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PERSONAL

Born in Caracas, Venezuela. April 4,1953

Nationality Spanish.

Married 4 children.

Spanish Mother tongue.

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Speciality in Córnea and Ocular Surface. Cataracts and Refractive Surgery.

Professor and Chairman of Ophthalmology at the University of Miguel Hernandez of Elche (Spain).

Scientific Director- Vissum (Alicante. Spain).

EDUCATION

1976

First class honours Degree in Medicine, Complutense University of Madrid,

1979

Speciality in Ophthalmology, Autónoma University of Madrid

1980

Speciality in Labour Medicine, Complutense University of Madrid.

First class honours "Cum Laude" Doctorate in Medicine, Complutense University of Madrid.

CAREER

Postgraduate medical career

1977-1980

Internship (MIR), Department of Ophthalmology, Clínica de la Concepción, Fundación Jiménez Díaz. Autónoma University of Madrid.

1980-1982

Clinical Staff Specialist Doctor, “Miguel Servet” Hospital of Zaragoza.

1982-1986

Clinical Staff and Head of Section and of Vitreoretinal Surgery, University General Hospital of Salamanca.

1995-2004

Founder and Medical Director of the Instituto Oftalmológico de Alicante. Spain.

2004-2016

Founder of the Vissum Corporación. Alicante. Spain.

1995-present

Founder of the Fundación Jorge Alió. Spain.

2007-present

Creator and founder the ophthalmology centre “Noaudhibou Mauritania Visión” (inaugurated in 2016). Mauritania.

Academic career

1976-1980

Assistant Lecturer for practical classes, Autónoma University of Madrid. Spain.

1982-1983

Assistant Lecturer for practical classes, Salamanca University. Spain.

1986-1997

Professor and Chairman of Ophthalmology, Alicante University. Spain.

1991-1997

Director of the Department of Pathology and Surgery, Alicante University. Spain.

1988-2004

Director of the first Doctorate Programme in Vision Sciences to be carried out in Spain , followed by the Interuniversity Doctorate Programme in Vision Sciences jointly with 4 Spanish Universities and 1 foreign University (2005...).

1996-present

Director of the first Programme of Continuing Medical Education in Ophthalmology.

1998-present

Director of Alicante Refractive International (ARI)

2016-present

Director of the pioneer online university course entitled “Clinical Methodology in Refractive, Cataract and Corneal Surgery”, from the Miguel Hernandez University since its first edition in 2016 to date.

Research

1971

Timberlawn Center, Department of Neurology, Spain-USA Joint Program for the promotion of Science of Technology Dallas (USA).

1976

Ayerst Laboratories, New York. (USA) (1976). Development of inhibitors of Aldolosa reductase for retinopathy and diabetic cataract.

1977

Ophthalmic Department of Georgetown Washington University, Washington (USA). Spain-USA Joint Program for the promotion of Science of Technology. Secretary of State.

1979-1980

Fellow in the School of Labour Medicine, Faculty of Medicine. Complutense University of Madrid. Spain.

1980-1983

Fellow in the Investigator Training Programme. Spanish Ministry of Education and Science. Spain.

1985-1986

Secretary of State. Wilmer Institute. Johns Hopkins University Baltimore(USA). Joint Program for the promotion of Science of Technology.

Research work

Communications to National Congresses:630 Communications to International Congresses:1762

National and International Publications in scientific journals(Peer Review):800- 538(indexed) 263(no indexed).

Scientific collaborations in tabloids and articles of disclosure:383

Director of the first Programme of Continuing Medical Education in Ophthalmology.

Books(Author, Editor and Co-editor):91

Book chapters:363

Patents and original designs:39.

Hirsch index (h) 2017: 57-Scopus/ WoS Indice H 2017: 48

The Web of Science (WoS) also confirms him as one of the most cited scientists in Spain and in the world, being cited above the average in the last 10 years (his H index is 15.97, 3 points above the average of 12.95).

