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- MD degree from Universidad Complutense de Madrid (Madrid, Spain, 1983).
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- Plastic Surgery training in Madrid (1983-1988).
- Fellow in Microsurgery with Ian Taylor (Melbourne, Australia, 1989).
- Fellow in Hand Surgery in Kleinert Group (Louisville, KY, USA, 1990).
- Editor. Revista Iberoamericana de Cirugía de la Mano (2004-2007).
- Associate Editor. The Journal of Hand Surgery (European Volume) (2007-2009).
- President: The European Wrist Arthroscopy Society (2008–2010).
- Secretary General: the European Wrist Arthroscopy Society (2011-2014).
- Editor: The Journal of Hand Surgery (European Volume) (2012- 2014).
- Editor in chief of: Arthroscopic management of distal radius fractures (Springer 2010) and Arthroscopic management of ulnar pain (Springer, 2012).
- Revisor internacional revistas Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery, Journal of Hand Surgery (Volúmenes Europeo y Americano) e Indian Journal of Plastic Surgery.
- Publications: papers and chapters more than 100 and 400 presentations.
- Keynote speaker: Australian, Argentinian, South African, Belgian, Italian, Japanese, Indian, Polish, Dutch, Hong-Kongnese ... Hand and Plastic surgery societies.
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