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## EDUCATION

- 2016**      **PhD, Ecology and Sustainable Development**  
**El Colegio de la Frontera Sur (ECOSUR)**  
San Cristóbal de Las Casas, Chiapas  
Dissertation defense: October 14th, 2016  
Honors
- 2009**      **Master of Sciences in Sustainable Agriculture**  
**Universidad Central ‘Marta Abreu’ de Las Villas (UCLV)**  
Santa Clara, Cuba  
Thesis defense: December 16th, 2009  
Excellence
- 2005**      **Bachelor of Arts in Environmental Studies**  
**University of California, Santa Cruz (UCSC)**

## SELECTED PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

### Agroecological researcher

- **Guest Researcher**, Grupo de Masificación de la Agroecología, El Colegio de la Frontera Sur (ECOSUR) (Chiapas, México since July 2019)
- **Research Fellow**, *Jo' Ja' Jcuxlejaltic* “Water is Life”, Schools for Chiapas (San Cristóbal de Las Casas, México and San Diego, California, May-August 2019)
- **Post-Doctoral Research Fellow**, University of Michigan, School for Environment and Sustainability (Ann Arbor, Michigan and Utuado, Puerto Rico, September 2017-September 2018)

### Technical support, La Via Campesina international peasant movement (2012-present)

- **Planning Committee Member**, LVC 8<sup>th</sup> Conference (Managua, 2022)
- **Consultant**, Midterm Evaluation of Paso Justo Project (Int'l, December 2019 – February 2020)
- **Coordinator of Translators and Interpreters**, Peasant-to-Peasant International Course and International Event on Agroecology, Cooperativism and Sustainable Agriculture (Güira de Melena, Cuba, 2013, 2015, 2017, 2019)
- **Part-time Communications Lead**, North American Region (Juárez/El Paso/Manitoba, since October 2019)
- **Sole Author**, Midterm International Conference Report (Harare, Zimbabwe, September 2019)
- **Sole Author**, 2019 International Women Assembly (Harare, Zimbabwe, August 2019)

- **Sole Author**, 2019 International Youth Assembly (Harare, Zimbabwe, August 2019)
- **Sole Author**, Climate Justice Encounter Final Report (Managua, Nicaragua, December 2018)
- **Lead Author**, FAO-financed IPC study on Agroecological Public Policy (Int'l, February 2018)
- **Coordinator for Notetaking**, LVC 7<sup>th</sup> International Conference (Basque Country, July 2017)
- **Sole Author**, LVC 7<sup>th</sup> International Conference Final Report (Basque Country, July 2017)
- **Sole Author**, FAO-financed “Toolkit on Peasant Agroecology Schools and Peasant-to-Peasant Method for Horizontal Learning”, Collective on Agroecology, Seeds and Biodiversity (January-May 2017)
- **Project Development Lead**, Agroecological Corridor, Central American Region (since 2016)
- **Coordinator for Notetaking**, Nyéléni International Forum on Agroecology (Selingué, Mali, February 2015)
- **Contributing Author**, Declaration of Nyéléni, Nyéléni 2015 International Forum on Agroecology
- **Sole Author**, Nyéléni International Forum on Agroecology Final Report (Mali, 2015)
- **Professor**, Latin American Institute of Agroecology Ixim Ulew (Chontales, Nicaragua, since 2015)
- **Professor**, Escuela Técnica Agroecológica del Norte ‘Rodolfo Sánchez Bustos (Matagalpa, Nicaragua, 2013-2015)

## EMPLOYMENT

### August 2019 – October 2019

- Consultant
- La Via Campesina
- Harare, Zimbabwe
- Coordinated notetaking in French, English and Spanish during LVC Midterm Conference and wrote final reports for Women and Youth Assemblies, Men’s Encounter, and Midterm Conference

### May 2019 – September 2019

- Research Fellow
- *Jo’ Ja’ Jcuxlejaltic* “Water is Life”
- Schools for Chiapas
- Chiapas, Mexico and San Diego, California
- Researching peasant strategies for forest-based recovery of water tables and aquifers in Mayan communities

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### September 2018 – February 2019

- Consultant
- Bread for the World-Protestant Development Service
- *Rede Social de Justiça e Direitos Humanos*
- Germany and Brazil
- Carried out end-of-project evaluation of Land Research Action Network for period from 2017 to 2019.

