# **CAROLINA LLIBERÓS REQUESENS**

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EDI	JCA	TIC	N

May 2017 – present	<b>PhD student in Medicine, Nursing and Health Sciences</b> (Monash University)
2013 - 2014	<b>Molecular Biotechnology Master</b> . Universitat de Barcelona (Barcelona, Spain). Average score: 9/10
2009 - 2013	<b>Biotechnology B.S.</b> Universitat Rovira i Virgili (Tarragona, Spain). Average score: 8.13/10

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

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December 2017 - present	<b>Monash University</b> (Clayton, Australia). PhD student. Ovarian biology lab (PI: Dr. Karla Hutt). Project: <u>Understanding the impact of inflammatory processes on ovarian ageing and fertility.</u>
May 2016 – April 2017	Rovira i Virgili University, URV (Tarragona, Spain). Nutrigenomics research group (PI: Dr. Cinta Bladé). Postgraduate internship developing the project: Differential effect of GSPE intake on rat muscle energy metabolism applying circadian rhythms.
Nov. 2015 – April 2016	<b>German Cancer Research Center, DKFZ</b> (Heidelberg, Germany). Postgraduate internship at Translational Immunology Division (PI: Dr. Angel Cid). Tumour therapy using ScFv-targeted liposomal drug delivery: Development and <i>in vitro</i> validation.
Sep. 2013 – July 2014	<b>Universidad de Barcelona</b> (School of Pharmacy, Barcelona, Spain). Master thesis student at Cancer therapy group (PI: Dr. Verònica Noé). <u>Gene therapy using PPRH-liposome complexes targeting mTOR pathway in cancer cells.</u>
2013 (April - June)	Pere Virgili Institute, IISPV (Reus, Spain). Undergraduate student at Psychiatry research group (PI: Dr. Elisabet Vilella). Genotyping and OPCML gene expression studies in human brain samples.DDR1-targeted nanoparticles in human oligodendroglial cells.
2012 (June - August)	<b>Biomedical Institute of Valencia, CSIC</b> (Valencia, Spain). Summer Undergraduate student at Molecular Genetics Unit (PI: Dr. Jordi Pérez Tur). SNP genotyping analysis of Parkinson's disease samples.

## SYMPOSIA, CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS

2018 (19-22 August)	2018 Annual Scientific Meeting of the Society for Reproductive Biology (SRB). Finalist of Early Career Researcher Poster Award. Lightening talk. Adelaide, Australia
2018 (12-13 June)	Monash BDI Graduate Student Symposium (Assistant). Clayton, Australia
2016 (26 February)	Pre-clinical models for Immuno-oncology research Workshop (Assistant). The Jackson Laboratory. Heidelberg, Germany
2014 (10-11 June)	XXI Molecular Biology Symposium. Catalan Society of Biology (Assistant). Barcelona, Spain
2014 (17-18 May)	V biotechnologists of Catalonia Symposium (Assistant). Barcelona, Spain
2013 (23 June)	IV biotechnologists of Catalonia Symposium (Organization). Tarragona, Spain

2012 (18 - 20 June)	VI Biotechnology Spanish Federation Congress (Assistant). Madrid, Spain
2011 (6-8 July)	V Biotechnology Interuniversity Congress (Organization). Tarragona

#### **ARTICLES**

- 1. Rodríguez, L., Villalobos, X., Solé, A., Lliberós, C., Ciudad, C. J., & Noé, V. Improved design of PPRHs for gene silencing. *Mol. Pharmaceutics*, 2015.
- 2. Villalobos, X., Rodríguez, L., Solé, A., Lliberós, C., Mencia, N., Ciudad, C. J., & Noé, V. Effect of PPRHs on Relevant Cancer Target Genes in Different Human Cell Lines. *Nucleic Acid Ther.*, 2015.

#### **EXPERIMENTAL TECHNIQUES**

- Molecular Biology Techniques: PCR, RT-qPCR and Western blot
- · Immunofluorescence, immunohistochemistry
- · Basic microbiological techniques
- Polymorphism genotyping by: SNP, RFLP, ARMs, High-resolution melting and TaqMan®
- In vitro: Cell Culture techniques; In vivo: Rat, Zebrafish and Mouse management
- Extraction of biological material (DNA, RNA, protein)
- Flow cytometry
- · CHIP-Seq, RIP-Seq
- CRISPR-Cas9 approach (in vivo and in vitro)
- Stainings: PicroSirius Red, Masson's Trichrome, TUNEL assay
- Stereology (ovarian follicles number)

### **GRANTS**

August 2018	<b>SRB Student Travel Grant 2018</b> awarded by SRB to attend SRB conference 2018
May 2017 – present	<b>Biomedicine Discovery Scholarship</b> awarded by School of Biomedical Sciences (Monash University)
May 2016 – April 2017	Martí-Franqués Research grant awarded by Rovira i Virgili University
Nov. 2015 – May 2016	<b>Argo mobility program grant</b> funded by the Spanish Ministry of Education, Culture and Sport. Translational Immunology Division at DKFZ (Heidelberg)
Sep. 2013 – Jun. 2014	<b>Department collaboration grant</b> awarded by the Spanish Ministry of Education, Culture and Sport. Biochemistry and Molecular Biology Department (School of Pharmacy, UB)

### LANGUAGE SKILLS

LANGUAGE SKILLS	
English	IELTS test. Overall Band Score: 6.5 (Date: 22.10.2016)
German	Basic knowledge
Spanish and Catalan	Native level
COMPUTER SKILLS	

Statistical programs: SPSS, GraphPad Prism

Online Server for Metabolomic Data Analysis (MetaboAnalyst)

## **COURSES**

February-March 2017 Biostatistics Course: XLSTAT

April 2016 FACS Course: Introduction into Flow Cytometry. DKFZ

March 2014 Experimental Animal Use Training. Universidad de Barcelona

March 2014 Occupational Risk Prevention. Formación sin barreras. 90 hours