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Dr. Daniel OLIACH holds a PhD in Forest engineering at University of Lleida. He is currently the head of the Group of Mycology and Forest Pathology at Centro de Ciencia y Tecnologia Forestal de Cataluña (CTFC), Solsona, Lleida, Spain.

He has over 20 years' experience in the cultivation of truffles, with expertise in training and transfer of truffle plantation management technology to the productive sector.

He has made several trips and stays abroad, including in France at INRA-AGRO Montpellier focusing on truffle plantation management, in Sweden at SLU focusing on truffle diversity studies and to Australia focusing on the importance of the Agricultural Extension Service for the Australian Truffle Growers Association.

He has published several scientific papers and technical handbooks of truffle cultivation and regularly attends conferences, courses and technical seminars in Spain and France. He has participated in many national and international competitive projects.

He is also secretary of the Truffle Growers Association of Catalonia and the Spanish Federation of Truffle Growers Associations (FETT).

