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He has an engineer's degree in biotechnology, Technical University of Berlin (Germany), and has more than 15 years professional experiences in bio process engineering with strong expertise in management of International research projects. He worked in the testing laboratory of the engineering company AUCOTEAM, was project manager and group leader in the food technology & bio process engineering department of ttz Bremerhaven and followed his career as project manager in LEIA CDT and currently in TECNALIA Research & Innovation. He was involved in several European research projects in different areas and coordinated the project HELICAS – Innovative Utilization strategies for sunflower biomass as well as the project AIRTV – Testing network for verification of air emissions abatement technologies. Currently, he is the coordinator of the European project TRANSBIO – Biotransformation of by-products from fruit and vegetable processing industry into valuable bioproducts involving 16 partners from nine different countries from Europe and Latin America.

