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Education

1993, Ph.D., Biological and Agricultural Engineer (Water Resources), North Carolina State University
1989, B.A./MSc, Agricultural Engineering, Universidad Politécnica de Madrid (Spain)

Professional Record

2019 – 2020 (Sabbatical) Resident Distinguished Professor, Public U. of Navarre, Spain
2018 Interim Chair, Agricultural & Biological Engineering, University of Florida
2011-present Professor, Agricultural & Biological Engineering, University of Florida
2010-2011 Professor in Residence, CEMAGREF (now Irstea), Lyon, France
2006-2011 Associate Professor, Agricultural & Biological Engineering, University of Florida
2001-2006 Assistant Professor, Agricultural & Biological Engineering, University of Florida
2000-2001 Tenured Researcher, Canary Islands Agricultural Research Institute, Spain
1993-2000 Engineering Researcher, Canary Islands Agricultural Research Institute, Spain
1994-2001 Adjunct Professor, University of La Laguna, Spain
1989-1993 Research Assistant, Biological and Agricultural Engineering, North Carolina State University

Research Interests

Hydrology, Water quality, Environmental modeling, Vegetation riparian buffers, Surface water pollution mitigation, Global sensitivity and uncertainty analysis, Biocomplexity engineering

Awards & Honors

2022 John Deere National Gold Medal, ASABE (American Society of Agricultural and Biological Engineers)
2021 North Carolina State University CALS Outstanding Alumnus Award
2020 AAAS Fellow (American Association for the Advancement of Science)
2018 UF/IFAS Award of Excellence for Graduate Research: Best Doctoral Dissertation Advisor, Dr. Natalie Nelson
2018 ASABE Standards Development Award, EP621 Jun2017 Guidelines for Calibrating, Validating and *Evaluating Hydrological and Water Quality Models*
2017-2020 University Term Professor
2017 UF/IFAS Award of Excellence for Graduate Research: Best Doctoral Dissertation Advisor to Dr. Natalie Nelson, *Quantifying the spatiotemporal importance of fresh-brackish water quality drivers using data analytics and models*.
2017 UF/IFAS High Impact Research Publication Award. Science Adv. (AAAS), doi: 10.1126/sciadv.1601272
2017 Web-of-Science (Clarivate) “Highly Cited Paper”, top 1% of Agricultural Science, for papers DOI: 10.1016/j.agsy.2016.05.014 and DOI: 10.1016/j.agsy.2016.09.021
2016 UF Postdoc Mentoring Award, UF Office of Postdoctoral Affairs.
2016 FL-ASABE Distinguished Achievement Award
2015 Royal Academy of Engineers of Spain, Corresponding Member, <http://www.raing.es/en>
2015 Fellow of ASABE (American Society of Agricultural and Biological Engineers)
2015 ADS/Hancor Soil Water Engineering National Award, ASABE (American Society of Agricultural and Biological Engineers)
2017 Web-of-Science (Clarivate) “Highly Cited Paper”, top 1% of Engineering, for paper DOI: 10.1016/j.jhydrol.2012.12.004
2013 Fellow of UF Water Institute Faculty
2013 National Postdoctoral Association (NPA) Mentoring Award
2013 International Educator of the Year Award, UF/IFAS
2013 Best Paper Award, Environmental Water Resources Institute (EWRI), ASCE.

2011 University of Florida Research Foundation Professor
 2009 Junior Faculty Award of Merit, Gamma Sigma Delta.
 2009 Special Recognition Award, FL Section of the ASABE.
 2008 UF/IFAS International Achievement Award
 UF International Center International Educator Award,
 2008 UF/IFAS LEAD certificate
 2008 UF/CALS Teacher's College certificate
 2003 USDA-Foreign Agricultural Service Certificate of Appreciation
 1999 Paper of ASAE Award, Hydrology Mini-Symposium
 1989-1993 Doctoral Fellow, Fulbright bilateral commission INIA-USDA

Teaching & Course Instruction

Undergraduate Courses

ABE 3212C *Land & Water Resources Engineering* (Spring), 4 ct.

Graduate Courses

ABE 6254 *Simulation of Agricultural Watershed Systems* (Fall alt. years), 3 ct.

ABE 6265 *Vadose Zone Water & Solute Transport Modeling* (Summer, alt. years), 3 ct.

ABE 5643C *Biological Systems Modeling* (Fall), 3 ct. (co-taught with 2 other). Modules: a) Model Evaluation and testing- FITEVAL; b) Global sensitivity and Uncertainty Analysis-GSA

ABE 6649C *Advanced Biosystems Modeling* (Spring), 3 ct. (co-taught with 2 other). Modules: a) High Performance Computing-HPC; b) HPC for Global Sensitivity and Uncertainty Analysis-GSA

External invited courses

Oct. 2021 – “Evaluation of environmental models: FITEVAL and GSUA”, Program of Doctoral Excellence eAi3, U. of Cordoba (Spain) (also taught in 2019, 2017)

Nov. 2019 – “Objective design of vegetative filter strips for mitigation of runoff pollution” (15 hrs), Graduate Program in Agricultural Engineering, Public University of Navarre (Spain).

