

Curriculum Vitae Dr. Alvaro Urbano Ispizua

Personal information

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Current workstation

Director, Clinical Institute of Hematologic and Oncological Diseases. Hospital Clínico de Barcelona.

Professor of Medicine, Department of Medicine, Faculty of Medicine. University of Barcelona

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Academic training

Bachelor of Medicine and Surgery in 1982

Number 47 in the MIR 1982 call

Specialist in Hematology 1987, Hematology Service. Hospital Clinic Barcelona

Doctor of Medicine (Extraordinary Prize). University of Barcelona, 1989

Assistance Charges

Head of Service. Hematology Service Exclusive dedication. University Hospital Virgen del Rocío Sevilla (June 2007 - February 2010)

Head of Service. Senior consultant. Hematology Service. Hospital Clínico de Barcelona (March 2010 - November 2011)

Director Clinical Institute of Hematologic and Oncological Diseases. Hospital Clínico de Barcelona (March 2010 - present)

Teaching positions

Professor of Medicine, University of Sevilla (2008 to February 2010)

Full Professor of Medicine, University of Barcelona (2011-present)

Accreditation for Professor (AQU, ANECA), 2011

Coordinator subject Hematology Degree of Medicine. University of Barcelona

Coordinator 4th year of Medical Degree. University of Barcelona

Stays in research centers abroad exceeding three months

"Institute of Cancer Research", University of London. July 1989-July 1990

Leadership in international research, innovation or development groups

Secretary General of the European Bone Marrow Transplant (EBMT) from 1997 to 2004

President of the European Plan of accreditation of centers of excellence in bone marrow transplantation (JACIE) from 2.002 until 2.006

Lines of investigation

Its main lines of clinical research are: Assessment of new indications for hemopoietic progenitor transplantation (TPH); Assessment of new parents' sources (high complexity hemopoietic progenitor transplantation); Assessment of new transplantation modalities; Studies aimed at the prevention and treatment of the main complications of the TPH.

Regarding the lines of basic and translational research, his main areas of interest are: Study of complications following TPH caused by endothelial dysfunction. Study of the immune reconstitution after the TPH. Study of the impact of gene polymorphisms on complications and results of TPH. Study of new techniques aimed at the early diagnosis of TPH infections. Development of CARTs (chimeric antigen T receptor) by autologous T cells and NK cells expanded from umbilical cord blood.

He has published more than 200 publications in national and international journals, with an impact factor of 676 and a Hirsh index of 35.

Other merits

Vice President of the Spanish Association of Hematology and Hemotherapy (AEHH)

Member of: AEHH, Spanish Hemopoietic Transplantation Group, EBMT, European Society of Hematology, American Society of Hematology and European Hematology Association

Member of the Editorial Committee of Clinical Medicine, Experimental Hematology, Bone Marrow Transplantation and Haematologica. Member of the Review Board of the Educational Group of the European Hematology Association.

Reviewer of articles in journals: Haematologica, Bone Marrow Transplantation, Leukemia, Hematology Journal and Blood.

Evaluator of scholarships for the CICYT, ANEPA, FISS and Italian Cancer Society.

Advisor to the European Commission for quality plans in hematopoietic transplantation.

Collaborator as "Assistant to the area of Clinical Medicine of the Program of Promotion of Biomedical Research and in Health Sciences of the Institute of Health Carlos III (2010) National Agency of Evaluation and Prospective (ANEP) Ministry of Science and Innovation.

Head of the research team: Transplantation of Hemopoietic Progenitors of Area 5 - Oncology and Hematology of IDIBAPS 2011.

Coordinator Campus Clínic-UB, Josep Carreras Research Institute.

Expert of the Spanish Agency of Medicines and Sanitary Products (AMPS). Ministry of Health, Social Services and Equality, 2011.

President of the "Hemopoietic Progenitors Transplant Advisory Committee", Catalan Health Service (January 2013).

Scientific Organizer European Bone Marrow Transplantation Congress, Valencia 2016.