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### September 2017 - September 2018

- Research Fellow/Principal Investigator
- University of Michigan
- School for Environment and Sustainability
- Ann Arbor, Michigan and Utuado, Puerto Rico

- Created research framework for USDA-funded project linking multifunctionality of coffee agroecosystems, peasant economies and socio-ecological resilience

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#### **October 2017 – March 2018**

- Consultant
- International Planning Committee for Food Sovereignty
- Agroecology Working Group
- Rome, Italy
- Lead author of document entitled: “Designing Inclusive Public Policy in Support of Agroecology,” as part of FAO-financed partnership with International Planning Committee

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#### **June 2017 – September 2017**

- Consultant
- La Via Campesina International
- International Operating Secretariat
- Dario, Basque Country
- Sole author of “Final Report of the 7<sup>th</sup> International Conference of La Via Campesina.”

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#### **March 2017 – May 2017**

- Consultant
- Institute for Territorial Research and Training
- Denis Martínez Foundation
- Matagalpa, Nicaragua
- Carried out a two-month, participatory evaluation of seven community seed banks and facilitated the design of a new five-year strategic plan for community seed banks, financed by SwissAid.

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#### **January 2017 – April 2017**

- Consultant
- La Via Campesina International
- Working Collective on Agroecology, Seeds and Biodiversity
- Dario, Basque Country
- Sole author of “Toolkit: Peasant Agroecology Schools and the Peasant-to-Peasant Method of Horizontal Learning,” financed by FAO

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#### **October 2016 – January 2017**

- Consultant
- Foundation for the Autonomy of the Atlantic Coast of Nicaragua
- Managua, Nicaragua
- Carried out participatory evaluation of program entitled: “Change Now! A Mass Media Campaign to Reduce Drug Abuse and Violence in Nicaragua.”

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#### **February 2015 – June 2015**

- Consultant
- International Planning Committee on Food Sovereignty
- Agroecology Working Group
- Rome, Italy
- Sole author of “Final Report of the International Forum on Agroecology at Nyéléni, Mali.”

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#### January 2015 – May 2015

- Professor of Post-Graduate Studies
- National Agrarian University
- Managua, Nicaragua
- Instructed masters students in course entitled, “Design, Management and Evaluation of Tropical Agroecosystems.”

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#### August 2013 – September 2016

- Program Development Volunteer
- Rural Workers’ Association of Nicaragua (*Asociación de Trabajadores del Campo—ATC*)
- Ticuantepe, Matagalpa and Santo Tomás, Nicaragua
- Co-coordinated national and international educational programs of ATC at agroecology schools in three cities and the Agroecological Corridor. Applied for, received and managed financing from *Solidaridad Suecia-América Latina* (SAL), the Agroecology Fund and the Basque government.

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#### December 2010 – July 2012

- Program Officer
- Red de Estudios para el Desarrollo Local, A.C.
- Sierra, Costa, Frailesca and Altos Regions of Chiapas, Mexico
- Responsible for developing relationships with mestizo and indigenous rural communities as well as officials of Mexico’s *Comisión Nacional de Áreas Naturales Protegidas* (CONANP) in order to identify, plan, organize, execute and evaluate participatory local development projects such as agricultural diversification, riparian management, seeds, health and education initiatives.

### GRANTS RECEIVED

<b>Cooperation and Development Fund, Government of the Basque Country</b>	<b>2020-2022</b>
\$340,000 for developing women peasant leadership in the agroecological transformation of peasant territories in Central America.	
<b>Agroecology Fund</b>	<b>2014-2016</b>
\$165,000 for supporting territorial processes in agroecological learning in Central America.	
<b>WhyHunger</b>	<b>2016-2017</b>
\$5,000 for communication support for agroecological learning.	