Mar. 2018 – “*PWC-VFSMOD User Training*” (5 hrs). US EPA, Washington DC, March 28.

Oct. 2017 – “*Global Sensitivity and Uncertainty Analysis of Environmental Models*”. Invited Seminar and Workshop (5 hrs) at Université Catholique Louvain (Belgium)

Oct. 2015 – “*Objective evaluation of model fitness and importance factor assessment.*” (12 hrs.). International Master's Program CeIA3 - Univ. Cordoba, Spain

Dec. 2011 – “*Modelling groundwater pollution of pesticides with PEARL and vegetative strip modelling with VFSMOD*” (3 hrs.). ADVANCED RESEARCH WORKSHOP: Modelling agrochemical pollution of water systems. 29 March 2011. ENVITAM.org. Université Catholique de Louvain, Belgium.

Jun. 2010 – “*Korea AG-BMP Forum, KAB-2 International Conference, AG-BMP Development for Reservoir Water Quality Improvement*”, 15-16 June 2011, Hoam Faculty House, Seoul, Korea. Intl. (Organizing Committee Member).

Invited Seminars & Presentations

August 2022 Invited presenter, “*Quantitative pesticide mitigation with VFSMOD in high-tier environmental exposure assessments: Opportunities and challenges*”. 10th European Modelling Workshop, York UK, August 28-31, 2022.

May 2022 Invited Platform Presentation, “Importance of surface pesticide residues in the quantitative mitigation of pesticides with vegetative filter strips: VFSMOD development and analysis”, EGU General Assembly 2022, Vienna, Austria, 23–27 May 2022.

- Oct. 2021 Invited talk, “*Identifying important drivers in pesticide mitigation exposure assessments*”. EPA Purdue Workshop on Wetland Endangered Species Assessment of Herbicides. Oct. 22-23. Purdue Univ. Lafayette, IN, USA
- May 2021 Invited talk, “*Fate of pesticide residues in vegetative filter strips in long-term exposure assessments: VFSMOD development and analysis*”. SETAC Europe. May 3-6, 2021. Seville, Spain
- Sept. 2020 Invited talk, “*VFS Effectiveness to Mitigate Pesticides: Mechanistic Analysis with VFSMOD*”. Clemson University, SC, Graduate Seminar Series, September 3, 2020.
- June 2020 Invited talk, “*Vegetative Filter Strip Modelling*”. 22nd International Akademie Fresenius AGRO Conference, June 16-17, Mainz, Germany
- Aug. 2020 Invited talk, “*Advances in vegetative filter strips modeling to mitigate pesticides*”. CERSA North American Vegetative Filter Strips Workshop, August 31, Raleigh.
- May 2020 Invited talk, “*VFS Effectiveness to Mitigate Pesticides: Mechanistic Analysis with VFSMOD*”, EGU Annual Conference, May 3-6. Vienna, 2020.
- Apr. 2019 Invited talk, “*Effectiveness of Vegetative Filter Strips for Pesticides Mitigation: Mechanistic Analysis with VFSMOD*”, Mitigation of Pesticides in Surface Water in California Agriculture Symposium. Organized by California Dept. of Pesticide Regulation. Sacramento, California.
- Mar. 2019 Invited talk, “*Incorporating the Benefits of Vegetative Filter Strips into Risk Assessment and Risk Management of Pesticides*”, AGRO Lunch & Webinar series/Eurofins. March 13, 2019.
- Dec. 2018 Invited talk, “*Incorporating the Benefits of Vegetative Filter Strips into Risk Assessment and Risk Management of Pesticides*”, 2018 Workshop on Innovation and Regulation in Agriculture. N.C. State University Center of Excellence on Regulatory Science in Agriculture (CERSA), Raleigh, NC
- Nov. 2018 Invited talk, “*Identifying important drivers in exposure and effects mitigation assessments: A general global sensitivity and uncertainty analysis framework*”, 2018 Society of Environmental Toxicology and Chemistry (SETAC) North America 39th Meeting. Sacramento, CA.
- Jul. 2018 Invited talk, “*What drives the ecological quality of freshwater ecosystems at the continental scale in Europe?*”. Public university of Pamplona, Spain.
- Oct. 2012 Invited (keynote speaker), SWAN-VFSMOD European Pesticide Assessment Tool. Training Workshop. October 2, 2013, Paris, France.
- Nov. 2012 Invited speaker, Taishan Symposium of Agriculture and Environment, Shandong Agricultural University, November 2012, Shandong, China
- Nov. 2014 Predictive ability of hydrological models: objective assessment of goodness-of-fit with statistical significance. Universidad Católica de Murcia, Spain. Nov. 4, 2014.
- May 2014 Complexity and unintended consequences in the Tempisque Basin PRAT project, Costa Rica. University of Costa Rica, San Jose May 2, 2014.
- Nov. 2013 Dynamic factor analysis as a tool to unravel the behavior of complex environmental systems. Agricultural Engineering School and Mathematics Department, University of Navarra, November 2013.
- Sept. 2013 Total Maximum Daily Load and the Best Management Practices program in Florida: the case for Vegetative Filter Strip Design. Sustainable Management of Soil and Water Resources Workshop - Dubai, United Arab Emirates - September 15-19, 2013. Sponsored by USDA-ARS International Programs.
- July 2013 Dynamic Factor Analysis of Environmental Systems I: Introduction and Initial lessons learned. Session coorganizer and Invited Speaker. XXIX-th European Meeting of Statisticians, July 20-25, 2013, Budapest, Hungary.
- May 2013 FITEVAL: A tool to assess the predictive ability of hydrological models through objective assessment of goodness-of-fit with statistical significance. Invited Seminar. Université Catholique de Louvain, Louvain-la-Neuve, Belgium. May, 2013.
- April 2013 Hydrological sensors data acquisition and management for the hydrological monitoring network at the Palo Verde National Park. April 2013, Workshop presented at the Organization for Tropical Studies Biological Stations in Palo Verde National Park, Guanacaste, Costa Rica.

