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CURRENT POSITION

2013 to present **Principal Investigator, Group of Congenital Eye Disorders**
Researcher Miguel Servet, Spanish National Health Institute (from 2013)

Molecular study of several congenital ocular malformations through high-throughput genomic strategies, such as aCGH and Next-generation sequencing (NGS).

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND

December 2006 **PhD in Biomedicine** (Cum laude Distinction)
Genomic and Proteomic approximation to Polycystic Ovary Syndrome: Search of alterations in adipose omental tissue.
Supervisor: Dr. Belén Peral
Faculty of Medicine, University Autonoma of Madrid

Sept 2003 **Master in Applied Statistical Methods**
UNED University, Spain (Open University)

July 2000 **MSc in Biotechnology.** University Complutense of Madrid
Second year spent at University Paul Sabatier, Toulouse (France), supported by an Erasmus European grant.

July 1997 **BSc in Biology.** University Complutense of Madrid.

PREVIOUS POSITIONS

Feb 2010- Feb 2013 **Senior Postdoctoral Researcher**
Centre for Biomedical Research on Rare Diseases (CIBERER).
Genetics and Genomics Department, IIS-FJD, Madrid, Spain

Molecular study of retinal dystrophies (RD). Searching of novel mutations and loci/genes involved in RD through high-throughput genomic strategies, such as whole genome SNP arrays, aCGH and Next-generation sequencing (NGS).

2007- Jan 2010

Junior Postdoctoral Researcher

Spanish Centre for Biomedical Research on Rare Diseases (CIBERER).
Genomics Medicine Group
University of Santiago de Compostela-Galician Foundation of Genomics
Centro Hospitalario Universitario de Santiago.

Molecular analysis of Mendelian and complex ophthalmic diseases, including Retinitis pigmentosa (RP), age-related macular degeneration (ADM) and open-angle glaucoma. Searching of novel mutations and loci/genes involved in RP using high-throughput genotyping strategies, such as whole-genome SNP arrays, and Next-generation sequencing (NGS). Identification of novel risk alleles to AMD using Genome-wide association studies (GWAS).

2006

Research Assistant at Tumor Markers Group.
Spanish National Cancer Research Centre (CNIO), Madrid, Spain

Sept 2001 - Dec 2005

PhD student.

"Alberto Sols" - Biomedical Research Institute (IIB)
Spanish National Research Council, CSIC), Madrid

Sept 1999 - Sept 2000

Pre-graduate student

Department of Genetics, Faculty of Biology
University Complutense of Madrid.

1999

Pre-graduate student

Plant Biotechnology Institute
French National Research Council, CNRS. Toulouse, France.

GRANT FUNDING AS PRINCIPAL INVESTIGATOR

"Genetic characterization of aniridia in Spain through genomic and experimental studies".

Grant funded by Spanish Federation of Rare Diseases. 2018 (1 year).

"Genetic diagnosis and possible treatment of albinism".

Intramural Grant from the Spanish Centre for Biomedical Research on Rare Diseases (CIBERER). 2018-2019.

"Clinical, genomic and experimental studies for the characterization of the molecular bases of aniridia and microphthalmia".

Grant from the Spanish National Institute of Health (ISCIII) (PI17/01164)
2018- 2020

"Genetic diagnosis and possible treatment of albinism".

Intramural Grant from the Spanish Centre for Biomedical Research on Rare Diseases (CIBERER-ISCIII).
Nov. 2015-Nov. 2016.

"Molecular study of Aniridia and other congenital eye malformations: Searching of new genetic mechanisms by massive sequencing".

Grant from the Spanish Ministry of Economy and Competitiveness (MINECO, SAF2013-46943-R).
2015-2017.

"Application of new techniques of massive sequencing to the genetic study of Aniridia and related anterior segment dysgenesis."

Grant from Mutua Madrileña Foundation.
July 2014 - July 2017.

"Towards a better understanding of the genetic basis of congenital ocular malformations using high-throughput genomic technologies".

Miguel Servet program to incorporate researchers into the Spanish National Health System (ISCIII - CP12/03256)

Participation as associated Investigator in additional 26 funded projects (Spanish and European grants) from 2002 to current.

SUPERVISION OF DOCTORAL / GRADUATE THESIS

- Maria Tarilonte, PhD candidate. Granted by Fundación Conchita Rábago. From 2016-
- M^a Inmaculada Martin, PhD. Universidad Autónoma de Madrid. 2018. Cum laude distinction.
- Patricia Fernandez San Jose, PhD. Universidad Autónoma de Madrid. 2017. Cum laude distinction.
- Sorina Daniela Tatu, PhD. Universidad Autónoma de Madrid. 2016. Cum laude distinction
- Marcos Elizalde. Faculty of Biology. Universidad Autónoma de Madrid. 2015

