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María Fernanda Lara Olivo has a Doctorate in Education Science and a degree in Education science, Chemical Engineering and Chemical Technology which she received from the Advanced Polytechnic School of Chimborazo in Ecuador.

From the beginning of her career, María Fernanda has worked in investigations with public and private entities, for example: in the “National Autonomous Institute for Agricultural Investigations”.

Currently, she is working for the Ministry of the Environment developing and implementing jobs to contribute to the strengthening of Investigation Management, coordinating with national entities in order to establish the National Strategic Lines of Environmental Investigation.

She considers the incursion and interaction between science and politics for the development of the country and the planet to be very important, since the feedback from these investigations generates policies, strategies, and improves the well-being of the population.