- Feb. 2011 VFSMOD use for pesticides (Keynote Speech). Workshop: "From AIM to TOPPS-Prowadis". European Crop Protection Association, Brussels, - 24 February 2011.
- June 2011 Importance of mechanistic, science driven design of best management practices for watershed quality protection (Keynote Speech). In: Yoon and Choi (eds.), Korea KAB-2 International Conference on AG-BMP Development for Reservoir Water Quality Improvement, June 15-16, Seoul, Korea.
- June 2011 Recent advancement in evaluation of Environmental Models with Global Sensitivity and Uncertainty Analysis. National Taiwan University, June, 18, Taipei, Taiwan.
- Jun. 2010 Invited talk, "Predicting Runoff Pesticide Reduction with Vegetative Filter Strips: Factor importance, Uncertainty, and Regulatory Opportunities". Keynote speech at the World UIPAC-RACI conference. 12th International Congress on Pesticide Science UIPAC 2010, July 4-10, 2010, Melbourne, Australia.
- Oct. 2010 Invited talk, "*Model Relevance: Frameworks for Exploring the Complexity-Sensitivity-Uncertainty Trilemma.*" (NATO Climate Change Conference, Island, 2010).
- Nov. 2009 Invited talk, "*Formal Exploration of the Complexity and Relevance of Biogeochemical Models through Global Sensitivity and Uncertainty Analysis: Opportunities and Challenges*" (Keynote speech at the Unsaturated Zone Studies Conference, Barcelona-Spain, 2009).

Professional Service & Membership

1. *Journal and Book Editor:*

- 2017- Editor-in-Chief, Elsevier's *Journal of Hydrology: Regional Studies*, <https://www.sciencedirect.com/journal/journal-of-hydrology-regional-studies/about/editorial-board>
- 2004-2010 Associate Editor, Transactions of ASABE and Applied Engineering in Agriculture
- 2001- Associate editor for 3 special issues of peer-reviewed journals (*Vadose Zone Journal*, *Trans. of ASABE*, *HESS* (EGU Physics and Chemistry of the Earth, Part B))
- 2005 Co-editor of CRC/Lewis book with 53 international contributors

2. *Research Advisory Board Membership:*

- 2021- Organization for Tropical Studies, Board of Directors (OTS, <https://tropicalstudies.org/portfolio/board-of-directors/>)
- 2018- UF Senate University Information Technology Committee
- 2018- UF H.W. College of Engineering Research Advisory Council (RAC)
- 2015- Institute for Earth System Research (IISTA), Spain
- 2008- UF Research Computing Advisory Committee (RCAC)
- 2002- Spanish Unsaturated Studies group ZNS, Spain, <http://zonanosaturada.com>
- 2014-2015 Global Food Systems Institute (GFSI), Advisory board member
- 2009-2012 UF Water Institute
- 2012-2014 UF/IFAS Dean of Research Advisory Board
- 2012-2014 UF/IFAS International Programs
- 2006-2011 UF Hydrologic Sciences Academic Cluster, <http://hydrology.ufl.edu>. Elected Chair, 2008–10, member of the Faculty Advisory Committee, 2006–2011

3. *NSF Funded Student development:*

- 2012-2017 NSF GRF doctoral advisor, Dr. N. Nelson
- 2012 NSF-REU Program, Summer 2012, faculty mentor for Wen Yang
- 2009-2012 NSF-Innovation through Institutional Integration (I3), UF Advisory Board
- 2007-2011 NSF IGERT doctoral advisor, A.C. Linhoss

4. *Federal Panelist:* NSF, NAS, USDA/ARS, USDA/NRI

5. *Scientific and Professional Societies:*

- 2015- American Society of Agricultural and Biological Engineers (ASABE), Fellow ASABE, 2015-, Member Engineer, 1993-, Chair Natural Resources and Environmental Systems Division NRES-02, NRES-21

Hydrology Chair, 2008-2009, Member, SW-5, Publications Review Committee, 2004-;
 1993- American Geophysical Union (AGU), Member.
 2007- American Association for the Advancement of Science (AAAS), Member (2020 Fellow).