PARTICIPATION IN SCIENTIFIC AND PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES

Since 1978 is member of 26 Scientific Societies, participating in the board of directors in several of them.

1978

Member of the Spanish Ophthalmological Society.

1989

Member International of the American Academy of Ophthalmology (AAO).

1992-1998

Founder and chairman of The International Ocular Inflammation Society.

1992-2003

Member of The Spanish Society of Ocular Surgery – Refractive Implant (SECOIR).

1996

Miembro de mérito. Instituto Barraquer.

1999

General Secretary of The International Ocular Inflammation Society.

1998

President of the 74 Congress of the Spanish Ophthalmological Society in Alicante.

2000

Member of The International Society Refractive Surgery (ISRS).

2001

Member of The European Association for Vision and Eye Research (EVER)

2002

President of the VII Mediterranean Ophthalmological Society Congress and Alicante Refractiva.

2002-2015

Member of The European Society of Cataract and Refractive Surgeons (ESCRS).

2003

Member of the Executive Committee of the ISRS/AAO

2005

Vice-President of the International Society of Refractive Surgery of the American Academy of Ophthalmology (ISRS/AAO)

Miembro The Specialty Information Team-Refractive Management (AAO).

2006-2008

President and Chair of the Executive Committee of the ISRS/AAO

2008

Secretariat Award American Academy of Ophthalmology.

Member of the International Council of Ophthalmology (WOC).

Senior Achievement Award. American Academy of Ophthalmology.

2009

Member of the Academia Ophthalmologica Internationalis, elected during the WOC Congress 2008, Hong Kong 28th Jun-2nd July. Chair LXIII.

Member of the European Academy of Ophthalmology since 2009. Chair XLIX.

Founder Member of the Society for Research in Retina of the Comunidad Valenciana and University Assessment Committee Universidad. (SIRCOVA).

2013

Honorary member of SHIOL (Hungarian Society of Intraocular Lens Implantation and Refractive Surgery)

Member of European Executive Committee de la ACOS (American- European Congress of Ophthalmic Surgery).

2014

Member of the Scientific Committee Aniridia Europe.

2015

Royal Academy of Medicine de la CV (RAMCV)

2016

Member of Scientific Advisory Committee in Clinical Research de SIRCOVA

President of The International Society Refractive Surgery (IRSS) of the American Academy of Ophthalmology.

2017

Member of the European Executive Committee (AECOS).

Member of the International Committee of Polish Presbyopia Club

2018

Member of the APOE- Professional Association of Ophthalmologists of Spain.

EDITORIAL BOARD

1990

Member of the Editorial Board of Archives Ophthalmology.

2001

Member of the Editorial Board of British Journal of Ophthalmology. Member of the Editorial Board of Eurotimes.

Member of the Editorial Board of The Journal of Cataract and Refractive Surgery.

2004

Editor of the European Journal of Ophthalmology. Editor Chief of The Open Ophthalmology Journal. Advisory

Panel Member of the US Ophthalmic Review 2006

Editorial Board de Ophthalmic Research.

2008

Member of the Editorial Board of Journal of Optometry.

Scientific Referees of the Editorial Board of the American Journal of Ophthalmology.

2009

Member of the International Advisory of the Middle East African Journal of Ophthalmology

2010-2013

Member of the Editorial Board of "Turkiye Klinikleri Journal Of Ophthalmology".

2013

Member of the Editorial Board of "JMED Research".

2014

Member of the Editorial Board of “Journal of Ocular Biology”. Member of the Editorial Board of “Eye and Vision”.

2015

Editorial Advisor for the journal “BMC Ophthalmology”.

Member of the Editorial Board of “Ophthalmology and Therapy”. Clinical and Experimental Ophthalmology
Cornea

Current Eye Research.

