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**Cotton Value Chain:
“Local Innovations for Global Prosperity”**



Mr Ronald Quispe

Ronald Quispe is an agricultural engineer who has been affiliated with FAO Bolivia as National Project Coordinator since 2013. Since 2017, he has served as the National Coordinator of the +Algodón Bolivia Project. In this role, he has worked closely with the authorities of the Plurinational State of Bolivia to generate public policies that promote the sustainable development of the cotton sector. These policies led to the implementation of the National Program for Cotton Production in Bolivia 2021-2025. Currently, within the framework of this program, Quispe promotes the adoption of sustainable agricultural practices, the strengthening of technical capacities, and the inclusion of actors in family agriculture and indigenous peoples with a gender and generational approach.