6. *University Committees*

IFAS Tenure and Promotion Board, 2014-2016; IFAS 2013 Food Safety Cluster, defined faculty positions, participated in Chairs planning meetings; IFAS Research Advisory Group, IFRAG, member, 2012-2015; IFAS Faculty Enhancement Awards (Sabbatical), member, 2011-2014; - Search and screen committees: Pre-Eminent Professor Risk Analysis, ESSIE-COE member, 2014-2015; Pre-eminent Professor, Dynamic optimization of networks, ISE-COE, Chair, 2014

7. *Departmental Committees*

ABE Tenure and Promotion Committee, Chair, 2018-present; ABE Graduate Certificate program, Chair, 2012-present; ABE Graduate committee, member, 2005-present; ABE Computer committee, Chair, 2006-present; Faculty Mentoring Committees: Dr. Nikolay Blyznyuk, member, 2014-; Dr. Eric McLamore, member, 2011-2016; Dr. Jeff Ullman, member, 2011-2015; Dr. Kati W. Migliaccio, Chair, 2005-2010; Dr. Bin Gao, Chair, 2007- 2012; - Search and screen committees: Data analytics Assistant/Associate Professor, ABE, Chair, 2016; Biocomplexity Engineering Assistant/Associate Professor, ABE, Chair, 2014; IT expert, ABE, 2014

Mentions in the media

- *Innovative Application of AI Gives New Life to Long-term Monitoring Data.* April 30, 2018 | Environmental Monitor (United States). [View article](#)
- *How to prevent harmful algal blooms.* March 6, 2018 | Morning Ag Clips (United States). [View article](#)
- *UF Study: To Help Prevent Harmful Algal Blooms, Limit Nitrogen and Phosphorus.* March 6, 2018 | Newswise (United States). [View article](#)
- *Engineering the Design of Buffers and Vegetative Filter Strips.* March 1, 2018 | RESource (ASABE). [View article](#)
- *New UF/IFAS Method Detects Low-Dose Impacts of Man-Made Chemicals in Water.* September 7, 2016 | Newswise (United States). [View article](#)
- *U of Florida Researcher Receives ASABE's ADS Soil and Water Engineering Award.* September 24, 2015 | Agri Marketing (United States). [View article](#)
- *University of Florida Professor Receives ADS Achievement Award.* September 22, 2015 | Water & Wastes Digest (United States). [View article](#)
- *Two UF/IFAS Agricultural Engineering Faculty Earn High Global Honors.* May 13, 2015 | Newswise (United States). [View article](#)
- *USA: Computer Model to Help Managers with Renourishment Decisions.* February 27, 2014 | Dredging Today (Netherlands). [View article](#)
- *Computer Model Can Help Coastal Managers with Nourishment Decisions.* February 26, 2014 | Science Daily (United States). [View article](#)
- *UF Top 10, faculty profile, 2014*
- *UF Alumni Calendar, 2014*

Funded Research

(Total federal funding while at UF as PI/Co-I/SP: ~\$21.2 million)

Current:

2022-2025	USDA AMS	<i>Being a good neighbor, managing adjacent land use risks associated with bioaerosols from cattle and poultry operations to fresh produce.</i> Co-PI, \$966,977.
2020-2023	BAYER CropScience LP	<i>Implementation of pesticide residues remobilization in VFSMOD.</i> PI, \$149,924
2020-2024	USDA SCRI	<i>Scientific Challenges and Cost-Effective Management of Risks Associated with Implementation of Produce Safety Regulations.</i> Co-PI, \$7,265,940
2018-2023	Department of Defense MURI	<i>Towards a Multi-Scale Theory on Coupled Human Mobility and Environmental Change,</i> Co-PI, \$5,135,404

2019-2023 The Nature Conservancy *Ecohydrological Modeling to assess impacts of rapid development in Laikipia, Kenya*, PI, \$74,960

Research Journal Publication

(Google Scholar h-index: 49, Citations: 10000+ (current: <http://goo.gl/8OMS7s>)

* Graduate student; ** Postdoctoral Associate/Visiting Scholar supervised by Dr. Muñoz-Carpena