## GUEST LECTURES GIVEN

University of California, Santa Cruz

April 25, 2016

Center for Agroecology and Sustainable Food Systems (CASFS), Santa Cruz, California

University of California, Santa Cruz

April 25, 2016

Course: Field Research Experiences in Agroecology and Sustainable Food Systems

Professor: Dr. Stacy Philpott

Interdisciplinary Sciences Building, 455 (Universidad de California Santa Cruz)

University of California, Berkeley

April 26, 2016

Course: Global Sociology

Professor: Dr. Tiffany Page

Room: U432, Universidad de California, Berkeley

University of Stanford

April 27, 2016

Course: Sustainable Agriculture

Professors: Dr. Annie Shattuck and Dr. Patrick Archie

Palo Alto, California

University of Oregon

May 2, 2016

Course: Global Environmental Problems

Professor: Dr. Derrick Hindery

123 Global Scholars Hall, University of Oregon, Eugene, Oregon

University of Oregon

May 3, 2016

Course: Alternatives to Development

Professor: Dr. Derrick Hindery

16 Pacific Hall, Center for Latin American and Latino Studies

University of Oregon

May 3, 2016

Course: Development and Social Change in Latin America

Professor: Dr. Derrick Hindery

117 Global Scholars Hall, University of Oregon, Eugene, Oregon

Evergreen State University

May 6, 2016

Course: Organic and Ecological Agriculture

Professors: Dr. Martha Rosemeyer and Dr. Dave Muehleisen

University Farmhouse, Olympia, Washington

## ACADEMIC PUBLICATIONS

### Under review

**McCune, N.M.**, Katia Avilés-Vázquez, Jesús Vázquez-Negrón, John Vandermeer, Ivette Perfecto. Disaster colonialism, populism, and resistance in Puerto Rico. *Journal of Rural Studies*.

**McCune, N.M.**, John Vandermeer y Ivette Perfecto. Balances campesinos y transiciones críticas. Capítulo en: García Barrios, L., Benítez Keinrad, M. (Eds.), *Procesos complejos en Agroecología: Problemáticas, enfoques e interlocuciones desde y para los territorios campesinos*. Instituto de Ecología, Ecosur y Conocyt.

**Nils McCune** and Peter Rosset. Agroecology. In: *Critical Agrarian Studies Handbook*. The Hague: International Institute of Social Studies (ISS).

### Published in Peer-Reviewed Academic Journals

2019. **McCune, N.M.**, Ivette Perfecto, Katia Avilés-Vázquez, Jesús Vázquez-Negrón, John Vandermeer. Peasant balances and agroecological scaling in Puerto Rican coffee farming: Crisis, coffee, and agroecological scaling in Puerto Rico. *Agroecology and Sustainable Food Systems* 43 (7-8): 810-826.

2019. Rosset, P., Valentin Val, Lia Barbosa and **Nils McCune**. Agroecology and La Via Campesina II. Peasant agroecology schools and the formation of a sociohistorical and political subject. *Agroecology and Sustainable Food Systems*, 43(7-8): 895-914.

2019. Giraldo, O. and **Nils McCune**. Can the State Take Agroecology to Scale? *Journal of Agroecology and Sustainable Food Systems* 43 (7-8) 785-809. DOI: 10.1080/21683565.2019.1585402

2018. **McCune, N.M.**, Marlen Sánchez. Teaching the territory: agroecological pedagogy and popular movements. *Agriculture and Human Values* <https://doi.org/10.1007/s10460-018-9853-9>

2017. **McCune, N.M.** Los mediadores pedagógicos y la territorialización de la agroecología. *Práxis Educativa* 13(26): 252-280.

2017. **McCune, N.M.** Peter Rosset, Tania Cruz Salazar, Helda Morales, Antonio Saldivar. The long road: rural youth, farming and agroecological *formación* in Central America. *Mind, Culture, and Activity*. DOI: 10.1080/10749039.2017.1293690

2016. **McCune, N.M.** Family, territory, nation: Post-neoliberal agroecological scaling in Nicaragua. *Food Chain* 6(2): 92-106.

2016. **McCune, N.M.**, Peter Rosset, Tania Cruz Salazar, Helda Morales, Antonio Saldivar. Mediated territoriality: rural workers and the efforts to scale out agroecology in Nicaragua. *The Journal of Peasant Studies* 44(2): 354-376. Available free: <http://www.tandfonline.com/eprint/BeDAXTekchiKKba2agVK/full>

2014. **McCune, N.M.**, Juan Reardon, Peter Rosset. Agroecological *formación* in rural social movements. *Radical Teacher* 98: 31-37.