PUBLICATION LIST

1. N Ragge, B Isidor, P Bitoun, S Odent, I Giurgea, B Cogné, W Deb, M Vincent, J Le Gall, J Morton, D Lim, DDD study, G Le Meur, C Zazo Seco, D Zafeiropoulou, P Zwijnenburg, A Arteche, ST Swafiri, W Newman, C Ayuso, **M Corton**, P Calvas, N Chassaing. Expanding the Phenotype of the X-linked BCOR Microphthalmia syndromes. Hum Genet. 2018 Jul 4.
2. R Pérez-Carro, F Blanco-Kelly, L Galbis-Martínez, G García-García, E Aller, B García-Sandoval, P Mínguez, **M Corton**, I Mahillo, I Martín-Mérida, A Avila-Fernández, JM. Millán, C Ayuso. Unravelling the pathogenic role and genotype-phenotype correlation of the USH2A p.(Cys759Phe) variant among Spanish families. PLoS One. 2018 Jun 18;13(6)
3. I Martin-Merida, D Aguilera-García, P Fernandez-San Jose, F Blanco-Kelly, O Zurita, B Almoguera, B Garcia-Sandoval, A Avila-Fernandez, A Arteche, M Carballo, **M Corton***, C Ayuso*. Mutational spectrum in a Spanish cohort of 253 adRP families. * Equal contribution. Toward the Mutational Landscape of Autosomal Dominant Retinitis Pigmentosa: A Comprehensive Analysis of 258 Spanish Families. Invest Ophthalmol Vis Sci. 2018 May 1;59(6):2345-2354.
4. I Sanchez-Navarro*, LR Jacy da Silva*, O Zurita, N Sanchez-Bolivar, F Blanco-Kelly, MI Lopez-Molina, B Garcia-Sandoval, ST Swafiri, P Mínguez, R Riveiro-Alvarez, I Lorda, R Sanchez-Alcudia, R Perez-Carro, D Valverde, A Avila-Fernandez, **M Corton***, C Ayuso*. * Equal contribution. Molecular diagnosis of retinal syndromes and associated ciliopathies: A targeted bases resequencing combined by copy-number variation analysis. Sci Rep. 2018 Mar 27;8(1):5285
5. F. Ceroni, DA. Bax, D. Aguilera-Garcia, R. Holt, J. Bruty, MJ. Ballesta, MJ. Sanchez-Soler, Y. Wallis, D.

- McMullan, M. Griffiths, F. Blanco-Kelly, P. Ramos, A. Stewart, J. Hoffman, D. Bunyan, K. Lachlan, A. Fryer, V. McKay, A. Saggarr, P. Calvas, N. Chassaing, DDD Study, C. Ayuso, **M. Corton***, N. Ragge*. Novel variants in GJA8: expanding the phenotypic spectrum to include microphthalmia and coloboma. *Equal contribution. *Hum Genet.* 2018 Feb 20.
6. C Zazo Seco, J Plaisancié, T Lupasco, C Michot, J Pechmeja, J Delanne, E Cottureau, C Ayuso, **M Corton**, P Calvas, N Ragge, N Chassaing. Expanding the phenotype associated with novel and known mutations in PITX3. *Ophthalmic Genet.* 2018 Feb 6:1-7.
 7. - A Bolinches-Amorós, D Lukovic, A Artero Castro, M León Rodríguez, K Kamenarova, R Kaneva, P Jendelova, F Blanco-Kelly, C Ayuso, **M Cortón**, S Erceg. Generation of a human iPSC line from a patient with congenital glaucoma caused by mutation in CYP1B1 gene. *Stem Cell Research.* <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.scr.2018.01.004>.
 8. - F Zurita-Díaz, T Galera-Monge, A Moreno-Izquierdo, **M Cortón**, C Ayuso, R Garesse, ME Gallardo. Establishment of a human DOA 'plus' iPSC line, IISHDOi003-A, with the mutation in the OPA1 gene: c.1635C>A; p.Ser545Arg. *Stem Cell Research.* doi: 10.1016/j.scr.2017.08.017
 9. - JJ Ferre-Fernández, JD Aroca-Aguilar, C Medina-Trillo, JM Bonet-Fernández, CD Méndez-Hernández, L Morales-Fernández, **M Corton**, MJ Cabañero-Valera, M Gut, R Tonda, C Ayuso, M Coca-Prados, J García-Feijoo, J Escribano. Whole-exome sequencing of congenital glaucoma patients reveals hypermorphic variants in GPATCH3, a new gene involved in ocular and craniofacial development. *Sci Rep.* 2017 Apr 11;7:46175.
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 12. - Inmaculada Martin-Merida, Rocio Sanchez-Alcudia, Patricia Fernandez-San Jose, Fiona Blanco-Kelly, Raquel Perez-Carro, Luciana Rodriguez J. da Silva, Berta Almoguera, Blanca Garcia-Sandoval, Maria Isabel Lopez-Molina, Almudena Avila-Fernandez, Miguel Carballo, **Marta Corton***, Carmen Ayuso*. Analysis of the PRPF31 gene in Spanish autosomal dominant Retinitis Pigmentosa patients: a novel genomic rearrangement. *Invest Ophthalmol Vis Sci.* 2017 Feb 1;58(2):1045-1053. * Equally contributors.
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- M Corton**, R Perez-Carro, A Avila-Fernandez, C Rivolta, I Lorda, MJ Trujillo-Tiebas, B Garcia-Sandoval, MI Lopez-Molina, F Blanco-Kelly, R Riveiro-Alvarez, C Ayuso. A comprehensive analysis of choroideremia: from genetic characterization to clinical practice. *PLoS One*. 2016 Apr 12;11(4).
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