
BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH

NAME AMARA	POSITION TITLE		
ALI	Group Leader		
EDUCATION/TRAINING <i>(Begin with baccalaureate or other initial professional education, such as nursing, include postdoctoral training and residency training if applicable.)</i>			
INSTITUTION AND LOCATION	DEGREE <i>(if applicable)</i>	MM/YY	FIELD OF STUDY
Faculty of Sciences Luminy, Marseille, France	B.S.	06/90	Biology
University of Bordeaux II, France	Ph.D.	12/95	Immunology
Pasteur Institute, France	Postdoc	1996-2000	Virology

Current position

Director of Research INSERM (DR2).

Group leader at the Institute of Molecular Virology and Pathology, Paris, Saint Louis Hospital, Paris Diderot University, CNRS9212, INSERM U944

Education and qualifications:

1991: Master 2 Immunology, University Bordeaux II, France.

1995: PhD in Life Sciences, University Bordeaux II, France

2009: HDR (Habilitation) Biology Research (Université de Paris V).

Scientific carrier

Since 2013 Research Director INSERM

Since 2010: Team leader at the Institute of Molecular Virology and Pathology

2004-2010: Staff scientist INSERM, Unité de Pathogénie Virale (F. Arenzana-Seisdedos) at the Pasteur Institute (Paris, France).

2002-2003: Sabbatical year at the Skirball Institute of Bio-molecular Medicine in New-York (Dan R. Littman)

2000-2002: Recruitment as CR1 INSERM- Unité d'immunologie Virale (J.L. Virelizier) at the Pasteur Institute (Paris, France).

1996-2000: Post-doctoral research fellow, Unité d'Immunologie Virale, Pasteur Institute (J.L. Virelizier)

Awards

SIDACTION (1996-97)

Agence Nationale de la Recherche contre le SIDA (1997-1999)

EMBO short-term period (1999)

Bernard Levine fellowship (2012-13)

Scientific advisory boards

Member of the scientific committee of SIDACTION (2007-2012)

Member of the PLOSone Editorial Board

Scientific member of the Ecole Doctorale HOB

Scientific member "conseil de la recherche" Institut Universitaire d'Hématologie

Scientific member INSERM "candidats au programme Postes d'accueil"

Patents

CD300a as a virus entry cofactor (Réf. BET 14P2806 (IH/ND, dépôt 2014))

TIM receptors as dengue virus entry factors

TAM receptors as dengue virus entry factors

International publication number WO2004/041299 A1 : DC-SIGN blockers and their use for preventing or treating viral infections

Referee activities

Expert for AXA funding, ANR, SIDACTION, ANRS, INSERM

Referee for Science, Cell Host Microbe, PLOS Pathogen, Journal Virology, J. Infectious Disease, Trends in Molecular Medicine, Cellular Microbiology, Virology