



Research Group on Anesthesiology and Reanimation Consolidated group



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Strategic aims

- To demonstrate the usefulness of molecular methods for the diagnosis of peritoneal candidiasis
- To identify the combination of RXR agonists with low-dose statins as a new and safe treatment for AAA control
- To validate a predictive scale of postoperative pulmonary complications
- To study the effect on blood flow of long radial arterial catheters
- Identify risk factors in predicting active Cytomegalovirus infection in HIV-positive patients liver transplant recipients
- To establish the role of insulin and analogues in critically ill patients
- To assess the epidemiology of invasive candidiasis in the intensive care unit
- To develop different maneuvers optimization oxygenation and pulmonary mechanics in patients undergoing mechanical ventilation
- To assess the possible liver and kidney toxicity caused by prolonged administration of sevoflurane

Main lines of research

- Studying gases used in anesthesia: halogenated agents, xenon and oxygen; and the effects of anesthetics; oxidative stress and protection of organs in ischemia-reperfusion surgery
- Study of oxidative stress biomarkers in exhaled lung water
- Ventilatory and pharmacological strategies to decrease organ damage in the lungs associated with mechanical ventilation in healthy and injured lungs
- To study safety and potential benefit in terms of protection of government bodies of halogenated agents during prolonged sedation
- Development of hemodynamic monitoring and its application in the field of patients undergoing surgery or admitted to critical care units
- Study and development of instruments and drugs to quantify or involved in different pathways of hemostasis in two ways: prevention of thrombotic complications and bleeding prevention in the perioperative period
- Study and development of methods of detection of infections, especially fungal and virological, and how to prevent them
- Development of neurological monitoring and study measures to protect brain damage
- Development of new strategies and drugs for pain treatment



Emerging researcher

Carlos Ferrando Ortolá

Some of the ongoing research lines in our group that I am leading are:

1. Role of anaesthetics in the inflammatory response in anaesthesia and critical care patients.

2. Strategies to optimize and individualized intraoperative ventilatory management (precision medicine)

3. Role of the perioperative ventilatory strategies in postoperative complications. Protocol published in Trials (Ferrando et al. Trials 2015). This multicenter randomized controlled trial was performed in 20 Spanish Hospitals and enrolled 1012 patients. We are currently drafting the manuscript for the NEJM.

4. Role of perioperative supplemental oxygen in postoperative complications. We are going to start a multicentre randomized controlled trial with a sample size of 756 patients in 26 Spanish Hospitals to investigate whether an individualized perioperative approach with High versus Conventional FIO₂ prevents postoperative SSI (Clinicaltrials.gov NCT02776046. PI: Carlos Ferrando).

• PUBLICATIONS

Number of articles	IF	Average IF
38	103,64	2,65
National collaborations	International collaborations	Corresponding author
14	14	12

Original articles

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• THESIS

Thesis title: Continuous cardiac index trending (proact) via a radial arterial line versus standard care in general surgical patients

Doctoral candidate: Jaume Puig Bernabeu

Director(s): Francisco Javier Belda Nácher, Daniel Arnulf Reuter

Date of the defense: 29/06/2015

Grade: Sobresaliente "cum laude"

Thesis title: Efecto de las diferentes ondas de flujo y de la pausa teleinspiratoria sobre la oxigenación y ventilación en modelo animal

Doctoral candidate: María Luisa García Perez

Director(s): Rafael Badenes Quiles, Carlos Ferrando Ortolá, Marina Soro Domingo

Date of the defense: 29/06/2015

Grade: Sobresaliente "cum laude"

• RESEARCH PROJECTS AND GRANTS FOR RESEARCH

Reference: EC10-318

Title: Tratamiento anticipado con ganciclovir de la infección activa por el citomegalovirus (CMV) en el paciente crítico en ventilación mecánica con sepsis grave o shock séptico

Principal Investigator: Gerardo Aguilar Aguilar

Funding Body: Instituto de Salud Carlos III

Beneficiary Institution: Fundación Investigación Hospital Clínico Universitario de Valencia

Duration: 2012-2016

Total budget: 38.500€

Reference: PI13/02742

Title: Prospective observational study of the direct oral anticoagulants perioperative management

Principal Investigator: Raquel Ferrandis Comes

Funding Body: Instituto de Salud Carlos III

Beneficiary Institution: Fundación Investigación Hospital Clínico Universitario de Valencia

Duration: 2014-2016

Total Budget: 53.845€

Reference: PI13/00119

Title: Reducción de las asincronías y de la duración de la ventilación mecánica mediante la Ventilación Asistida Ajustada Neuralmente (NAVA) en pacientes con insuficiencia respiratoria aguda

Principal Investigator: Jesús Villar Hernández (Francisco Javier Belda as collaborating researcher)

Funding body: Instituto de Salud Carlos III

Beneficiary institution: Fundación Canaria de Investigación y Salud (FUNCIS)

Duración: 2014-2016

Total budget: 55.418€



Reference: PI14/00829

Title: Reducción de la complicaciones postoperatorias y de la estancia hospitalaria con una estrategia perioperatoria individualizada de ventilación de protección pulmonar. Estudio comparativo, prospectivo.

Principal Investigator: Carlos Ferrando Ortolá

Funding body: Instituto de Salud Carlos III

Beneficiary institution: Fundación Investigación Hospital Clínico Universitario de Valencia

Duración: 2015-2017

Total budget: 108.250€

• AWARDS

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