# Mila Victório Pessotto

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**EDUCATION** 

Ph.D., Crop Production and Physiology

exp. Aug. 2025

Department of Agronomy

Iowa State University (ISU), Iowa, USA

Advisors: Dr. Mark Licht and Dr. Marshall McDaniel

M.S., Crop, Soil, and Environmental Sciences

2022

Department of Crop, Soil, and Environmental Sciences

University of Arkansas (UARK), Arkansas, USA

Advisor: Dr. Trenton Roberts

Thesis: Using thermal units to predict biomass accumulation and total nitrogen

uptake for cover crops in Arkansas.

**B.S.**, Agronomy **2013 - 2018** 

College of Agriculture "Luiz de Queiroz"

University of São Paulo (USP), São Paulo, Brazil

Advisor: Dr. Durval Dourado Neto

Thesis: Effects of pre- and post-emergency herbicides in the biological nitrogen

fixation in soybeans (Glyxine max)

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Graduate Assistant Research at ISU 2022 - present

Graduate Assistant at UARK 2019 - 2022

Internship at the Plant Production Lab at USP with Dr. Durval Dourado Neto

Aug. 2017 - Dec. 2018

Internship at Purdue University under Dr. Shaun Casteel Fall 2016

**EXTENSION EXPERIENCE** 

Cover crop tour for visiting group from Brazil ("fundação MS")

Aug.-27-2024

"Kirkwood Community College/Iowa State University: Soil Health Field Day" presenter Aug.

"Starting with cover crops successfully" session

Aug.-8-2024

Fall 2023 & Spring 2024

Organizing committee for "Sustainability and Plant Health Field Day"

July 2023

"Sustainability and Plant Health Field Day" presenter July-11-2023

Grading

"Soil Health and an Easy Way to Test Aggregate Structure" session

**TEACHING EXPERIENCE** 

Instructor of Record for Soils and Plant Growth Lab at ISU

12 undergraduate students each semester

Teaching lectures

Supervising lab procedures • Giving feedback

Creating assignments • Office hours

Teaching Assistant for Agronomic Systems Analysis at ISU (online)

Spring 2024

19 master students

Grading assignments

Giving feedback

# Mentoring Undergraduate Students

Marina Ferandini Vallada Guadagnucci (USP)

2024

Project: Assessing water holding capacity in different soil management

Maria Luiza Schmidt de Freitas (USP)

2024-2025(AY)

Project: Assessing aggregate stability using two methods in different soil management

## **AWARDS**

Vernon C. Miller Agronomy Scholarship	2024
Agronomy Teaching Fellowship	2024
Oblinger Graduate Travel Scholarship	2023
Agronomy Teaching Fellowship	2023
1 <sup>st</sup> place for poster in the student competition Midwest Cover Crop Council & South Dakota Soil Health Coalition Conference	2023
1 <sup>st</sup> place for poster in the Cover Crop Management session at the ASA, CSSA, SSSA Annual Meeting	2022

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

## a. Refereed Papers

- **5.** Seraglio, N., **Pessotto, M.,** Weaver, A. & Licht, M. Soybean overcome differences in row spacing and seeding rate to maintain stable yield. *In-press at Crop, Forage, & Turfgrass Management Journal*
- **4.** Ortel, C., Roberts, T., Purcell, L., Ross, J., Hoegenauer, K., Followell, C. & **Victorio Pessotto, M.** 2024. Interaction of drought stress and potassium deficiency on soybean vigor and leaf temperature. Agrosystems, Geosciences & Environment. V.7, e20576. https://doi.org/10.1002/agg2.20576
- 3. Pessotto, M.V., Roberts, T.L., Bertucci, M., dos Santos, C.L., Ross, J. & Savin, M. 2023. Determining Cardinal Temperatures for Eight Cover Crop Species. Agrosystems, Geosciences & Environment. V.6, e20393. https://doi.org/10.1002/agg2.20393
- Sartori, F.F.; Engroff, T.D.; Sanches, T.H.G.; Soave, J.M.; Pessotto, M.V.; Felisberto, G.; Hilgemberg Jr, V.E.; Borjas Reis, A.F.; Hungria, M.; Nogueira, M.A.; Jaccoud-Filho, D.S.; Andreote, F.D.; Dourado-Neto, D. 2023. Potentially harmful effects of seed treatment and pre-inoculation on soybean biological nitrogen fixation and yield. European Journal of Agronomy, v.142. https://doi.org/10.1016/j.eja.2022.126660
- 1. Sartori, F.F.; Ferreira, A.C.; Hertz, C.E.N.; Okamura, E.T.; Felisberto, G.; **Pessotto, M.V.**; Soave, J.M.; Barros, L.P.; Almeida, A.A.P.; Souza, K.M.; Tezotto, T.; Brendler, F.O.; Reichardt, K.; Dourado-Neto, D. 2019. Ethylene Production and Physiological Parameters in Common Bean Plants Under Water Deficit. Journal of Agricultural Science, v.11, p.301.

