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Haematological Diagnosis

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DESCRIPTION

The diagnostic hematology group's primary goal is to improve the characterization of hematologic disorders and contribute to better management of the patients, especially those with hematologic neoplasms. Our efforts focus on platform improvement (next-generation sequencing), multiparameter flow cytometry and molecular karyotyping, and unraveling the molecular mechanisms of leukemogenesis of selected genes (WT1, KMT2a, IdH1, and IdH2).

MAIN LINES OF RESEARCH

- Predisposing alleles to myeloid neoplasms and leukemia genomics: Marta Pratcorona.
- WT1 biology and KMT2a molecular alterations: Josep Nomdedéu.
- Digital PCR utility in MRD studies: Josep Nomdedéu.

SCIENTIFIC CHALLENGES

- To enlarge and refine NGS panels for covering all hematologic neoplasms.
- To improve genetic approaches to non-neoplastic disorders (algorithms based on hematologic findings).
- To validate bulk and scRNAseq approaches in leukemia diagnosis.
- To develop new platforms of MRD analysis in acute myeloid leukemia.

DOCTORAL THESSES DEFENDED

- Oñate Hospital, Guadalupe. Impacto de las co-mutaciones y la terapia dirigida en la leucemia



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