2022

166. Shin, S., Y. Her, R. Muñoz-Carpena, and Y.P. Khare. 2023. Multi-parameter approaches for improved ensemble prediction accuracy in hydrology and water quality modeling. *J. Hydrology* doi:10.1016/j.jhydrol.2023.129458
165. Zhang, Y., R. Bhattarai and R. Muñoz-Carpena. 2023. Effectiveness of vegetative filter strips for sediment control from steep construction landscapes. *Catena* 226(2023):10705. doi:10.1016/j.catena.2023.107057
164. Griffith D., R. Muneeppeerakul, G. Guerry, A. Carmona-Cabrero, J.C. Johnson. R. Muñoz-Carpena, M. Puma, U. Lall, M. Homayounfar. 2023. Migration and livelihood constellations: Assessing common themes in the face of environmental change in Somalia and among Agro-Pastoral peoples. *Int. Migr.* 2023(00):1–15. doi: 10.1111/imig.13122
163. Morgan*, S., R. Huffaker, R. Giménez, M.A. Campo-Bescos, R. Muñoz-Carpena, and G. Govers. 2023. Experimental evidence that rill-bed morphology is governed by emergent nonlinear spatial dynamics. *Scientific Reports-Nature* 12:21500. doi:10.1038/s41598-022-26114-0.
162. Reichenberger S., R. Sur, S. Sittig, S. Multsch, Á. Carmona-Cabrero, J.J. López and R. Muñoz-Carpena. 2023. Dynamic prediction of effective runoff sediment particle size for improved assessment of erosion mitigation efficiency with vegetative filter strips. *Sci. Total Env.* 857(3):159572. doi:10.1016/j.scitotenv.2022.159572

2022

161. Zhang*, C., G. Hoogenboom, M.A. Ritenour, S.M. Alam-Eldein, R. Muñoz-Carpena and S.A. Sargent. 2022. Modeling the relationship between air temperature and grapefruit quality traits. *Journal of the Science of Food and Agriculture*. doi: 10.1002/jsfa.12219
160. Oh*, W.S., A. Carmona-Cabrero, **R. Muñoz-Carpena**, R. Muneeppeerakul. 2022. On the interplay among multiple factors: effects of factor configuration in a proof-of-concept migration agent-based model. *Journal of Artificial Societies and Social Simulation* 25(2):7. doi:10.18564/jasss.4793.

2021

159. **Muñoz-Carpena, R.**, C. Lauvernet, N. Carluer and G.A. Fox. 2021. Comment on “Modeling slope rainfall-infiltration-runoff process with shallow water table during complex rainfall patterns” by Wu et al. 2021. *J. Hydrology X* 13:100133. doi:10.1016/j.hydroa.2021.100113.
158. Barchiesi*, S., A. Alonso, M. Pazmiño-Hernandez, J.M. Serrano-Sandí, **R. Muñoz-Carpena**, C. Angelini. 2021. Wetland hydropattern and vegetation greenness predict avian populations in Palo Verde, Costa Rica. *Ecological Applications*. doi:10.1002/eap.2493.
157. Köppl, C.J., R. Malureanu, C. Dam-Hansen, S. Wang, H. Jin, S. Barchiesi, J.M. Serrano Sandí, **R. Muñoz-Carpena**, M. Johnson, A.M. Durán-Quesada, P. Bauer-Gottwein, U.S. McKnight, M. Garcia. 2021. Hyperspectral reflectance measurements from UAS under intermittent clouds: correcting irradiance measurements for sensor tilt. *Remote Sensing Env.* doi:10.1016/j.rse.2021.112719
156. Orozco-Lopez^(g), E. and **R. Muñoz-Carpena**, R. 2021. Comparative non-Darcian modelling of subsurface preferential flow experimental observations in a riparian buffer. *Trans. ASABE* 64(5). doi:10.13031/trans.14559.
155. Vazquez^(g), K.M, **R. Muñoz-Carpena**, M.D. Danyluk, A.H. Havelaar. 2021. Parsimonious mechanistic modeling of bacterial runoff to inform food safety management of agricultural water quality. *Appl. Environ. Microbiol.* 87(15):e00596-21. doi:10.1128/AEM.00596-21.
154. Luquin^(g), E., M.A. Campo-Bescós, **R. Muñoz-Carpena**, R.L. Bingner, R.M. Cruse, H.G. Momm, R.R. Wells, J.Casali. 2021. Evaluation of model prediction capacity of ephemeral gully temporal evolution in conservation tillage systems. *Earth Surf. Process. Landf.* 46(10):1909-1925. doi:10.1002/esp.5134

153. Guertault, L. G.A.Fox, D. Heeren, T. Hallihan and **R Muñoz-Carpena**. 2021. Quantifying the importance of preferential flow in a riparian buffer. *Trans. ASABE* 64(3):937-947. doi:10.13031/trans.14286.
152. Orozco-López^(g), **R. Muñoz-Carpena**, B. Gao and G.A. Fox. 2021. High resolution pore-scale water content measurement in a translucent soil profile from light transmission. *Trans. ASABE* 64(3):949-962. doi:10.13031/trans.14292.
151. Medina M^(g), R. Huffaker, **R. Muñoz-Carpena** and G. Kiker. 2021. An empirical nonlinear dynamics approach to analyzing emergent behavior of agent-based models. *AIP Advances* 11:035133. doi:10.1063/5.0023116

