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OSCAR DOMINGO

Oscar Domingo was born in Buenos Aires -Argentina in October 22 of 1939. He is married with three children and three grand-daughters.

Graduated as Agronomical Engineer in the University of Buenos Aires in 1966 and as Magister Scientiae in the Graduate School in Agricultural Sciences of Argentina in 1971.

He is in seed business since four years before graduation, beginning his professional career in 1962 in a family-owned seed company. Then he worked five years in Dekalb Argentina S A (Argentine subsidiary of Dekalb Co USA , now Monsanto) in the hybrid wheat breeding program. He moved to Northrup King Semillas S A -Argentine subsidiary of Northrup king Co USA, Sandoz, now Syngenta) as Seed Research Director from 1972 to 1988 and Manager of the Marketing Division from 1988 to 1990.

In the last ten years he is one of the Shareholders and Member of the Board of Relmo S A, an Argentina (family-owned) seed company , involved in soybean, wheat and corn seed business.

Mr. Domingo was member of the first Technical Committee of the National Seed Commission in 1979. Now is Chairman of the Technical Forage Crops Committee, and Vice Chairman of the Corn and Sorghum Technical Committee.

From 1967 to 1973 he was Professor of Forage Crops at the Agronomy Faculty of the University of Buenos Aires.

From 1995 to 1999 he was Member of the Board of the Argentine Seed Association and from 1999 to April 2003 he was elected President of such institution.
He is an active golf player.

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