2013. Guevara-Hernández, Francisco, Heriberto Gómez-Castro, Leopoldo Medina-Sansón, Luis A. Rodríguez-Larramendi, Granma Cuba, Paula Mendoza-Nazar, **Nils M. McCune**, Carlos Tejeda-Cruz, U René Pinto-Ruiz. "Traditional fire use, governance and social dynamics in a Biosphere Reserve of Chiapas, Mexico." *Pensee* 75(11): 110-125.

2012. Ferguson, B., B. Bathfield, B. Díaz-Hernández, **N. McCune**, H. Morales. Food security and global environmental change. *Journal of Peasant Studies* 39(1), 229-235.
2012. Guevara Hernández, F., **N. McCune**, L. Rodríguez Larramendi, J. Ovando Cruz. Popular Education in the Ends and Means of Empowerment: Peasants in Indigenous Mexico. *Forum for Development Studies* 39(2), 257-281
2011. **McCune, N.**; Y. Ruíz González; E. Águila Alcántara; O. Fernández Martínez; C.O. Fundora; N. Castillo-Arzola; P. Cairo-Cairo; M. D'Haese; S. DeNeve; F. Guevara-Hernández. Global questions, local answers: soil management and sustainable intensification in diverse socioeconomic contexts of Cuba. *Agroecology and Sustainable Food Systems (Journal of Sustainable Agriculture)* 35(6), 650-670
2011. Guevara Hernández, F.; **N. McCune**; L. Rodríguez Larramendi; G. Newell. Who's who? Power mapping, decision making and development concerns in an indigenous community of Oaxaca, Mexico. *Journal of Human Ecology* 36(2), 131-144
2011. Guevara Hernández, F.; **N. McCune**; H. Gómez Castro; R. Pinto Ruíz; F. Medina Jonapá; A. Hernández López; C. Tejeda-Cruz. Conflicting regulatory systems for natural resource management in Southern Mexico: An ethnographic case study. *International Journal of Technology and Development Studies* 2(1), 30-62
2010. Guevara-Hernández, F., Ovando-Cruz, J., **McCune, N. M.**, Pinto-Ruiz, R., Medina-Jonapá, F. J., & Gómez-Castro, H. (2010). Participatory power mapping: A collective identification of development actors in a small cattle village of Chiapas, Mexico. *International Journal of Technology and Development Studies*, 1(1), 5-28.
2009. **McCune, N. M.**, González, Y. R., Martínez, O. F., & Alcántara, E. Á. Evaluación del impacto tecnológico sobre el recurso suelo, en sistemas agrícolas representativos del municipio de Santa Clara. *Centro Agrícola*, 36(2), 57-63.

#### Published in Peer-Reviewed Academic Books

2019. **McCune, N.M.** Nicaragua and Contemporary American Imperialism. In: Cope, Z. and Ness, I. (Eds.) *Palgrave Encyclopedia of Imperialism and Anti-Imperialism*, Second Edition. ISBN 978-0-230-39278-6
2019. Rosset, P. and **Nils McCune**. La Vía Campesina y el desafío de llevar la agroecología campesina a escala territorial: el papel de las escuelas. Pp. 345-374 en: Ramos dos Santos, A. (Coord.), *Educação y Movimentos Sociais: análise e desafios*. Sao Paulo: Paco Editorial.
2014. Costa, C., **Nils McCune**, Xochitl Exue-Hernandez. Processi educativi ed esperienze di emancipazione. Un'etnografia dal Sud del mondo. Chapter in: Gobbo, F. y Simonicca A. (Editors), *Etnografia e intercultura*, Centro d'Informazione e Stampa Universitaria (CISU), Rome. Pp. 148-174. ISBN: 978-88-7975-602-0
2013. **McCune, N.** 'Agribusiness' and 'Genetically Modified Crops'. Chapters in: Danver, S. (Editor), *Encyclopedia of Politics of the American West*. CQ Press, Sage: Los Angeles, Londres, Nuevo Delhi. Pp. 157-158 and 159. ISBN: 978-1-60871-909-9
2012. **McCune, N.**, F. Guevara Hernández, J. Nahed Toral, P. Mendoza Nazar, J. Ovando Cruz, B. Ruíz Sesma, L. Medina Sanson. Social-Ecological Resilience and Maize Farming in Chiapas, Mexico. Chapter in: *Sustainable Development: Authoritative and Leading Edge Content for Environmental Management*.