2020

150. Morgan* V., L. Casso-Hartmann, I. Velez-Torres, D.C. Vanegas, **R. Muñoz-Carpena**, E.S. McLamore and G. Kiker. 2020. Modeling exposure risk and prevention of mercury in drinking water for artisanal-small scale gold mining communities. *Human and Ecological Risk Assessment* (accepted).
149. Fox, G.A., **R. Muñoz-Carpena**, B. Brooks, T. Hall. 2020. Advancing surface water pesticide exposure assessments for ecosystem protection. *Trans. ASABE* (in press)
148. Medina*, M., R. Huffaker, J.W. Jawitz, and **R. Muñoz-Carpena**. 2020. Seasonal dynamics of terrestrially sourced nitrogen influenced *Karenia brevis* blooms off Florida's southern Gulf Coast. *Harmful Algae* 98:101900. doi:10.1016/j.hal.2020.101900
147. **Muñoz-Carpena, R.**, O. Batelaan, P. Willems, D.A. Hughes. 2020. Editorial – Why it is a blessing to be rejected: improving science with quality publications. *J. of Hydrology: Regional Studies* 31:100717. doi:10.1016/j.ejrh.2020.100717
146. Mompremier, R.*, Y. Her, G. Hoogenboom, K. Migliaccio, **R. Muñoz-Carpena**, Z. Brym, R. W. Colbert, and W. Jeune. 2020. Modeling the response of dry bean yield to irrigation water availability controlled by watershed hydrology. *Agric. Water Manage.* 243:106429. doi:10.1016/j.agwat.2020.106429
145. Nelson, N.G.*, **R. Muñoz-Carpena**, and E. Philips. 2020. Parameter uncertainty drives important incongruities between simulated chlorophyll-a and phytoplankton functional group dynamics in a mechanistic management model. *Env. Modeling & Soft.* 129:104708. doi:10.1016/j.envsoft.2020.104708.
144. Alonso, A.*, **R. Muñoz-Carpena**, and D. Kaplan. 2020. Coupling high-resolution water level sensors and MODIS for mapping wetland historical hydroperiod at high temporal frequency. *Remote Sensing of Environment* 247:111807. doi:10.1016/j.rse.2020.111807.
143. Moreno-Cadena, L.P.*, G. Hoogenboom, M.J. Fisher, J. Ramirez-Villegas, S.D. Prager, L.A. Becerra Lopez-Lavalle, P. Pypers, M.S. Mejia de Tafur, D. Wallach, **R. Muñoz-Carpena**, S. Asseng. 2020. Importance of genetic parameters and uncertainty of MANIHOT, a new mechanistic model of cassava. *Europ. J. Agronomy* 115:126031. doi:10.1016/j.eja.2020.126031
142. Delforge, D.*, **R. Muñoz-Carpena**, M. Van Camp, M. Vanclooster. 2020. A parsimonious empirical approach to streamflow recession analysis and forecast. *Wat. Resour. Res.* 56(2):e2019WR025771. doi: 10.1029/2019WR025771

2019

141. Medina, M.*, R. Huffaker, J.W. Jawitz, **R. Muñoz-Carpena**. 2019. Nonlinear dynamics in treatment wetlands: Identifying systematic drivers of non-equilibrium outlet concentrations in Everglades STAs. *Wat. Resour. Res.* 55(12):11101-11120. doi: 10.1029/2018WR024427
140. **Muñoz-Carpena, R.**, A. Ritter, G. Fox. 2019. Comparison of empirical and mechanistic equations for vegetative filter strip pesticide mitigation in long-term environmental exposure assessments. *Water Research* 165:1149833. doi:10.1016/j.watres.2019.114983
139. Klarenberg, G.*, **R. Muñoz-Carpena**, S. Perz, C. Baraloto, M. Marsik, J. Southworth, L. Zhu. 2019. A spatiotemporal natural-human database to evaluate road development impacts in an Amazon trinational frontier. *Nature Sci. Data* 6:93. doi:10.1038/s41597-019-0093-7
138. Khare, Y.P.*, C. Martinez, **R. Muñoz-Carpena**, A. Bottcher and A. James. 2019. Effective global sensitivity analysis for high-dimensional hydrologic and water quality models. *ASCE Journal of Hydrologic Engineering*. 24(1). doi:10.1061/(ASCE)HE.1943-5584.0001726

137. Kuo, Y.-M., W.-W. Liu, E. Zhao, R. Li, L. Yao, **R. Muñoz-Carpena**. 2019. Water quality variability in the middle and down streams of Han River under the influence of the Middle Route of South-North Water Diversion Project, China. *J. of Hydrology* 569:218-229. doi: 10.1016/j.jhydrol.2018.12.001.

