of analysis in process metallurgy: 8 semesters
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