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I was born in Pasto - Colombia in 1986. I received my degree in electronic engineering, Master's in industrial automation, and PhD in engineering from the Universidad Nacional de Colombia - Manizales, Colombia, in 2008, 2010 and 2013, respectively. In 2012, I undertook my doctoral internship at KU Leuven - Leuven, Belgium. From 2013 to 2014, I worked as a postdoctoral researcher at Université Catholique de Louvain - Louvain la-Neuve, Belgium. From 2014 to 2015, I worked as a lecturer at Universidad Cooperativa de Colombia - Pasto, Colombia. From 2015 to 2017, I worked as a researcher/professor at Universidad Técnica del Norte - Ecuador. From 2017 to 2020, I worked as a lecturer at the School of Mathematical and Computational Sciences from Yachay Tech University - Ecuador. From 2020 to 2022, I worked as a Consultant and Curriculum Author at deeplearning.ai. From 2022 to 2023, I worked as a Master's thesis advisor with the Artificial Intelligence Master's program from Universidad Internacional de La Rioja (UNIR) - Spain.

Currently, I am working as an assistant professor and researcher at the College of Computing (CC) from Mohammed VI Polytechnic University – Morocco. I am the founder and head of the SDAS Research Group. I work as an invited lecturer and an external researcher at Corporación Universitaria Autónoma de Nariño - Pasto, Colombia, invited lecturer and curriculum developer at Universidad Autónoma de Occidente - Cali, Colombia, and project lead and consultant at IDENAR - Pasto, Colombia. I am an external thesis advisor with PhD programs from Universidad de Granada - Spain, Universitat Politècnica de València - Spain, and Universidad Nacional de La Plata - Argentina. I am an external collaborator at Writing Lab from Tecnológico de Monterrey – Mexico. I have served as an organizing committee member (general chair, session chair, competitions chair) and a keynote speaker in several conferences. Also, I have served as a guest editor for the Computers and Electrical Engineering Journal.

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- 2023: Best Paper 6th International Conference on Applied Informatics ICAI 2023.
- **2020:** Mejor Artículo (<u>Best Paper</u>) Track Sistemas Inteligentes at JIISIC 2020 (Jornadas Iberoamericanas de Ingeniería de Software e Ingeniería del Conocimiento).
- **2019:** Best Researcher of the Year 2019 Award by The Computational Sciences Department from Yachay Tech University.
- **2015:** Best conference paper at Symposium of Image, Signal Processing, and Artificial Vision STSIVA 2015.
- **2013 2014** Grant for a postdoctoral stay at the Université Catholique de Louvain (Louvain la-Neuve, Belgium). DRedVis project, funded by the Belgian National Scientific Research Fund (FRS-FNRS).
- **2010 2012** Scholarship for doctoral studies. "Estudiantes sobresalientes de postgrado" scholarship program. Universidad Nacional de Colombia Manizales.
- **2010:** Meritorious master's thesis entitled "Comparative study of clustering methods for heartbeats of ECG signals". Supervisor: César Germán Castellanos-Domínguez. Universidad Nacional de Colombia Manizales.
- **2009 2010** Scholarship for master's studies. "Estudiantes sobresalientes de postgrado" scholarship program. Universidad Nacional de Colombia Manizales.
- **2008:** Scholarship for postgraduate studies awarded for honorary undergraduate degree. Universidad Nacional de Colombia Manizales.
- **2008:** Honorary undergraduate degree in Electronic Engineering. Universidad Nacional de Colombia Manizales.

**2003:** "Mejores Bachilleres (Outstanding high school students)" scholarship for university study at Universidad Nacional de Colombia. Given by Instituto Técnico Industrial Municipal. Pasto, Colombia.



## Research & consulting projects/Software/Hardware/Databases

Find the full information about my research projects at <a href="https://www.diegopeluffo.com/index.php?tabFile=projects.html">https://www.diegopeluffo.com/index.php?tabFile=projects.html</a>.

