

Graduated from the University of Barcelona Faculty of Medicine in 1982. He became a specialist in Obstetrics and Gynecology in Spain and obtained his doctoral degree in 1991. His main areas of interest are benign diseases including gynecologic surgery, endometriosis, pelvic floor pathology and genital transplantation. He performed the first single port hysterectomy in Spain and also the first uterine transplantations in Spain. He is member of the University of Barcelona's Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology as Full Professor from 2007, and has been the Chief of the Barcelona Hospital Clínic's Gynecology Service from 2006 to 2024. He is now the Director of the Uterine Transplantation Programme of the Hospital Clínic in Barcelona and the Director of the Endometriosis Unit of such hospital.

He has published more than 200 papers in journals with peer review and Impact Factor (IF) including also generalist journals as *N Engl J Med* and *Lancet*, his total IF is more than 800 being the mean IF per paper almost 5 (1st Gynecology's quartile) with 36 as h index. He has published more than 50 papers in journals without IF (12 in international journals). He has published more than 65 book's chapters (9 in international works) and 8 complete books. He is reviewer of almost 30 scientific journals including *Human Reproduction*, *Fertility and Sterility*, *Journal of Minimally Invasive Gynecology*, *American Journal of Obstetrics and Gynecology* and others. He is member of the Editorial Board of *Medicina Clínica* and *Journal of Endometriosis and Uterine Disorders*, and Editor in Chief of *Clínica e Investigación en Ginecología y Obstetricia*.

He is member of the Institut d'Investigacions Biomèdiques August Pi i Sunyer and Associated Investigator of the Grup de Recerca Consolidat «Endocrinología Ginecológica y Reproducción Humana», recognized by the Generalitat de Catalunya (Comissionat d'Universitats i Recerca).

He has been the Director of 11 Doctoral Thesis (one with European Mention); he has participated in 14 Competitive Investigation Projects (in 5 of them as Main Investigator (MI)) and in 16 Non-Competitive Investigation Projects (in all of them as MI). He has participated in more than 300 courses or congresses (more than 100 international) with outstanding participation in more of 100 of them (59 international); he has given more than 325 lectures (more than 125 in international events).

He is Académico Correspondiente by election of the Real Academia de Medicina de Cataluña. He is full member of different Scientific Societies, including Sociedad Española de Ginecología y Obstetricia (and its Endoscopia Ginecológica and Suelo Pélvico sections), Sociedad IberoAmericana de Endoscopia Ginecológica e Imagenología (SIAEGI), American Association of Gynecologic Laparoscopists (AAGL). He is Founder Member of the Society for Endometriosis and Uterine Disorders (SEUD) (he was the President of the 2nd Congress of this Society), the Society for Clinical Advanced Anatomy (SCAA) and the Sociedad Española para el Estudio de los Miomas y la Endometriosis (SEEME). He is ex-member of the Board Committee of the ESGE (he was the President of its 19th Congress), ex-member of the AAGL Board of Trustees (he was also the President of its 10th International Meeting), ex-member of the Executive Committee of the EEL and ex-member of the SIAEGI Executive Committee. He is member of the AAGL Advisory Committee, member of the SCAA Executive Committee and Immediate Past President of SEUD and Immediate Past President of SEEME. He is also WES Ambassadeur.



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