## IN THE MEDIA

### Non-academic publications

2019. Luna, G. y **N. McCune**. Cuba, Venezuela, Nicaragua y la doctrina Trump. ALAI América Latina en Movimiento 541 (May 2019): 27-28. Available at: <https://www.alainet.org/sites/default/files/alem-541.pdf>
2019. Giraldo, O. y **N. McCune**. ¿Puede el Estado llevar la agroecología a escala? Experiencias de políticas públicas para la territorialización agroecológica en América Latina. Cuaderno de trabajo No. 2 Grupo de investigación sobre la Masificación de la Agroecología. Available at: <https://www.ecosur.mx/masificacion-agroecologia/wp-content/uploads/sites/16/2019/06/Puede-el-Estado-llevar-la-agroecolog%C3%ADa-a-escala.pdf>
2019. **McCune, N.M.** Youth Transforming Territories and Breaking Borders. In: Manahan, M. (Ed.), *New Challenges and Strategies in the Defense of Land and Territory*. LRAN Briefing Paper Series No. 4. Land Research Action Network (LRAN), Global Campaign for Agrarian Reform (GCAR) with Focus on the Global South, Rede Social de Justiça e Direitos Humanos, and La Via Campesina with the support of Brot für die Welt (Bread for the World). Republished by Focus on the Global South: <https://focusweb.org/publications/new-challenges-and-strategies-in-defense-of-land-and-territory/>; Libya 360: <https://libya360.wordpress.com/2019/02/05/new-challenges-and-strategies-in-defense-of-land-and-territory/>; and Rede Social de Justiça e Direitos Humanos: [https://www.social.org.br/files/pdf/2\\_landresearchactionnetwork\\_web.pdf](https://www.social.org.br/files/pdf/2_landresearchactionnetwork_web.pdf)
2019. **McCune, N.M.** Jóvenes transformando territorios y rompiendo fronteras. En: Nuevos desafíos y retos en la defensa de la tierra. Número 4 en la serie Documentos Informativos de LRAN. (59-64). Republished *América Latina en Movimiento*: <https://www.alainet.org/es/articulo/199148> and the Asociación de Consumidores Orgánicos: <https://consumidoresorganicos.org/2019/05/06/nuevos-desafios-y-retos-en-la-defensa-de-la-tierra/>
2019. Rosset, P. and **Nils McCune**. La Vía Campesina y el desafío de llevar la agroecología campesina a escala territorial: el papel de las escuelas. Republished by the Instituto Argentino para el Desarrollo Económico: <https://consumidoresorganicos.org/2019/05/06/nuevos-desafios-y-retos-en-la-defensa-de-la-tierra/> and the Alianza Biodiversidad : <http://www.iade.org.ar/noticias/la-campesina-y-el-desafio-de-llevar-la-agroecologia-campesina-escala-territorial-el-papel> y <http://www.biodiversidadla.org/Documentos/La-Via-Campesina-y-el-desafio-de-llevar-la-agroecologia-campesina-a-escala-territorial-el-papel-de-las-escuelas>
2019. Willson, B. y **McCune, N.M.** US Imperialism and Nicaragua: “They wouldn’t let our flower bloom”. Pp. 14-44 in: *Live from Nicaragua: Uprising or Coup?* Tucson: Alliance for Global Justice. Available at: <https://afgj.org/nicanotes-live-from-nicaragua-uprising-or-coup>
2019. **McCune, N.M.** (Ed.) The Popular Economy: Nicaragua’s Anti-Shock Therapy. Pp. 223-244 en: *Live from Nicaragua: Uprising or Coup?* Tucson: Alliance for Global Justice. Available at: <https://afgj.org/nicanotes-live-from-nicaragua-uprising-or-coup>
2019. Willson, B. y **McCune, N.M.** Imperialismo Estadounidense y Nicaragua: “No dejaron que nuestra flor floreciera”. Pp. 14-44 in: *Nicaragua 2018: ¿Levantamiento Popular o Golpe de Estado?* Tucson: Alliance for