- **2023 (Database):** Víctor Asanza, Leandro L. Lorente-Leyva, Diego H. Peluffo-Ordóñez, Daniel Montoya, Kleber Gonzalez, MILimbEEG: A dataset of EEG signals related to upper and lower limb execution of motor and motor imagery tasks, <a href="https://doi.org/10.1016/j.dib.2023.109540">https://doi.org/10.1016/j.dib.2023.109540</a>.
- **2022 (Project):** Development of a video game for SMART FACTORY training [Desarrollo del Juego de Video denominado SMART FACTORY]. Project lead (Principal researcher). IDENAR Colombia. Duration: 4 months.
- 2021 (Hardware): Temperature and Speed Control Lab (TSC-Lab). Certification: OSHWA UID EC000003. Country: Ecuador. Date: July 15, 2021.

  Online certificate: https://certification.oshwa.org/ec000003.html
- 2021 (Hardware): PHASE ENERGY METER 100A (2PEM-100A). Certification: OSHWA UID EC000004. Country: Ecuador. Date: December 01, 2021.

  Online certificate: https://certification.oshwa.org/ec000004.html
- 2021 (Project): Development of a technological solution with remote access virtual laboratories, based on emerging technologies, as an internationally scalable business model, offering services to improve the quality of education [Desarrollo de una solución tecnológica con laboratorios virtuales de acceso remoto, basado en tecnologías emergentes, como modelo de negocio escalable a nivel internacional, de oferta por servicio para mejorar la calidad de la educación]. Project lead (Principal researcher). IDENAR Colombia. Duration: 1 year.
- 2020 (Database): Jorge Parraga-Alava, Jorge Dario Moncayo-Nacaza, Javier Revelo-Fuelagán, Paul D. Rosero-Montalvo, Andrés Anaya-Isaza, Diego Hernán Peluffo-Ordóñez, A data set for electric power consumption forecasting based on socio-demographic features: Data from an area of southern Colombia PCSTCOL), https://doi.org/10.1016/j.dib.2020.105246.
- 2019 (Database): Paul D. Rosero-Montalvo, Diego Peluffo-Ordóñez, January 23, 2019, "Alcohol Detection in Drivers by Sensors and Computer Vision", IEEE Dataport, doi: https://dx.doi.org/10.21227/mnja-3553.
- 2019 (Database): Edison A. Fuentes-Hernández, Paul D. Rosero-Montalvo, Diego Peluffo, March 29, 2019, "Footstep analysis using Pressure Sensors", IEEE Dataport, doi: https://dx.doi.org/10.21227/kqm6-1877.
- **2018 (Project):** *Spirometry database: SpiDB project.* Principal Researcher. Universidad del Cauca Colombia. Duration: Ongoing.
- **2017 (Project):** Development of an interactive and effective methodology for Big Data visualization. External researcher. University of Nariño Colombia. Duration: 2 years.

- **2016 (Project):** *Methodology of information visual analysis in Big Data.* Project director. Universidad Técnica del Norte Ecuador. Reference: UTN-FICA-2016-0636 del 12/06/2016. Duration: 1 year.
- **2015 (Project):** "Análisis de oportunidades de fuentes energéticas alternativas en el departamento de Nariño (Analyisis of alternative energy sources at Nariño-Colombia)". Universidad de Nariño Colombia. Professional researcher. Duration: 6 months.
- **2015 (Project):** *Modular design methodology for production plants.* Nariño–Colombia. Advisor. Duration: 1 year.
- **2015 (Project):** Low-cost prototype for biofeedback applications. Nariño-Colombia. Advisor. Duration: 1 year.
- **2013-2014 (Project):** *Dimensionality reduction and data visualization.* Post-doctoral researcher. UCL-Université Catholique de Louvain. Louvain la-Neuve, Belgium.



### Thesis advisory

More information at: https://diegopeluffo.com/index.php?tabFile=advisory.html.