2018

136. Trost, J.J., K.S. Perkins, W. Henson, B.B. Mirus, J.R. Nimmo, and **R. Muñoz-Carpena**. 2018. UZIG research: Measurement and characterization of unsaturated zone processes under wide-ranging climates and changing conditions. *Vadose Zone J.* 17:180198. doi:10.2136/vzj2018.11.0198.
135. Southworth J, E. Bunting, L. Zhu, S.J. Ryan, H.V. Herrero, P. Waylen, **R. Muñoz-Carpena**, M.A. Campo-Bescós, D. Kaplan. 2018 Using a coupled dynamic factor – random forest analysis (DFRFA) to reveal drivers of spatiotemporal heterogeneity in the semi-arid regions of southern Africa. *PLoS ONE* 13(12): e0208400. doi:10.1371/journal.pone.0208400.
134. Gowdiah, L.* and **R. Muñoz-Carpena**. 2018. 3DMGAR: A transient quasi-3D point source Green-Ampt infiltration and redistribution model. *Vadose Zone J.* doi: 10.2136/vzj2018.02.0032.
133. Hahus, I.*, K.W. Migliaccio, K. Douglas-Mankin, G. Klarenberg, **R. Muñoz-Carpena**. 2018. Using cluster analysis to compartmentalize a large managed wetland based on physical, biological, and climatic geospatial attributes. *Environmental Management* 62(6):571–583. doi:10.1007/s00267-018-1050-5
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Creative works

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1. *VFSMOD-W*
- Vegetative Filter Strip Modeling System.
 2. *FITEVAL*
- Program for objective assessment of model goodness-of-fit with statistical significance.
 3. *PDunne*
- Soil-saturated hydraulic conductivity calculation with the Philip-Dunne permeameter.
 4. *HPC - Global Sensitivity and Uncertainty Analysis (GSUA)*
- High Performance Computing scripts for GSUA (SLURM linux cluster compatible).
 5. *VGPest3*
- Program to fit van Genuchten's curve to experimental soil moisture retention data.
 6. *WinGAmpt*
- A Windows based teaching tool for Green-Ampt Infiltration for Unsteady Rainfall Model.
 7. *SWINGO*
- A Fortran comand line program to calculate infiltration for soils bounded by a shallow water table.
 8. *Morris SU sampling*
- A Matlab code for improved input factor sampling for Morris (elementary effect) global sensitivity analysis.
 9. *MGAR 1D/3D*
- A fortran program to calculate soil infiltration and redistribution from a series of storms using the MGAR method for 1D (vertical flow) and 3D (point source) conditions.
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Training of New Researchers

a) Doctoral students

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b) Masters students

This is a list of Masters thesis from students advised directly by Dr. Muñoz-Carpena (Chair or Co-Chair).

1. Kathleleen Vazquez. 2017. [Statistical and mechanistic analysis of bacterial water quality to evaluate and inform food safety agricultural water regulations](#) . M.Sc. Thesis. [Gainesville, Fla.]: University of Florida (Advisors: R. Muñoz-Carpena & Arie Havelaar).
2. Luis Pablo Barquín-Valle, 2009. [Modeling shallow groundwater table contribution to soil water retention in the unsaturated zone of a calcareous soil of south Florida](#). M.Sc. thesis. [Gainesville, Fla.]: University of Florida. <http://purl.fcla.edu/fcla/etd/UFE0025060>. (Advisors: K.W. Migliaccio and R. Muñoz-Carpena).
3. Manon Bachelin, 2009. [Water Balance, Seasonal Hydroperiod Variation and Time of Residence of a Small Natural Freshwater Wetlands in the Humid Tropics in Costa Rica](#). M.Sc. thesis. Civil and Environmental Engineering, Swiss Federal Institutes of Technology (EPFL), Laussane, Switzerland. (Advisors: R. Muñoz-Carpena and A. Rinaldo).
4. Jason T. Icerman, 2007. [Approaches for two-dimensional monitoring and numerical modeling of drip systems](#). M.Sc. thesis. [Gainesville, Fla.]: University of Florida. <http://purl.fcla.edu/fcla/etd/UFE0021417>. (Advisors: M.D. Dukes and R. Muñoz-Carpena).
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7. Martin Morawietz. 2003. The Biscayne aquifer: a local groundwater study in the agricultural areas adjacent to the Everglades National Park, south Florida. M.Sc.thesis (Diplomarbeit) Institute of Hydrology, Freiburg: Universität Freiburg, Germany. (Advisor: R. Muñoz-Carpena).

c) Post-doctoral researchers

15 postdocs supervised and mentored by Dr. Muñoz-Carpena. He has been recognized with the 2013 National Postdoctoral Association Garnett-Powers & Associates Advisor of the Year Award.

d) Graduate student Awards

Honors for graduate students under Dr. Muñoz-Carpena's direct supervision.

