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PROFESSIONAL SITUATION

Research Fellow at Gerszten Lab

Institution: Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center/Harvard Medical School

Department: Medicine, Division of Cardiovascular Medicine

Address: 3 Blackfan Circle, CLS building, 917, Boston, MA, 02215

SKILLS

Bilingual in English and Spanish. Data handling in SPSS Statistics, STATA. User capabilities in REDCap.

WORK HISTORY

**2018:** Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center - Harvard University Research Fellow (Gerszten Lab) – Boston, Massachusetts, USA

**2016:** Spanish Red Cross Volunteer Medical Assistant – Tenerife, Canarias, Spain

**June 2013 – August 2013:** Au pair – Newport, Wales, UK

* Worked with parents to develop and implement discipline programs to promote positive behaviour.
* Promoted language development skills.
* Organized activities that enhanced children's physical, emotional and social well-being.

EDUCATION

**2018:** Principles and Practice of Clinical Research, Harvard T. Chan School of Public Health - Boston, MA, USA.

**May 2018**: USMLE STEP 2 CK

**June 2017:** USMLE STEP 1

**2010-2016:** M.D. DOCTOR OF MEDICINE, Universidad La Laguna - Tenerife, Spain

**2014-2015:** M.D. DOCTOR OF MEDICINE,Medical University of Silesia - Katowice, Poland

* Recipient of Erasmus + Program Scholarship 2014-2015
* Recipient of Government of Canary Islands Scholarship for studies abroad

ACCOMPLISMENTS, RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

**Current projects**

At the Gerszten lab:

* Clinical evaluation of novel markers of myocardial ischemia
* Clinical evaluation of novel markers of myocardial injury
* Cardiovascular biobank
* Metabolomic and proteomic profiling of exercise-induced dyspnea

Clinical Research:

* Appropriate role of implantable defibrillators for the prevention of sudden cardiac death

**Publications**

**2018:** [EuroSurg Collaborative](https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pubmed/29897171) (Perez JL). Body mass index and complications following major gastrointestinal surgery: A prospective, international cohort study and meta-analysis. Colorectal Dis. 2018 Jun 13. doi: 10.1111/codi.14292.

**2015-2016:** Caballero Rodríguez, Eugenia; **Pérez Pérez, Jessica Liz**; Vallvè Bernal, Marc; González de Chávez Rodríguez, Pilar Elena; Goya Pacheco, Carmen Alicia; Jordán Balanzá, Julio César; Barrera Gómez, Manuel Ángel. [Determinación de la mutación braf v600e en citologías sospechosas y correlación con la anatomía patológica](http://www.elsevier.es/en-revista-cirugia-espanola-36-congresos-xxxi-congreso-nacional-cirugia-29-sesion-c-endocrina-cncer-tiroideo-2608-comunicacion-determinacin-de-la-mutacin-braf-27949). CIR ESP. 2016;94(Espec Congr):97

OTHER

* Green Card holder (permanent resident)
* Member of International Research Initiative
* Member of the Board of Directors of ECUSA (Spanish Scientists in USA)
* Member of MECUSA (Women in Science - ECUSA)
* Member of Spanish Red Cross