



# Anthony Mauricio Gamboa Chavarría

AGRICULTURAL ECONOMIST  
AGRIBUSINESS SPECIALIST

## PROFESSIONAL PROFILE

Agricultural Economist. Master in Agribusiness Management and Sustainable Markets

## AREAS OF EXPERIENCE

- Formulation and evaluation of agricultural and business development projects
- Management of qualitative tools and databases
- Statistical analysis
- Approach to analysis of productive and value chains
- Transparency and accountability process with ASADAS

## CONTACT INFORMATION

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## Academic Background

### TROPICAL AGRICULTURE RESEARCH AND HIGHER EDUCATION CENTER (CATIE)

Master degree | 2020 - 2022

- Agribusiness Management and Sustainable Markets

### UNIVERSITY OF COSTA RICA (UCR)

Degree | 2015 - 2020

- Agricultural Economy and Agribusiness

## Professional experience

### SPECIALIST IN THE ECONOMY, ENVIRONMENT AND SUSTAINABLE AGRIBUSINESS UNIT (UEAAS/EFD)

CATIE | 2021 - present

- Preparation, execution, logistics and evaluation of different projects at a national and international level.
- Database management and statistical analysis.
- Application of surveys/interviews.
- Writing scientific/methodological reports and materials.
- Support in the promotion and logistics of professional update courses.



## CONSULTANT ASSOCIATED WITH THE ECONOMICS, ENVIRONMENT AND SUSTAINABLE AGRIBUSINESS UNIT

CATIE | 2020

- Support in the promotion and logistics of the GANEMOS Master's degree Program, as well as in different professional updating courses.
- Organization of Hackathon: "Connecting: Youth + Technology + Water in rural communities in Costa Rica".
- Collaboration in the development, execution, logistics and evaluation of different projects both nationally and internationally.
- Database management and statistical analysis.
- Application of surveys/interviews.
- Writing of reports and scientific/methodological materials.

## PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE IN THE AGRIBUSINESS DEVELOPMENT UNIT

CATIE | 2019

- Support in the preparation and execution of a market survey to determine the demand of tourism companies for the project "Capacity building and development of alliances to enhance the value of tourism routes in indigenous territories of the Costa Rican Brunca Region".

## **ADDITIONAL ACADEMIC BACKGROUND**

- Actuality- Specialization in Corporate Finance. ADEN.
- Actuality- Training of Trainers Courses. CATIE.
- 2022-2023- English course. El Árbol English School.
- 2022- Specialization on project design. International Training Center. OIT. 84 effective hours.
- 2020-Methodology for the Evaluation of Agrifood Chains, IICA, Costa Rica. 40 effective hours.
- 2019-Participation in the Seminar-workshop: Design and production of learning objects at the National University of La Plata (UNLP), Buenos Aires, Argentina. One-week intensive seminar.
- 2018-Speaker at the II Symposium on Social Action of the School of Agricultural Economics and Agribusiness, University of Costa Rica.
- 2017-Participation in the III Congress of Agricultural Economics and Agribusiness, University of Costa Rica.
- 2016-Participation in the conference "Information and communication technologies in agriculture and agribusiness", University of Costa Rica, Guápiles Campus.



## ADDITIONAL KNOWLEDGE

- Basic-intermediate English language skills.
- Microsoft Office skills
- Gretl and Infostat statistical software.
- Handling of Geographic Information Systems programs.
- Basic knowledge of R programming language.

## SKILLS AND COMPETENCIES

- Ability to work under pressure.
- Writing and oral expression skills.
- Team coordination.
- Flexibility/adaptability.
- Empathy and assertive communication.
- Responsibility and tolerance.

## REFERENCES

- Adriana Escobedo, Coordinator of the Sustainable Agribusiness Team, CATIE. (506) 8598-5187/escobedo@catie.ac.cr
- Sith Sanchez. Independent Consultant, CATIE. (506) 8879-1177 /sithsanchezm@outlook.com
- Dennis Loría, Career Coordinator, UCR. (506) 8598-5187 /dloria1@gmail.com

## Relevant Experience

## Academic

UCR | 2016-2019

- 2019- Assistant to the Coordination of the Agricultural Economics and Agribusiness career.
- 2018-2019 Support to the cooperative COOPECASOMULCA of Limón and different projects with the TCU-228: "Agronomic Consultancy to Agroindustrial Producers Organizations of the University of Costa Rica".
- 2018- Manager of a Strategic and Organizational Diagnosis for organizations in the Atlantic zone. Area: Organizational Economics.
- 2018- Study on the demand of sweet chili "*Capsicum annum L.*", in the district of Guápiles, Limón: Econometric model to estimate the demand function.
- 2018-Study of the cocoa agro-chain "*Theobroma cacao L.*" in the province of Limón, Costa Rica.
- 2017-Vegetable market study for the organization ASOISLETA in Guácimo with support from the National Production Council (CNP).
- 2017-2016 Assistant in the research project "Elaboration of an index of business development in agricultural MSMEs in the canton of Pococí, province of Limón".
- 2016- Collaboration in the elaboration of the Strategic Plan 2016-2021, Centro Agrícola Cantonal de San Carlos.

# Relevant projects/ Consultancies

YEAR	COUNTRY	AGENT	DESCRIPTION
2022-2026	Guatemala, Honduras y El Salvador (Trifinio Region)	Agencia Sueca de Cooperación Internacional para el Desarrollo (ASDI)	Support in the field phase of the pre-implementation of the ASDI-CSC scaling-up project.
2022	Costa Rica	PROCOMER-DESCUBRE PROGRAM	Application of technical tools for shrimp farming and papaya chains
2021-2022	Costa Rica	DOLE	Training on business ideas and entrepreneurship to a group of 25 women
2020-2022	Costa Rica	US-Embassy, Programa CARSI	Support in the process of improving accountability, transparency, the use of technology and citizen participation linked to 51 ASADAS.
2020-2021	México	Ministerio Federal de Medio Ambiente Protección de la Naturaleza y Seguridad Nuclear de Alemania	Support for the preparation of value chain studies for milk and beef production in the states of Jalisco, Chiapas and Campeche.
2020	Centroamérica y Perú	World Coffee Research-MOCCA	Preparation of a "Guide for the profitable management of the coffee seed and nursery business" and training of related technicians.

# Main publications

YEAR	COUNTRY	TYPE	TITLE
2021	Nicaragua	TECHNICAL REPORT	Market opportunities and impacts of COVID-19 on short chains of agroforestry products in Nicaragua
2021	Costa Rica	TECHNICAL REPORT	Market opportunities and impacts of COVID-19 on short chains of agroforestry products in Costa Rica
2020	Centroamérica y Perú	TECHNICAL REPORT	Guide to Profitable Management of Coffee Seed and Nursery Business (available in Spanish-English)

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