

CURRICULUM VITAE



Name: DUVAL Jean-Louis, René, Philippe
Date of birth: 13 September 1951
Nationality: French
Civil status: Married, 4 children
Degree: Agronomist
Institut National Agronomique Paris Grignon 72
Languages: French / English.
Computing skills: Microsoft Office.

Membership of professional bodies:

- International Seed Federation (world association of the seed industry comprising of more than 60 countries): President from 1996 to 1998, honorary life-member.
- OLEOSEM (French Seed Association for Oil Crops): President from 1992 to 1999, Vice-president from 1999 to 2001.
- Seproma (Association of Seed Companies for Corn): Administrator of Seproma from 1993 to 2001
- Member of CTPS cereals, oilseeds (organization managing the registration of the varieties of the French Catalogue) from 1986 to 2002
- Member of the GNIS (Inter-professional National Association) from 1980 to 2002 (Section cereals, oilseeds, and fodder seed)
- Arbitrator of the Arbitration Chamber of Paris since 1983.
- Member of the board of CNEIS – Compagnie des Experts Semenciers.
- Member of the “Accreditation director committee” of the French seed control certification body.

Present position:

Owner and CEO of JLDuval Consulting Company created in July 2001, consulting governmental agencies and other companies in agriculture development, seed policy, breeder’s rights, seed law, seed investment, external growth, merger and acquisitions.

Key qualifications:

Numerous experiences in Eastern and CIS countries, especially by analyzing and providing recommendations according to international regulation related to National Seed Policy and Seed Legislation for different countries: Turkey (proposed and adopted), Algeria and four other countries at different stage (see details below)

Advisor to the Food and Seed Industry for Research, Production and marketing Development.

Development of soil and topography information through data collection, data processing, interpretation, map product creation.

Precision viticulture and agriculture, Environmental Monitoring with SpecTerra. Specterra is Australia's leading provider of airborne remote sensing imagery for vegetation mapping and monitoring projects, specialized in the acquisition, processing and analysis of high quality, high resolution Digital Multi-Spectral Imagery.

Project for FAO - WB - EU - MAE - Scanagri - Sida

Management of team and task

Good knowledge of whole aspect of agriculture

IT program management

Specific experience

Afghanistan May 2008 & October 2008

FAO Project: establishment of national and regional seed association.

Post Title Seed Association Expert

Duty Station Kabul, Afghanistan, with frequent travel to provinces

Duration 2 months

Senegal Ongoing activity since 10 years

Development of a winter nursery activity for European breeders mainly in sunflower and corn

Optimization of breeding programs, fast production for official trials in EU

Implementation of isolated production plots with villages

Support the ministry of agriculture in the process of OECD schemes adhesion

Turkey July 2008 & February 2009

Expert Seed Association / Workshop facilitator for FAO / ICARDA / ECO

Strengthening seed supply in the ECO region – Establishment of the ECO Regional Seed Association.

Kyrgyzstan Many periods from May 2003 to Sep 2007

SIDA Seed Industry Development; strengthening institutional and regulatory structures and services in the seed sector through a process of capacity enhancement, rationalization and restructuring, including law amendments, setting up international contacts and establishing a free seed market

Armenia Oct 2004 / Feb 05

WB – FAO: seed sector analysis, re-defining roles in the sector and proposing institutional change, adaptation of the seed sector to international organizations and regulations, suggestions for improved regulation and legislation.

Tajikistan May 2004 / Sep 2007

SIDA Seed Industry Development; strengthening institutional and regulatory structures and services in the seed sector, adapting regulations to international standards, establishing a National Seed Association

IRAN **April 2003**

Ministry of Agriculture: organization of training courses on Colza/Canola development.

Uzbekistan **December 2002**

GNIS Analysis of the market for the French seed industry

Turkey **July 2002, October 2002**

MAE - Harmonization of the Turkish Law with EU laws, establishment of a Seed Master Plan

Romania **Many periods from 1994/2000**

For Verneuil Semences: establishment of company, variety registration, production of seeds (field crops) and marketing

Professional experience:

Date: 1/8/02 up to now

Location 15 rue de Dagny 77240 Cesson - France

Company JLDuval Consulting Sarl

Position Owner and Manager of the company

Partners:

- AgriCapital Corporation
- JPL Consulting
- SJH and co.

Main customers:

- FAO, World Bank, Niras
- International and National Seed Companies
 - o Florimond Desprez, Dow AgroSciences, RAGT, GAE, Groupe SCAEL, Jouffray Drillaud, Semences du Pont Roy, Soltis, Limagrain, SW Seed.
- Plant Health Care Plc and crop protection global companies.
- John Deere Agri Services.

Support to Governmental agencies for Agriculture.

Seed Policy – Harmonization of laws (CIS countries and North Africa)

Date: 1/10/01 – 10/7/02

Location France CHAPPES Puy de Dôme 63

Company LIMAGRAIN AGRO INDUSTRIE

Position Project Director

Merger of Nickerson and Verneuil - Negotiation of assets disposal - Establishment of the new European seed association ESA, Board member, President of the "Legal & Regulatory Affairs" committee

Date: 1/10/83 – 1/10/01

Location France VERNEUIL Seine & Marne 77

Company VERNEUIL SEMENCES SA – Research (field crops and forage seed) production and marketing – France – Spain – Italy – Romania

Position CEO

Active management of a Union of co-operative

Date: 16/6/80 – 30/9/83

Location France ANNEULLIN 59

Company CLAEYS-LUCK SA

Position Commercial Director

Sales development, trading team management, marketing development, establishment of the program of production, computerization of the whole activity

Date: 1/12/75 – 15/6/80

Location France Paris 75

Company INVIVO (French Union of co-operative)

Position Negotiator seed department (field crop), Development Director.

Sales development - Creation of the management tools

Establishment of the department export of seeds towards North Africa and other countries