## **b.** Extension Publications

**38.** Annual Ryegrass: Cover Crop Fact Sheet for Iowa. USDA-NRCS, Licht, M., Olson, H., **Pessotto, M.**, Hollingsworth, J. 2024. <a href="https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/resources/tech-tools/iowa-cover-crop-factsheets">https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/resources/tech-tools/iowa-cover-crop-factsheets</a>

- **37.** Balansa Clover: Cover Crop Fact Sheet for Iowa. USDA-NRCS, Licht, M., Olson, H., **Pessotto, M.**, Hollingsworth, J. 2024. <a href="https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/resources/tech-tools/iowa-cover-crop-factsheets">https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/resources/tech-tools/iowa-cover-crop-factsheets</a>
- **36.** Barley: Cover Crop Fact Sheet for Iowa. USDA-NRCS, Licht, M., Olson, H., **Pessotto, M.**, Hollingsworth, J. 2024. <a href="https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/resources/tech-tools/iowa-cover-crop-factsheets">https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/resources/tech-tools/iowa-cover-crop-factsheets</a>
- **35.** Berseem Clover: Cover Crop Fact Sheet for Iowa. USDA-NRCS, Licht, M., Olson, H., **Pessotto, M.**, Hollingsworth, J. 2024. https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/resources/tech-tools/iowa-cover-crop-factsheets
- **34.** Buckwheat: Cover Crop Fact Sheet for Iowa. USDA-NRCS, Licht, M., Olson, H., **Pessotto, M.**, Hollingsworth, J. 2024. https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/resources/tech-tools/iowa-cover-crop-factsheets
- **33.** Cereal Rye: Cover Crop Fact Sheet for Iowa. USDA-NRCS, Licht, M., Olson, H., **Pessotto, M.**, Hollingsworth, J. 2024. https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/resources/tech-tools/iowa-cover-crop-factsheets
- **32.** Common Vetch: Cover Crop Fact Sheet for Iowa. USDA-NRCS, Licht, M., Olson, H., **Pessotto, M.**, Hollingsworth, J. 2024. <a href="https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/resources/tech-tools/iowa-cover-crop-factsheets">https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/resources/tech-tools/iowa-cover-crop-factsheets</a>
- **31.** Cowpea: Cover Crop Fact Sheet for Iowa. USDA-NRCS, Licht, M., Olson, H., **Pessotto, M.**, Hollingsworth, J. 2024. https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/resources/tech-tools/iowa-cover-crop-factsheets
- **30.** Crimson Clover: Cover Crop Fact Sheet for Iowa. USDA-NRCS, Licht, M., Olson, H., **Pessotto, M.**, Hollingsworth, J. 2024. <a href="https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/resources/tech-tools/iowa-cover-crop-factsheets">https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/resources/tech-tools/iowa-cover-crop-factsheets</a>
- **29.** Flax: Cover Crop Fact Sheet for Iowa. USDA-NRCS, Licht, M., Olson, H., **Pessotto, M.**, Hollingsworth, J. 2024. <a href="https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/resources/tech-tools/iowa-cover-crop-factsheets">https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/resources/tech-tools/iowa-cover-crop-factsheets</a>
