

“FAMILY FARMING AND FOOD SECURITY: A PROPOSAL FOR COLLABORATION”

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◦ Researchers Pós PhD

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◦ Professors/Partners Researchers

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◦ Students taking their Master degree:

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◦ Students taking a PhD:

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ON GOING RESEARCH PROJECTS

- **Food security in rural areas: agroecological redesign of production in settlement areas and remaining quilombos**

Responsible: Julieta Teresa Aier de Oliveira

Objective: To generate knowledge and to propose the technological redesign of agroecosystems compatible with the principles of agroecology and of social technologies, with an aim at food security and nutrition of the rural population resettled by agrarian reform and “quilombola” communities. This project encompasses extension work with the proposition of concrete actions of intervention.

Financial support: CNPq (Process 559493/2010)

Started: 2010

ON GOING RESEARCH PROJECTS

- **Feeding knowledge: from the field to the school for a sustainable future**

Responsible: Ricardo Serra Borsatto

Objective: to contribute for the promotion of Agroecology in its different dimensions (social, environmental, cultural and ethics) among settlement areas through the productions and agro industrialization of agroecological products to attend the public politics Pnae (Programa Nacional de Alimentação Escolar) and PAA (Programa de Aquisição de Alimentos).

Financial support: CNPq - Edital 58/2010

Started: 2010

ON GOING RESEARCH PROJECTS

○ The impact of agricultural policies in the counties Circuit Fruit-SP

Responsible: Sonia Maria Pessoa Pereira Bergamasco

Researcher Pós PhD: Vanilde Ferreira de Souza Esquerdo

Objective: to analyse the impact of Pronaf (Programa de Fortalecimento da Agricultura Familiar), PAA and Pnae in the economy of municipalities within the so called Fruit Circuit of São Paulo. One hopes to demonstrate that public politics focused on family farming are a factor of promotion of this sector of agriculture and can minimize social inequalities in the region.

Financial support: Fapesp – bolsa pós-doutoramento.

Started: 2010

ON GOING RESEARCH PROJECTS

- **Beyond the primary effects of public politics: the autonomy of family farmers**

Responsible: Vanilde Ferreira de Souza Esquerdo

Objective: to analyse the role of public politics in the promotion of autonomy among family farmers in São Paulo state through their social, economic and political organization.

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Started: 2013

ON GOING RESEARCH PROJECTS

- **Evaluation and monitoring of social and environmental transformations of rural settlement areas located in the Southwest Region of São Paulo state**

Responsible: Ricardo Serra Borsato

Objective: to evaluate and monitor the social and environmental transformations of rural settlement areas located in the Southwest Region of São Paulo state.

Financial support: Chamada Universal – MCTI/CNPq
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Started: 2013

ON GOING RESEARCH PROJECTS

- The “Programa de Aquisição de Alimentos (PAA)” and the “Programa Nacional de Alimentação Escolar (PNAE)” in agrarian reform settlement areas. Advances and shortcomings

Responsible: Regina Aparecida Leite de Camargo

Objective: To analyse the efficiency of PAA and PNAE to promote food security among farmers in settlement areas and among the urban groups that participate in receiving end these programs

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PROPOSAL FOR COOPERATION: THEMES OF INTEREST FOR JOINT RESEARCH PROJECTS

1. Food security in family agriculture, settlement areas, “quilombola” communities and other traditional groups in rural areas.

- ✓ Analyses relating food security with other elements such as: systems of agricultural production, eating habits, technological archetypes, demography (income, scholarship, ethnics and gender).

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2. Public politics for the promotion of family farming. In the case of Brazil: Pronaf, PAA, Pnae, PNATER and other federal and state programs.

- ✓ To study the social, economic and political impact of these governmental actions for the farming groups mentioned above and their organizations, as well as for the local public sector.
- ✓ To evaluate the social cohesion of networks formed to operate these Programs.
- ✓ Spatial analyses are looked for.

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3. Some of the joint researches can have a territory base, in the large sense of this concept, in Brazil and the USA.

- ✓ Comparative studies with short stays in the receiving country could be a possibility.

PROPOSAL FOR COOPERATION: INTERCHANGES AND PUBLICATION

4. Professional interchanges

Pós PhD and PhD sandwich (a short stay during the PhD)

5. Joint elaboration of articles for publication