Election

2025 Elections - National Representative Spain

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Previous positions as ESICM officer

Туре	Country	Function	Section	From	То
Executive Comittee	Spain	NEXT committee chair	NEXT		
Other	Spain	Member	NEXT committee		

Specialisation

Speciality	Diploma	Year of qualification	Type speciality
Primary speciality	Intensive Care	2017	

Positions

Institution	Department	Function	From	То
Hospital General Universitario de Castellón	Intensive Care	Consultant		
Universitat Jaume I	Medicine	Associate professor		

Professional Bodies Appointments

Society	Status	From	to
SEMICYUC	Coordinadora SEMICYUC Joven		

Comments

I went to medical school at Universitat de Valencia from 2005 to 2011 and completed part of my medical studies in Lisbon. From May 2012 to May 2017, I completed my residency in intensive care medicine at Hospital General Universitario de Castellón, Spain. During that period, I spent several months at Hôpital Bicêtre, Paris doing research with Prof.

Teboul and Monnet.

Since May 2017, I'm a full-time consultant in intensive care medicine at Hospital General Universitario de Castellón, Spain. I'm also engaged in clinical research with focus on ultrasound training in critical care and neurocritical care.

Details on your candidature

I joined the NEXT committee and the CoBaTrICE committee as a trainee in 2015. During this period, I participated actively in LIVES and coordinated the Fellowships program. Since 2018, I served as Deputy Chair of the NEXT committee and member of the Research committee, and in 2022 I became the NEXT Chair. In this last mandate, I had the opportunity to be more involved in the Society and collaborate with the different Chairs and the rest of the members of the Executive committee for the development of many activities for the society.

In 2020, the idea of creating a youth committee within the Spanish society began to take shape. A group of us gathered in Madrid to discuss it, and the decision was made to bring it to life, giving birth to what is now known as SEMICYUC Joven. During that meeting, I was chosen as coordinator, thanks to my previous experience with ESICM. For a year and a half, I got to know this society much more closely. Later on, I continued as part of the Neurotrauma group and became involved with the REMOS project.

I have no doubt that my experience and motivation may contribute much to improve if possible the relation between both societies. My aims are:

- To continue fostering good communication between the societies.
- To promote mutual benefit in terms of education and research.
- To increase the participation of Spanish intensivists in the Society's projects and LIVES.
- To fulfil all my duties as a Council member.

I am deeply motivated to contribute with commitment, enthusiasm, and a collaborative spirit. My goal is not only to achieve these aims, but also to help build stronger connections, create new opportunities, and ensure that our community continues to grow.

Financial interests

Description

Honoraria from BD for a lecture in LX Congreso Anual de la Sociedad Española de Medicina Intensiva, Crítica y Unidades Coronarias (SEMICYUC).

Source

Academic interests

Description

Since early in my career, I devoted myself to research. I spent 3 months with Prof. Teboul and Monnet in Paris doing research and that was a really good starting point. Afterward I completed a master's degree in research methodology in health sciences at Universitat Autonoma de Barcelona, Barcelona, Spain.

In the last years, I have focused mainly on ultrasound training in intensive care with several publications including the ESICM consensus on core critical care ultrasound competencies published in 2020. I have also focused on the study of subarachnoid haemorrhage patients, I defended my PhD on cardiopulmonary complications associated to subarachnoid haemorrhage last June. And since 2022, I'm the principal investigator of the REMOS study from SEMICYUC.

Declare no conflict of interest

Yes

I hereby certify that I have read and understood the Statutes of ESICM.

Yes

I hereby certify that I have read and understood the job description for the position I am applying to.

Yes

I am able to dedicate enough time to perform the job and attend the regular meetings necessary for this position.

Yes

I hereby certify that I agree on all the tasks described in the job description and agree to undertake them.

Yes

I confirm that the information given in this form is to the best of my knowledge and belief, true and accurate.

Yes