- **28.** Forage Sorghum: Cover Crop Fact Sheet for Iowa. USDA-NRCS, Licht, M., Olson, H., **Pessotto, M.**, Hollingsworth, J. 2024. <a href="https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/resources/tech-tools/iowa-cover-crop-factsheets">https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/resources/tech-tools/iowa-cover-crop-factsheets</a>
- **27.** Foxtail Millet: Cover Crop Fact Sheet for Iowa. USDA-NRCS, Licht, M., Olson, H., **Pessotto, M.**, Hollingsworth, J. 2024. <a href="https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/resources/tech-tools/iowa-cover-crop-factsheets">https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/resources/tech-tools/iowa-cover-crop-factsheets</a>
- **26.** Hairy Vetch: Cover Crop Fact Sheet for Iowa. USDA-NRCS, Licht, M., Olson, H., **Pessotto, M.**, Hollingsworth, J. 2024. <a href="https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/resources/tech-tools/iowa-cover-crop-factsheets">https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/resources/tech-tools/iowa-cover-crop-factsheets</a>
- **25.** Japanese Millet: Cover Crop Fact Sheet for Iowa. USDA-NRCS, Licht, M., Olson, H., **Pessotto, M.**, Hollingsworth, J. 2024. https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/resources/tech-tools/iowa-cover-crop-factsheets
- **24.** Kale: Cover Crop Fact Sheet for Iowa. USDA-NRCS, Licht, M., Olson, H., **Pessotto, M.**, Hollingsworth, J. 2024. <a href="https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/resources/tech-tools/iowa-cover-crop-factsheets">https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/resources/tech-tools/iowa-cover-crop-factsheets</a>
- **23.** Mung Bean: Cover Crop Fact Sheet for Iowa. USDA-NRCS, Licht, M., Olson, H., **Pessotto, M.**, Hollingsworth, J. 2024. <a href="https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/resources/tech-tools/iowa-cover-crop-factsheets">https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/resources/tech-tools/iowa-cover-crop-factsheets</a>
- **22.** Mustard: Cover Crop Fact Sheet for Iowa. USDA-NRCS, Licht, M., Olson, H., **Pessotto, M.**, Hollingsworth, J. 2024. <a href="https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/resources/tech-tools/iowa-cover-crop-factsheets">https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/resources/tech-tools/iowa-cover-crop-factsheets</a>
- **21.** Oats: Cover Crop Fact Sheet for Iowa. USDA-NRCS, Licht, M., Olson, H., **Pessotto, M.**, Hollingsworth, J. 2024. <a href="https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/resources/tech-tools/iowa-cover-crop-factsheets">https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/resources/tech-tools/iowa-cover-crop-factsheets</a>
- **20.** Pearl Millet: Cover Crop Fact Sheet for Iowa. USDA-NRCS, Licht, M., Olson, H., **Pessotto, M.**, Hollingsworth, J. 2024. https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/resources/tech-tools/iowa-cover-crop-factsheets
- **19.** Proso Millet: Cover Crop Fact Sheet for Iowa. USDA-NRCS, Licht, M., Olson, H., **Pessotto, M.**, Hollingsworth, J. 2024. https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/resources/tech-tools/iowa-cover-crop-factsheets

