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Xavier Querol research focuses mainly on environmental geochemistry, mostly on air quality. He has participated in and/or directed several projects funded by the EC, Spanish Ministries of Education and Science, Environment and several regional governments and companies. Co-author of around 300 scientific articles on environmental sciences. Active researcher in the assessment and remediation Aznalcollar mining accident, in the environmental and health assessments of industrial areas of Huelva and Gibraltar (required by the Spanish and Andalusian Parliament) and the design of air quality plans of the ceramic industrial estate of Castelló and L'Alacantí. Also assessing the Ministry of the Environment on the National Air Quality Program, and the Generalitat de Catalonia on the Metropolitan Barcelona's Air Quality Plan. He has served on the advisory committee of the Clean Air for Europe program (CAFE) of DG Environment of the EC, UN-ECE and WHO, as a member of various groups of experts to assess the air quality directives. Vice-Chairman of the Scientific Bureau of EMEP (UNECE) for the transboundary air pollution. Environment Award of Catalonia 2009.

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