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Country: Spain
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Studies

Master in Pharmaceutical Science Sept 1997-Sept 2004
University of Valencia

DEA (Diploma de estudios avanzados): Sept 2005-Dic 2007
University Cardenal Herrera-Ceu, Valencia

PhD: Sept 2005-present day
University Cardenal Herrera-Ceu, Valencia
Lund University (Sweden)
University de Tübingen (Alemania)

Skills

Languages: Spanish: native language
English: high level
German: basic level

Computer: Microsoft Word, Excel, PowerPoint, Outlook
Photoshop, CorelDraw, Pagemaker
Other software: Axiovision, Graphpad Prism, Reference Manager

Work experience

Division of Experimental Ophthalmology (DEO), Univ. Tübingen, Germany Oct 2008-present day
Neurotrain european fellowship (Marie Curie Actions) April 2008-present day
Pre-doctoral researcher

Dept of Ophthalmology, Lund Univ. Sweden August 2006- October 2007
Pre-doctoral researcher

Fundación Oftalmológica del Mediterráneo (FOM), Valencia, Spain April 2006-April 2008
Pre-doctoral researcher

Instituto de Drogas y Conductas Adictivas (IDYCA) Dic 2005- August 2006
Instituto Cavanilles, Univ. Valencia
Pre-doctoral researcher

International conferences

- 1st "Congreso nacional Sociedad de consumo ¿de Drogas?" (IDYCA, Instituto de Drogas y Conductas Adictivas). Valencia, November 3rd-5th, 2005.
- Prof. Santiago Grisolia Magistral Courses, Valencia, May 2nd-4th, 2006.
- 1st congress "Young researchers workshop on vision and neurodegeneration", Potsdam (Germany), March 29th-30th, 2007. Lecture: **"Role of Inflammation in Photoreceptor Cell Degeneration"**.
- "Pro retina 2007: Retinal degeneration: genes, progression, therapy", Potsdam (Germany), March 30th-31st, 2007. Poster presentation: **"Expression of Sialoadhesin following engraftment of retinal tissue to rd1 mice"**.
- "ARVO 2007: the aging eye", Fort Lauderdale (Florida, USA), May 6th-7th, 2007. Poster presentation: **"Early occurrence of Sialoadhesin-expressing cells in the rd1 mouse retina"**. Poster (as 2nd author): **"Induction of Metallothionein I/II accompanies photoreceptor degeneration"**.
- "Pro retina 2008: Retinal Degeneration: Cones in Focus", Potsdam (Germany), March 28th-29th, 2008. Poster presentation: **"Calpain Inhibitors a a treatment for Retinal Degeneration in a retinitis Pigmentosa model, de rd1 mouse"**.
- 2nd "International Conference on Ocular Cell Biology" (ISOCB Meeting 2008), San Diego (California, USA), September 2nd-5th. 2008. Poster presentation: **"Role of HDACs in Retinal Degeneration"**.

Publications

Sancho-Pelluz J, Wunderlich K, Rauch U, Romero FJ, van Veen T, Limb GA, Crocker P, Perez MT. **"Sialoadhesin expression in intact degenerating retinas and following transplantation"** Invest Ophthalmol Vis Sci, 2008 Jul 18. [Epub ahead of print]

Sancho-Pelluz J, Arango-Gonzalez B, Kustermann S, Romero FJ, van Veen T, Zrenner E, Ekström P, Paquet-Durand F. **"Photoreceptor cell death mechanisms in inherited retinal degeneration"** Molecular Neurobiology 2008; accepted, in press.