- **18.** Radish: Cover Crop Fact Sheet for Iowa. USDA-NRCS, Licht, M., Olson, H., **Pessotto, M.**, Hollingsworth, J. 2024. <a href="https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/resources/tech-tools/iowa-cover-crop-factsheets">https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/resources/tech-tools/iowa-cover-crop-factsheets</a>
- **17.** Rapeseed: Cover Crop Fact Sheet for Iowa. USDA-NRCS, Licht, M., Olson, H., **Pessotto, M.**, Hollingsworth, J. 2024. <a href="https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/resources/tech-tools/iowa-cover-crop-factsheets">https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/resources/tech-tools/iowa-cover-crop-factsheets</a>
- **16.** Red clover: Cover Crop Fact Sheet for Iowa. USDA-NRCS, Licht, M., Olson, H., **Pessotto, M.**, Hollingsworth, J. 2024. https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/resources/tech-tools/iowa-cover-crop-factsheets
- **15.** Sorghum-Sudangrass: Cover Crop Fact Sheet for Iowa. USDA-NRCS, Licht, M., Olson, H., **Pessotto, M.**, Hollingsworth, J. 2024. <a href="https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/resources/tech-tools/iowa-cover-crop-factsheets">https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/resources/tech-tools/iowa-cover-crop-factsheets</a>
- **14.** Sudangrass: Cover Crop Fact Sheet for Iowa. USDA-NRCS, Licht, M., Olson, H., **Pessotto, M.**, Hollingsworth, J. 2024. <a href="https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/resources/tech-tools/iowa-cover-crop-factsheets">https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/resources/tech-tools/iowa-cover-crop-factsheets</a>
- **13.** Sunflower: Cover Crop Fact Sheet for Iowa. USDA-NRCS, Licht, M., Olson, H., **Pessotto, M.**, Hollingsworth, J. 2024. <a href="https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/resources/tech-tools/iowa-cover-crop-factsheets">https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/resources/tech-tools/iowa-cover-crop-factsheets</a>
- **12.** Sunn Hemp: Cover Crop Fact Sheet for Iowa. USDA-NRCS, Licht, M., Olson, H., **Pessotto, M.**, Hollingsworth, J. 2024. <a href="https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/resources/tech-tools/iowa-cover-crop-factsheets">https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/resources/tech-tools/iowa-cover-crop-factsheets</a>
- **11.** Teff: Cover Crop Fact Sheet for Iowa. USDA-NRCS, Licht, M., Olson, H., **Pessotto, M.**, Hollingsworth, J. 2024. <a href="https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/resources/tech-tools/iowa-cover-crop-factsheets">https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/resources/tech-tools/iowa-cover-crop-factsheets</a>
- **10.** Triticale: Cover Crop Fact Sheet for Iowa. USDA-NRCS, Licht, M., Olson, H., **Pessotto, M.**, Hollingsworth, J. 2024. https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/resources/tech-tools/iowa-cover-crop-factsheets
- **9.** Turnip: Cover Crop Fact Sheet for Iowa. USDA-NRCS, Licht, M., Olson, H., **Pessotto, M.**, Hollingsworth, J. 2024. <a href="https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/resources/tech-tools/iowa-cover-crop-factsheets">https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/resources/tech-tools/iowa-cover-crop-factsheets</a>
- Wheat: Cover Crop Fact Sheet for Iowa. USDA-NRCS, Licht, M., Olson, H., **Pessotto, M.**, Hollingsworth, J. 2024. <a href="https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/resources/tech-tools/iowa-cover-crop-factsheets">https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/resources/tech-tools/iowa-cover-crop-factsheets</a>
- **7.** White Clover: Cover Crop Fact Sheet for Iowa. USDA-NRCS, Licht, M., Olson, H., **Pessotto, M.**, Hollingsworth, J. 2024. <a href="https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/resources/tech-tools/iowa-cover-crop-factsheets">https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/resources/tech-tools/iowa-cover-crop-factsheets</a>
- 6. Winter Camelina: Cover Crop Fact Sheet for Iowa. USDA-NRCS, Licht, M., Olson, H., **Pessotto, M.**, Hollingsworth, J. 2024. https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/resources/tech-tools/iowa-cover-crop-factsheets
- **5.** Winter Pea: Cover Crop Fact Sheet for Iowa. USDA-NRCS, Licht, M., Olson, H., **Pessotto, M.**, Hollingsworth, J. 2024. https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/resources/tech-tools/iowa-cover-crop-factsheets
- 4. Followell, C.A.; Roberts, T.L.; Hoegenauer, K.; Ortel, C.; Smartt, A.; Pessotto, M. & Drescher, G.L. 2023. Cotton Biomass Accumulation and Yield in an Irrigated Arkansas Production System. In: N.A. Slaton (eds.). Wayne E. Sabbe Arkansas Soil Fertility Studies 2022. Arkansas Agricultural Experiment Station, University of Arkansas Division of Agriculture, Fayetteville.
- 3. Ortel, C.C.; Roberts, T.L.; Poncet, A.M.; Hoegenauer, K.A.; Pessotto, M.V. & Ross, W.J. 2022. Understanding Spatial Variability of Soybean Leaf Potassium to Establish a Sampling Protocol. In: J.D. Ross (eds.). Arkansas Soybean Research Series 2021. Arkansas Agricultural Experiment Station, University of Arkansas Division of Agriculture, Fayetteville.
- 2. Ortel, C.C.; Roberts, T.L.; Slaton, N.A.; Ross, W.J; Purcell, L.C.; Hoegenauer, K.A.; **Pessotto, M.V.** & Followell, C.A. 2022. Corrective In-Season Potassium Application Rates to Arkansas Soybean. In: J.D. Ross (eds.). Arkansas Soybean Research Series 2021. Arkansas Agricultural Experiment Station, University of Arkansas Division of Agriculture, Fayetteville.

