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Ana María Bomben graduated in Biochemistry and Pharmaceutical Sciences at the University of Buenos Aires, Argentina, and holds a postgraduate degree in Radiation Protection and Nuclear Safety.

She began her career at the Atomic Energy National Commission of Argentina as researcher on biochemical damage by ionizing radiation, citogenetic evaluations and biological dosimetry and was subsequently appointed responsible for radiological evaluation of working places and environmental assessment of natural



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Ms. Bomben has published papers on radiation protection issues at scientific journals; she reviews papers for journal publications and congresses and is responsible for the translation into Spanish of international radiation protection publications.

Ms. Bomben was actively engaged, as general coordinator, in the organization of the IRPA 12 International Congress that was held in Buenos Aires in 2008 and she was the President of the X Latin American IRPA Regional Congress that was held in Buenos Aires in 2015. Currently she is the President of the Argentine Radiation Protection Society (SAR) and is serving as member of the EC of the Latin American and Caribbean Federation of Radiation Protection Associations (FRALC). She has been an Argentine delegate to the IRPA International Congresses, since IRPA 9.

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