2017

Graefe’s Archive for Clinical and Experimental Ophthalmology International Journal of Ophthalmology-IJO

Journal of Ophthalmology

Ophthalmology

Ophthalmic and Physiological Optics

Optics Express

Seminars In Ophthalmology.

Survey of Ophthalmology

The Lancet

Middle East African Journal of Ophthalmology(MEAJO)

HONORARY ACADEMIC POSTS AND SOCIALS HONORS

1998

Visiting Professor of the University of La Habana, Cuba.

1999

Clinical Professor of Ophthalmology (Full Professor), Louisiana State University (New Orleans, USA)

2000

Visiting Professor, Neuroscience Center of Excellence, Louisiana State University. (New Orleans, USA).

Visiting Professor of the Massachusetts Eye and Ear Infirmary, Harvard University Medical School.

2015

Mansoura University Award .

The foundation stone was laid for the ophthalmology centre “Nouadhibou Mauritania Vision”, entirely led by the Jorge Alio Foundation and financed by international donations (inaugurated in 2016).

2017

1st Class Laureate Grand Cross of Alfonso XIII. Spain Grand Cross Monarchic Brotherhood of Spain

Knight of the Royal Order of Alfonso XIII. Spain.

AWARDS AND DISTINCTIONS

More than 100 Awards for clinical and research work. National and International selection:

1990

Arruga Award Spanish Society of Ophthalmology (SEO).

2002

Achievement Award. American Academy of Ophthalmology.

Rayner medal. United Kingdom and Ireland Surgery UKIRS. London. Video Competition Winner. International Society of Refractive Surgery.

2003

Charles Kelman Award. Hellenic Society of Intraocular Implant and Refractive Surgery (HSIOIRS).Atena-Greece.

Hellenic Society of Intraocular Implant and Refractive Surgery (HSIOIRS)

2005.

Medal “ Top 100 Health Professionals Europe 2005”. International Biographical Centre.

2007

Benedetto Strampelli Award. Italian Refractive Surgery Society. Diploma of merit of the Barraquer Institute. Barcelona-Spain.

2009

Medal Dr. Guillermo Picó Santiago. Ophthalmology Congress. Puerto Rico.

Torchbearer Award. Cornea Research Foundation of American s.

2010

15Th KMSG-Barraquer Award. El Salvador. San Salvador.

Certificate of recognition "Professional Career" in the field of scientific research in biomedicina and health sciences. (Conselleria de Sanitat). Valencia. Spain.

2012

Lifetime Achievement Award. ISRS/AAO Congress. Chicago.

Boberg Ans Lecture. Danish Ophthalmological Society.

2013

"Best Poster Award" Spanish Anidiria Association - 89o SEO Congress. Santa Cruz of Tenerife. Spain.

2014

Medal Gold of the IOIS. Valencia.

2015

Award for Research Activities. UMH. Spain.

ISRS recognizes Prof. Alio "International Council Representative for Spain".

Presidential Award de la ISRS/AAO.

2016

Achievement Award 2016. Asia Pacific Academy of Ophthalmology. APAO.

AECOS-Award 2016. American- European Congress of Ophthalmic Surgery.

Dominican Society of Ophthalmology 2016 Award.

Jose Ignacio Barraquer Award for Innovation during the congress Video cataratta Refrattiva .Milán. Italy.

Honorific Distinction: Congress Salamanca Refractiva.

Power List: Number 10 on Power List Most Influential People. The Ophthalmologist.

Top Doctors Awards de 2016.

Recognition for one of the most read articles in the journal Eye and Vision for the article entitled: "Excimer laser 6th generation: state of the art and refractive surgical outcomes"

2017

5oCongreso Magrabi International Congress, Abu Dhabi recognizes Dr. Alio for your valuable contribution and dedication. January 2017.

2017 Audience Best Team Singapore APAO.

2018

Power List: Number 12 on Power List Most Influential People. The Ophthalmologist.

Life Achievement Honor Award. AAOO. May 2018.