1. **2017 Natalie Nelson**. UF/IFAS Doctoral Dissertation Award.
2. **2015 Alice Alonso**. McNair Bostic Scholarship for research in agricultural and natural systems modeling and analysis, offered by Agricultural and Biological Engineering, University of Florida.
3. **2015 Nicolas Stipo (UCL, Belgium)**. OTS Research Fellowship Recipient (~\$4000)
4. **2014 Alice Alonso**. Honorable Mention at the annual UF-ABE Departement Poster Symposium.
5. **2014 Alice Alonso**. William V. Storch Award (AWRA). (\$1500)
6. **2014 Alice Alonso**. OTS Research Fellowship Recipient. (\$2630)
7. **2014 Alice Alonso**. Tropical Conservation Development Field Research Grant Fellow. (\$1500)
8. **2014 Alice Alonso**. Grinter Fellowship Award. (\$3600)

9. **2014 Yogesh Khare.** McNair Bostic Scholarship for research in agricultural and natural systems modeling and analysis, offered by Agricultural and Biological Engineering, University of Florida.
10. **2014 N. Nelson.** Richard A. Herbert Memorial Scholarship, American Water Resources Association.
11. **2014 N. Nelson.** Student Video Competition, 1st Place, (National Team Award), American Society of Agricultural and Biological Engineers (ASABE)
12. **2014 N. Nelson.** Campus RainWorks Challenge: 1st Place in the Master Plan Category, (team award), US-EPA.
13. **2014 N. Nelson.** Robert Stewart Engineering-Humanities National Award, American Society of Agricultural and Biological Engineers (ASABE).
14. **2014 N. Nelson.** Research Poster Competition, 1st Place, Agricultural and Biological Engineering Departmental Symposium, University of Florida
15. **2014 N. Nelson.** A.S. Herlong Sr. Graduate Scholarship, 2 years, College of Agricultural and Life Sciences, University of Florida
16. **2014 N. Nelson.** Sanford N. Young Scholarship, Florida Section of the American Water Resources Association
17. **2014 N. Nelson.** Best Graduate Student Presentation, Florida Section of the American Society of Agricultural and Biological Engineers Annual Conference
18. **2014 N. Nelson.** Graduate Scholarship, University Women's Club
2014 N. Nelson. Research Video Competition, 3rd Place, Agricultural and Biological Engineering 3MT+V (3 Minute Thesis and Video), University of Florida
19. **2014 N. Nelson.** Best Graduate Student Poster Award, Sustainable Water Resources: Water Supply Planning in a Non-Stationary World. UF Water Institute Symposium. University of Florida
20. **2013 Yogesh Khare.** Alec Courtosis International Student Award. UF International Center. **2013 Natalie Nelson,** EPA RainWorks, April 2013.
21. **2010. David Kaplan** (Ph.D. ABE). Gamma Sigma Delta Graduate Student Award of Merit (April 2010)
22. **2010. Stuart Muller** (Ph.D. ABE). Student Speaker Award, 1st Place, Florida Section, American Society of Agricultural and Biological Engineers (June 2010).
23. **2010. Anna Cathey** (Ph.D. ABE) James Davidson Graduate Travel Scholarship by the College of Agricultural and Life Sciences (February 2010).
24. **2009. Anna Cathey** (Ph.D. ABE). Travel Award by the Ecological Society of America to attend the 2009 Millennium Conference.
25. **2010. Anna Cathey** (Ph.D. ABE). NSF-IGERT Travel Award by National Conference in 2010 to present "Living with Thirst" video.
26. **2009. Oscar Pérez-Ovilla** (Ph.D, ABE). UF College of Engineering Certificate of Excellence for "2009 Outstanding International Student".
27. **2009. Stuart Muller** (Ph.D. ABE). James Davidson Graduate Travel Scholarship by the College of Agricultural and Life Sciences (August 2008).
28. **2009. David Kaplan** (Ph.D. ABE). McNair Bostick Scholarship for Research in Agricultural and Natural Resource Systems.
29. **2009. David Kaplan** (Ph.D. ABE). Student Speaker Award, 1st Place, Florida Section, American Society of Agricultural and Biological Engineers.
30. **2009. David Kaplan** (Ph.D. ABE). Travel Awards: University of Florida (UF) Office of Research, UF Institute of Food and Agricultural Sciences, UF Graduate Student Council (May 2009).
31. **2009. Zuzanna Zajac** (Ph.D. ABE). James Davidson Graduate Travel Scholarship by the College of Agricultural and Life Sciences (August 2008).
32. **2008. Zuzanna Zajac** (Ph.D. ABE). Student Speaker Award, 1st Place, Florida Section, American Society of Agricultural and Biological Engineers (June 2008).
33. **2008. Stuart Muller** (Ph.D. ABE). Florida Society of Environmental Analysts Travel Scholarship. St. Petersburg, FL.
34. **2007. Zuzanna Zajac** (Ph.D. ABE). Honorable mention among the outstanding papers for 2007 in the Transactions of ASABE for the paper: *Evaluation of water quality models through global sensitivity and uncertainty analyses techniques: application to the vegetative filter strip model VFSMOD-W.*
35. **2007. Stuart Muller** (Ph.D. ABE). Alec Courtelis Award 2007, presented to just three international students from the entire university each year to honor their academic accomplishments and community service.
36. **2005. Stuart Muller** (Ph.D. ABE). Storch Scholarship of the American Water Resources Association (AWRA).
37. **2004. Stuart Muller** (Ph.D. ABE). Certificate of Merit UF International Center. For academic excellence.