Followell, C.A.; Hurst, B.D.; Pessotto, M.; Hoegenauer, K.; Ortel, C. & Smartt, A. 2022. Biomass Accumulation
of Irrigated Modern Cotton Cultivars in an Arkansas Production System. In: N.A. Slaton (eds.). Wayne E. Sabbe
Arkansas Soil Fertility Studies 2021. Arkansas Agricultural Experiment Station, University of Arkansas Division
of Agriculture, Fayetteville.

## PRESENTATIONS AT PROFESSIONAL MEETINGS

#### Presenter

a. Oral

**Victorio Pessotto, M.**, McDaniel, M. D., & Licht, M. A. (2024) Understanding "Corn Yield Drag" after Cereal Rye Cover Crop in Iowa. ASA, CSSA, SSSA International Annual Meeting, San Antonio, TX.

Victorio Pessotto, M., Licht, M. A., & McDaniel, M. D. (2024) Can Adjustments to Nitrogen Rates Reduce Corn Yield Drag and Disease Implications Following a Cereal Rye Cover Crop? Iowa Nutrient Research Center Spring 2024 Research Seminar Series, Ames, IA

**Victorio Pessotto, M.**, Larson, A. C., M. Marcos, F., Licht, M. A., & McDaniel, M. D. (2023) Improving Understanding of "Corn Yield Drag" after Cereal Rye Cover Crop by Tracking Soil Net Nitrogen Mineralization across Three Hillslope Positions. ASA, CSSA, SSSA International Annual Meeting, St. Louis, MO.

**Victorio Pessotto, M**., Roberts, T. L., Ortel, C., & Followell, C. A. (2021) Identifying Cardinal Temperatures for Cover Crop Species Using a Growth Chamber Study. ASA, CSSA, SSSA International Annual Meeting, Salt Lake City, UT.

**Victorio Pessotto, M.**, Roberts, T. L., Ortel, C., & Followell, C. A. (2021) Determining cover crops base and optimum temperatures. Arkansas Crop Protection Conference, Fayetteville, AR.

**Victorio Pessotto, M**., Roberts, T. L., Hoegenauer, K., & Bolton, D. (2020) Estimating Cover Crop Biomass Using Thermal Days. ASA, CSSA, SSSA International Annual Meetings | VIRTUAL, Phoenix, AZ.

**Victorio Pessotto, M.**, Roberts, T. L., Hoegenauer, K., & Bolton, D. (2020) Estimating Cover Crop Biomass Using Thermal Days. Arkansas Crop Protection Conference. Virtual, Fayetteville, AR.

**Pessotto, M.V.**, Yamada, T., Giorgetti, G. & Dourado-Neto, D. (2015) Efeito do glifosato no desenvolvimento de plantas de algodão RR. 23º Simpósio Internacional de Iniciação Científica e Tecnológica da USP (SIICUSP), Piracicaba (Brazil).

## b. Poster

**Victorio Pessotto, M**., Licht, M. A., & McDaniel, M. D. (2024) DIY Methods for Farmers to Assess the Soil Health of Their Field [Abstract]. SSSA 2024 Summer Conference, San Juan, PR.

**Victorio Pessotto, M.,** Larson, A., Marcos, F., Biotto, E., Holzhausen, L., Licht, M., & McDaniel, M. (2024) Tracking Soil Net Nitrogen Mineralization to Understand "Corn Yield Drag" After Cereal Rye Cover Crop Across Three Hillslope Positions. MCCC meeting, Indianapolis, IN.

**Victorio Pessotto, M.**, Larson, A. C., Marcos, F.M., Trevisan V., Janke, A. K., & Licht, M. A. (2022) Estimating Cereal Rye (*Secale cereale*) Biomass Accumulation Using Visual Obstruction. MCCC & SD Soil Health Coalition Conference, Sioux Falls, SD. (1st place Graduate Student Competition)

**Victorio Pessotto, M.**, Larson, A. C., M. Marcos, F., Janke, A. K., & Licht, M. A. (2022) Estimating Cereal Rye (*Secale cereale*) Biomass Accumulation Using Visual Obstruction. ASA, CSSA, SSSA International Annual Meeting, Baltimore, MD. (1st place Graduate Student Competition)

**Victorio Pessotto, M.**, Roberts, T. L., Hoegenauer, K., Followell, C. A., Ortel, C., & Hurst, B. (2021) Estimating Cover Crop Biomass and Nitrogen Uptake Using Thermal Days. ASA, CSSA, SSSA International Annual Meeting, Salt Lake City, UT.