#### **Doctoral theses**

- 1. **Doctoral thesis:** Reconstrucción 3D de escenarios en tiempo real a partir de cámaras de tipo monocular empleando técnicas de inteligencia artificial [Real-time 3D reconstruction of scenarios from monocular cameras using artificial intelligence techniques] by Erick Patricio Herrera-Granda. Advisor(s): Juan Carlos Torres, Diego Hernán Peluffo-Ordóñez, Universidad de Granada, Spain, 2024. Available from: https://digibug.ugr.es/handle/10481/90846
- Doctoral thesis: Diseño de sistemas inteligentes de realidad virtual para la monitorización de entornos en Smart Factory [Design of intelligent virtual reality systems for the monitoring of environments in Smart Factories Factory] by Luis Omar Alpala. Advisor(s): Juan Carlos Torres, Diego Hernán Peluffo-Ordóñez, Universidad de Granada, Spain, 2023.
   Available from: https://digibug.ugr.es/handle/10481/85698
- 3. **Doctoral thesis:** Modelo de fusión de datos orientado a la calidad de la información [Data fusion model oriented to information quality] by Miguel Alberto Becerra-Botero. Advisor(s): Diego Hernán Peluffo-Ordóñez, Catalina Tobón-Zuluaga. Universidad de Medellín, Colombia, 2023. Available from: https://www.diegopeluffo.com/Theses/2023\_PhD\_Thesis\_Miguel\_Becerra.pdf
- 4. **Doctoral thesis:** Sistema genérico de razonamiento basado en casos multi-clase como soporte al diagnóstico médico mediante técnicas de reconocimiento de patrones [Generic multi-class case-based reasoning system to support medical diagnosis by means of pattern recognition techniques] by Xiomara Patricia Blanco-Valencia. Advisor(s): Diego Hernán Peluffo-Ordóñez, Juan Francisco de Paz Santana, Juan Manuel Corchado. Universidad de Salamanca, Spain, 2017. Available from: https://gredos.usal.es/handle/10366/135721
- 5. **Doctoral thesis (Ongoing):** Generic kernel based formulation for Exploratory Data Analysis by Yahya Aalaila. Advisor(s): Diego Hernán Peluffo-Ordóñez, Mohammed VI Polytechnic University, Morocco.

- 6. **Doctoral thesis (Ongoing):** Generic divergence-based formulation for Exploratory Data Analysis by Mouad ELHamdi. Advisor(s): Diego Hernán Peluffo-Ordóñez, Mohammed VI Polytechnic University, Morocco.
- 7. **Doctoral thesis (Ongoing):** Interpretability in deep learning techniques for precision agriculture by Hind Raki. Advisor(s): Diego Hernán Peluffo-Ordóñez, Mohammed VI Polytechnic University, Morocco.
- 8. **Doctoral thesis (Ongoing):** Supervised kernel expectile-based data-driven approaches for tail risk estimation by Sami Bamansour. Advisor(s): Diego Hernán Peluffo-Ordóñez, Mohammed VI Polytechnic University, Morocco.
- 9. **Doctoral thesis (Ongoing):** Planificación de Operaciones Dinámica e Inteligente en Empresas Textiles Ecuatorianas: Contexto determinista e incierto [Dynamic and Intelligent Operations Planning in Ecuadorian Textile Companies: Deterministic and Uncertain Context] by Leandro Leonardo Lorente-Leyva. Advisor(s): María del Mar Alemany Díaz, Diego Hernán Peluffo-Ordóñez. Universitat Politècnica de València, Spain.
- 10. **Doctoral thesis (Ongoing):** Métodos y modelos multi-objetivo para optimizar la gestión de cadenas de suministro de pequeñas y medianas empresas agroalimentarias ecuatorianas [Multi-objective methods and models to optimize the management of supply chains of small and medium-sized Ecuadorian agrifood companies] by Israel David Herrera-Granda. Advisor(s): María del Mar Alemany Díaz, Diego Hernán Peluffo-Ordóñez. Universitat Politècnica de València, Spain.
- 11. **Doctoral thesis (Ongoing):** *I-SDR: Método generalizado de reducción de atributos mediante la visualización interactiva de los datos [I-SDR: Interactive Spectral Dimensionality Reduction]* by Cosme MacArthur Ortega-Bustamante. Advisor(s): Waldo Hasperué, Diego Hernán Peluffo-Ordóñez. Universidad Nacional de La Plata, Argentina.
- 12. **Doctoral thesis (Ongoing):** Método de reconstrucción cardiaca 3D como solución al problema inverso de la electrocardiografía para la generación de mapas de potenciales superficiales cardiacos a partir de un arreglo denso de electrocardiogramas (ECGs) y geometría específica del torso-corazón [3D cardiac reconstruction method as a solution to the inverse problem of electrocardiography for the generation of cardiac surface potential maps from a dense array of electrocardiograms (ECGs) and specific torso-heart geometry] by Dagoberto Mayorca-Torres. Advisor(s): Alejandro José León Salas, Diego Hernán Peluffo-Ordoñez, Universidad de Granada, Spain.