Global Justice. Available at: [https://afgj.org/wp-content/uploads/2019/07/nicaragua\\_2018\\_levantamiento\\_popular\\_o\\_golpe\\_de\\_estado.pdf](https://afgj.org/wp-content/uploads/2019/07/nicaragua_2018_levantamiento_popular_o_golpe_de_estado.pdf)

2019. **McCune, N.M.** (Ed.) La economía popular de Nicaragua: terapia anti-shock. Pp. 262-285 en: *Nicaragua 2018: ¿Levantamiento Popular o Golpe de Estado?* Tucson: Alliance for Global Justice. Available at: [https://afgj.org/wp-content/uploads/2019/07/nicaragua\\_2018\\_levantamiento\\_popular\\_o\\_golpe\\_de\\_estado.pdf](https://afgj.org/wp-content/uploads/2019/07/nicaragua_2018_levantamiento_popular_o_golpe_de_estado.pdf)
2018. **McCune, N.M.**, Ivette Perfecto, Katia Vazquez, Jesus Negrón, John Vandermeer. Disaster colonialism and agroecological brigades in post-disaster Puerto Rico. Transnational Institute, Agrarian and Environmental Justice. 17/3/2018. Available at: <https://www.tni.org/en/publication/disaster-colonialism-and-agroecological-brigades-in-post-disaster-puerto-rico>
2016. **McCune, N.M.** 'Because the river told me'. Peasants resisting the violence of agribusiness. *New Internationalist* 492. Available: <https://newint.org/features/2016/05/01/agroecology-better-for-peasant-farmers>
2014. **McCune, N.M.** Peasant to peasant: the social movement form of agroecology. *Farming Matters* 31(2): 36-37. Republished by FAO, 2019: <http://www.fao.org/agroecology/database/detail/en/c/443460/>
2014. Nuñez, A., **McCune, N.M.**, y J. Reardon. Alimentando el pensamiento crítico: Formación agroecológica para la soberanía alimentaria. *Rebelión* 7/3/2014. Available: <http://www.rebellion.org/noticia.php?id=181723> Available at: Alianza Biodiversidad: [http://www.biodiversidadla.org/Documentos/Alimentando\\_el\\_pensamiento\\_critico\\_Formacion\\_agroecologica\\_para\\_la\\_soberania\\_alimentaria](http://www.biodiversidadla.org/Documentos/Alimentando_el_pensamiento_critico_Formacion_agroecologica_para_la_soberania_alimentaria)
2014. Nuñez, A., **McCune, N.M.**, and J. Reardon. Agroecological formation for food sovereignty. ZNet, 3/6/2014. Available: <https://zcomm.org/znetarticle/agroecological-formation-for-food-sovereignty/>

### Interviews in radio and television

2018. Flashpoints, July 23, 2018. KPFA Berkeley, California. Evening political show.
2018. Loud and Clear, June 20. Sputnik News. "Violence continued across Nicaragua."
2018. Telesur, June 10. Interview on Nicaragua.
2018. Loud and Clear, April 24. Sputnik News. "Deadly protests in Nicaragua."

### ACADEMIC ADVISING

Type of participation: Thesis committee member

Institution: Autonomous University of Chapingo, Mexico

Title of Thesis: Social appropriation of the Maize intercropped with fruit trees system in San Juan Chamula municipality, Chiapas.

Student: Julián Ordóñez

Degree: Masters in Regional Rural Development

Condition: Ongoing

Type of participation: External thesis reviewer

Institution: El Colegio de la Frontera Sur (ECOSUR), Chiapas (UNACH), México  
Title of Thesis: Traps of Political Legitimacy: Social Movements and Agroecology in El Salvador 2008-2013  
Student: Adriana Murguía González  
Degree: Masters in Rural Development and Natural Resources  
Condition: Graduated June 19<sup>th</sup>, 2019