## Contributor (as co-author)

Ferandini Vallada Guadagnucci, M., Victorio Pessotto, M., Nelson, J., & McDaniel, M. D. (2024) A New, DIY Method to Measure Maximum Water Holding Capacity in Sensitive to Management Practices [Abstract]. ASA, CSSA, SSSA International Annual Meeting, San Antonio, TX.

https://scisoc.confex.com/scisoc/2024am/meetingapp.cgi/Paper/161177

Ortel, C., Roberts, T. L., Hoegenauer, K., Poncet, A. M., **Victorio Pessotto, M.**, Followell, C. A., Smartt, A. D., & Drescher, G. L. (2022) Mapping in-Field Variability in Soybean Leaf Potassium Concentrations to Develop a Leaf Sampling Protocol [Abstract]. ASA, CSSA, SSSA International Annual Meeting, Baltimore, MD. https://scisoc.confex.com/scisoc/2022am/meetingapp.cgi/Paper/145360

Ortel, C., Roberts, T. L., Slaton, N. A., Ross, W. J., Purcell, L. C., Hurst, B., Hoegenauer, K., Victorio Pessotto, M., Followell, C. A., & Smartt, A. (2021) In-Season Potassium Management in Soybean: Balancing Economics and Yield Maximization [Abstract]. ASA, CSSA, SSSA International Annual Meeting, Salt Lake City, UT. https://scisoc.confex.com/scisoc/2021am/meetingapp.cgi/Paper/137853

Followell, C. A., Roberts, T. L., Hurst, B., Victorio Pessotto, M., Hoegenauer, K., Ortel, C., & Smartt, A. (2021) Nutrient Uptake and Accumulation in Furrow-Irrigated Modern Cotton Varieties [Abstract]. ASA, CSSA, SSSA International Annual Meeting, Salt Lake City, UT.

https://scisoc.confex.com/scisoc/2021am/meetingapp.cgi/Paper/137846

Followell, C. A., Roberts, T. L., Hurst, B., **Victorio Pessotto, M**., Hoegenauer, K., Ortel, C., & Smartt, A. (2021) Nutrient uptake and accumulation in furrow-irrigated cotton varieties in eastern Arkansas. Arkansas Crop Protection Conference. Fayetteville, AR.

Ortel, C., Roberts, T. L., Slaton, N. A., Ross, W. J., Purcell, L. C., Hoegenauer, K., Victorio Pessotto, M., Followell, C. A., & Smartt, A. (2021) Monitoring and correcting potassium hidden hunger in Arkansas soybean. Arkansas Crop Protection Conference. Fayetteville, AR.

Engroff, T.D., Sartori, F.F, Sanches, T.H.G., **Pessotto, M.V**, Soave, J.M., Pereira, I.S., Schwerz, F., Nascimento, V.M.T., Santos, G.F.M., Miranda, H.L., Souza, J.B. & Dourado-Neto, D. (2018) Alteração de fatores associados à fixação biológica de nitrogênio na soja em função do tratamento de sementes. VIII Congresso brasileiro de soja, Goiania (Brazil).

Soave, J.M., Godoy, T.H., **Pessotto, M.V.** & Dourado-Neto, D. (2018) Influência do armazenamento de sementes tratadas com diferentes fungicidas na fixação biológica de nitrogênio na soja. 26º Simpósio Internacional de Iniciação Científica e Tecnológica da USP (SICUSP), Piracicaba (Brazil).

#### **PROPOSALS**

INRC 2024. How much SAR is responsible for yield decrease in a cover crop - crop production system, and which species could be inserted to improve this system – <u>Not funded</u>

SARE-NC Graduate Student Grant 2023. Beyond Cereal Rye: Expanding Iowa's Cover Crop Options – Not Funded

SARE 2022. Defining spatial cover crop management zone with UAV overseeding. – Not Funded

## PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Preparing Future Faculty (ISU)

Spring 2024

Project LEA/RN weekly meetings (ISU)

2023-2024(AY)

Project LEA/RN workshop (ISU) Aug. 2023 **SERVICE & LEADERSHIP** Professional Member of Mid-west Cover Crop Council Graduate Student Committee 2022-present Moderator of the Midwest Cover Crop Council meeting graduate student session Jan. 2023 Moderator of the Midwest Cover Crop Council meeting graduate student session Feb. 2024 **Iowa State University** Treasurer of the Agronomy Graduate Student Club 2024 Senator for Graduate and Professional Student Senate 2023-2024(AY) **University of Arkansas** Treasurer of the Crop, Soil, and Environmental Sciences Graduate Student Club 2021-2022(AY) Crops representative of the CSES Graduate Student Club 2020-2021(AY) **PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS** Member, Agronomy Society of America since 2020 Member, Soil Science Society of America since 2020 Member, Crop Science Society of America since 2020 **LANGUAGES** Portuguese - Native English – Fluent

Spanish – Intermediate