Other advisories: 15 **Master's** and 27 **undegraduate theses**. Information at: https://diegopeluffo.com/index.php?tabFile=advisory.html.



# Guest editor/Invited talks/Organizing and Program committees

- [1]. General Chair (2025): 8th International Conference on Applied Informatics, Benguerir, Morocco, October 8-10, 2025. Link: https://icai.itiud.org/index.php?pid=committees
- [2]. Scientific Committee/Editorial Committee Member (2024 2025): The 2025 IFE Conference, Monterrey, Mexico, January 28-30, 2025. Link: https://ifeconference.tec.mx/en-US/comite

- [3]. Workshop organizer and speaker: The 2024 IEEE-EMBS International Conference on Biomedical and Health Informatics (BHI), sponsored by the IEEE Engineering in Medicine and Biology Society (IEEE EMBS) (BHI 2024), Texas, from November 10-13, 2024. Workshop: Al in Tele-echography: Opportunities and Challenges for Clinical Applications. Link: https://bhi.embs.org/2024/workshops/
- [4]. Guest Editor (2023 2024): Mathematics journal. Special issue: Artificial Intelligence and Metaheuristics: Connections and Applications. This special issue belongs to the section "D2: Operations Research and Fuzzy Decision Making". Link:

https://www.mdpi.com/journal/mathematics/special\_issues/537TYSB390

- [5]. Editor (2020 2022): Technology-Enabled Innovations in Education Select Proceedings of CIIE 2020. Link: https://link.springer.com/book/9789811933820
- [6]. Open invited track organizer: 11th IFAC Symposium on Biological and Medical Systems (BMS2021). Link: https://bms2021.ugent.be/OIT.html
- [7]. Guest editor (2020 2021): Special Issue: The Impact of Technological Advancements on Educational Innovation (VSI-tei). Journal: Computers and Electrical Engineering. Link:

  https://www.sciencedirect.com/journal/computers-and-electrical-engineering/special-issue/10D88TM9Z6H
- [8]. Plenary talk: Kernel-based approaches for time-varying data analysis within unsupervised settings. Latin American Workshop on Computational Neuroscience. São João del-Rei, MG Brazil September, 18-20, 2019. Link: https://lawcn.co/2019/keynote.html
- [9]. Plenary talk: Interactive data visualization of high-dimensional data: A dimensionality reduction view-point. ICAETT 2019 Intenational Conference on Advances in Emerging Trends and Technologies. Link:

http://icaett-conferences.org/icaett2019/interactive-data-visualization-of-high-dimensional-data-a-dimensionality-reduction-viewpoint/

[10]. Organizing committee member: IEEE Latin American Conference on Computational Intelligence – LA-CCI.

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2019 (https://ieeexplore.ieee.org/stamp/stamp.jsp?tp=&arnumber=9036759) 2016 (https://ieeexplore.ieee.org/stamp/stamp.jsp?tp=&arnumber=7885692)
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[11]. General chair: TICEC 2017.

Link: https://ticec2017.cedia.edu.ec/comite-organizador/



# Selected publications

Find the full list of publications at https://sdas-group.com/members/Diego-Peluffo/.

- [1] J. A. Castro-Silva, M. N. Moreno-García, L. Guachi-Guachi, and D. H. Peluffo-Ordóñez, "Novel hippocampuscentered methodology for informative instance selection in alzheimer's disease data," *Heliyon*, no. 19, 2024. [Online]. Available: https://www.cell.com/heliyon/fulltext/S2405-8440(24)13583-9
- [2] D. Mayorca-Torres, A. J. León-Salas, and D. H. Peluffo-Ordoñez, "Systematic review of computational techniques, dataset utilization, and feature extraction in electrocardiographic imaging," *Medical & Biological Engineering & Computing*, 2025. [Online]. Available: https://link.springer.com/article/10.1007/s11517-024-03264-z