Type of participation: External Thesis Adviser  
Institution: Faculty of Agronomic Sciences, Autonomous University of Chiapas (UNACH), Mexico  
Title of Thesis: Characterization of plant agrobiodiversity and its uses in the milpa system in the community of 24 de febrero, Villa Corzo municipality, Chiapas.  
Student: Lluvia Esmeralda Robles López  
Degree: Agronomical Engineer  
Condition: Graduated March 13th, 2013

Type of participation: External Thesis Adviser  
Institution: Faculty of Agronomic Sciences, Autonomous University of Chiapas (UNACH), Mexico  
Title of Thesis: Evaluation of the diversity of insects associated with maize crops in the ejido of 24 de febrero, Villa Corzo municipality, Chiapas.  
Student: Andrade López Hernández  
Degree: Agronomical Engineer  
Condition: Graduated March 20th, 2013

## **PRESENTATIONS IN SCIENTIFIC AND PROFESSIONAL EVENTS**

Presenter: N. McCune  
Date: 4 April, 2019  
Topic: Political Education  
Event: Webinar of US Food Sovereignty Alliance

Presenter: N. McCune  
Date: 29 March, 2017  
Topic: Agroecología Frente al Cambio Climático.  
Event: Mesa Central del II Congreso Internacional “Las más recientes innovaciones tecnológicas para enfrentar la variabilidad climática en la producción agropecuaria”.  
Host: Instituto Nicaragüense de Tecnología Agropecuaria (INTA)  
Location: Managua, Nicaragua

Presenter: N. McCune  
Date: 3 November, 2016  
Topic: La Agricultura Familiar y la Educación Agroecológica: Una Visión desde La Vía Campesina.  
Event: Foro sobre Políticas Públicas Diferenciadas e Institucionalidades para la Agricultura Familiar, Semana Internacional de la Agricultura Familiar y el Desarrollo Rural.  
Host: Instituto Interamericano de Cooperación para la Agricultura (IICA), Fondo Internacional para el Desarrollo Agrícola (FIDA), Foro Rural Mundial (FRM), Gobierno de Costa Rica  
Location: San José, Costa Rica

Presenter: N. McCune  
Date: 8 de octubre, 2013  
Topic: La Formación Agroecológica de La Vía Campesina  
Event: I Foro Mesoamericano sobre Agricultura y Cambio Climático  
Host: Programa Regional de Investigaciones sobre Desarrollo y Medio Ambiente (PRISMA)  
Location: Managua, Nicaragua

Presenter: N. McCune

Date: 24 de mayo, 2012

Topic: Resiliencia y transiciones críticas entre la agricultura convencional y la agroecología en una comunidad de Chiapas, México

Event: IX Congreso de la Agricultura Orgánica y Sostenible

Host: Asociación Cubana de Técnicos Agrícolas y Forestales (ACTAF)

Location: Ciudad de La Habana, Cuba

Presenter: N. McCune

Date: 17 de agosto, 2011

Topic: Saliendo de la adicción química: una experiencia soberana en maíz orgánico, Villa Corzo, Chiapas

Event: II Congreso de la Sociedad Científica Latinoamericana de Agroecología (SOCLA)

Host: Sociedad Científica Latinoamericana de Agroecología (SOCLA)

Location: Oaxtepec, Morelos, México

Presenter: N. McCune

Date: 5 de mayo, 2011

Topic: Proyecto Soberanía de Salud, Chiapas, México

Event: III Simposio Internacional de Sanidad Agrícola

Host: Centro Nacional de Sanidad Agrícola (CENSA)

Location: Ciudad de La Habana, Cuba

Presenter: N. McCune

Date: 3 de septiembre, 2009

Topic: Manejo de Recursos Genéticos de Cacao

Event: Exposición de trabajo de curso

Location: Instituto de Investigaciones Agroforestales, Jibacoa, Villa Clara, Cuba

Presenters: N. McCune y Yanetsy Ruíz González

Date: 22 de abril, 2009

Topic: Caracterización de la tecnología de producción agrícola y la sustentabilidad económica en agroecosistemas tropicales de la provincia de Villa Clara, Cuba.

Event: IV Conferencia Internacional Sobre Desarrollo Agropecuario y Sustentabilidad (AgroCentro)

Host: Universidad Central de Las Villas

Location: Santa Clara, Cuba

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