- [3] E. P. Herrera-Granda, J. C. Torres-Cantero, and D. H. Peluffo-Ordóñez, "Monocular visual slam, visual odometry, and structure from motion methods applied to 3D reconstruction: A comprehensive survey," *Heliyon*, vol. 10, no. 18, p. e37356, 2024. [Online]. Available: https://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/pii/S2405844024133877
- [4] L. L. Lorente-Leyva, M. Alemany, and D. H. Peluffo-Ordóñez, "A conceptual framework for the operations planning of the textile supply chains: Insights for sustainable and smart planning in uncertain and dynamic contexts," *Computers & Industrial Engineering*, vol. 187, p. 109824, 2024. [Online]. Available: https://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/pii/S0360835223008483
- [5] H. Raki, Y. Aalaila, A. Taktour, and D. H. Peluffo-Ordóñez, "Combining AI tools with non-destructive technologies for crop-based food safety: A comprehensive review," *Foods*, vol. 13, no. 1, 2024. [Online]. Available: https://www.mdpi.com/2304-8158/13/1/11
- [6] C. Nyasulu, A. Diattara, A. Traore, C. Ba, P. M. Diedhiou, Y. Sy, H. Raki, and D. H. Peluffo-Ordóñez, "A comparative study of machine learning-based classification of tomato fungal diseases: Application of glcm texture features," *Heliyon*, 2023. [Online]. Available: https://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/pii/S2405844023089053
- [7] M. Argotty-Erazo, A. Blázquez-Zaballos, C. A. Argoty-Eraso, L. L. Lorente-Leyva, N. N. Sánchez-Pozo, and D. H. Peluffo-Ordóñez, "A novel linear-model-based methodology for predicting the directional movement of the euro-dollar exchange rate," *IEEE Access*, vol. 11, pp. 67249–67284, 2023. [Online]. Available: https://ieeexplore.ieee.org/document/10147811
- [8] A. Acosta, R. Gallo, P. García, and D. Peluffo-Ordóñez, "Positive invariant regions for a modified van der pol equation modeling heart action," *Applied Mathematics and Computation*, vol. 442, p. 127732, 2023. [Online]. Available: https://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/pii/S0096300322008001
- [9] A. Anaya-Isaza, L. Mera-Jiménez, J. Cabrera-Chavarro, L. Guachi-Guachi, D. Peluffo-Ordóñez, and J. Rios-Patiño, "Comparison of current deep convolutional neural networks for the segmentation of breast masses in mammograms," *IEEE Access*, 2021. [Online]. Available: https://ieeexplore.ieee.org/document/9614200
- [10] M. Becerra, Y. Uribe, D. Peluffo-Ordóñez, K. C. Álvarez Uribe, and C. Tobón, "Information fusion and information quality assessment for environmental forecasting," *Urban Climate*, vol. 39, p. 100960, 2021. [Online]. Available: https://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/pii/S2212095521001905
- [11] S. Hosseini, D. Peluffo, K. Okoye, and J. T. Nganji, "The impact of technological advancements on educational innovation (vsi-tei)," *Computers & Electrical Engineering*, vol. 93, p. 107333, 2021. [Online]. Available: https://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/pii/S0045790621003050
- [12] P. D. Rosero-Montalvo, V. F. Lopez-Batista, and D. H. Peluffo-Ordonez, "Hybrid Embedded-Systems-based Approach to in-Driver Drunk Status Detection using Image Processing and Sensor Networks," *IEEE Sensors Journal*, 2020. [Online]. Available: https://ieeexplore.ieee.org/document/9258992
- [13] P. D. Rosero-Montalvo, D. H. Peluffo-Ordonez, V. F. Lopez Batista, J. Serrano, and E. A. Rosero, "Intelligent system for identification of wheelchair user's posture using machine learning techniques," *IEEE Sensors Journal*, 2019. [Online]. Available: https://ieeexplore.ieee.org/document/8565996
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- [15] J. Rodríguez-Sotelo, A. Osorio-Forero, A. Jiménez-Rodríguez, D. Cuesta-Frau, E. Cirugeda-Roldán, and D. Peluffo, "Automatic sleep stages classification using EEG entropy features and unsupervised pattern analysis techniques," *Entropy*, vol. 16, no. 12, pp. 6573–6589, 2014, cited By 59. [Online]. Available: https://www.mdpi.com/1099-4300/16/12/6573
- [16] J. Rodríguez-Sotelo, D. Peluffo-Ordoñez, D. Cuesta-Frau, and G. Castellanos-Domínguez, "Unsupervised feature relevance analysis applied to improve ECG heartbeat clustering," *Computer Methods and Programs in Biomedicine*, vol. 108, no. 1, pp. 250–261, oct 2012. [Online]. Available: https://linkinghub.elsevier.com/retrieve/pii/S0169260712001095



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