

Célia Fortuna Rodrigues

PharmD, PhD

ABOUT

PhD in Chemical and Biological Engineering, MSc in Pharmaceutical Sciences, BSc in Basic Pharmaceutical Sciences and BSc in Clinical and Public Health Analysis.

Current researcher of the University of Minho - Centre of Biological Engineering, integrating the Biofilm Group since 2013.

Work focused on *Candida* biofilms resistance to antifungal drugs and their pathophysiology development.

Has worked in General Microbiology, Mycology, Pharmacology, Biological Engineering, Medical Sciences/Biotechnology, Micro/Nanotechnology and Food Biotechnology.

Author and co-author of scientific papers, congresses publications and book chapters. Reviewer of several international journals.

WORK EXPERIENCE

2018 -

Post-Doctoral Researcher

Biofilm Group, Centre of Biological Engineering – University of Minho

Research activities regarding biofilms and help in coordination of Master Students projects.

2018 -

Science Communicator @ Nature Microbiology Community

Nature Group (Publishing)

Forum for the sharing and discussion of ideas and opinions about microbiology.

<https://naturemicrobiologycommunity.nature.com/>

<https://naturemicrobiologycommunity.nature.com/users/16248-celia-fortuna-rodrigues>

2017 -

FEMS Microbiology Events Taskforce Board

FEMS – Federation of European Microbiology Societies

Science communication volunteer. Microbiology events dissemination from Asia, Oceania and American continents (<https://www.fems-microbiology.org/>). Translation of projects/abstracts PT-EN/EN-PT (ALAM Project).

2014-2018

PhD Student (FCT SFRH/BD/93078/2013)

Biofilm Group, Centre of Biological Engineering – University of Minho

Candida glabrata biofilms: mechanisms of antifungal resistance and matrix role.

Assistance in other research projects and in coordination of Master Students projects.

2017 -2018

Science Communicator @ npj Biofilms and Microbiomes Community

Nature Group (Publishing)

Interactive online community that progress the journal's aim to host cross-disciplinary discussions and allows the understanding of mechanisms governing the social behaviour of microbial biofilm populations and communities, and

their impact on life, human health, and the environment, both natural and engineered.

<https://www.nature.com/npjbiofilms/community>

<https://npjbiofilmscommunity.nature.com/users/16248-celia-fortuna-rodrigues>

2017-2018

Visiting PhD Candidate

Immunobiology Group, Abel Salazar Institute of Biomedical Sciences and Institute for Innovation and Health Research (i35) - University of Porto

Project FCT SFRH/BD/93078/2013 - *Candida glabrata* biofilms: mechanisms of antifungal resistance and matrix role. - *in vivo* infection assays.

2018, 2017

Invited Professor

Universidade Europeia

Bioethics classes: general concepts and techniques, animal and human experiments, scope of the disciplines of Research Methodologies in the courses of Psychology and Sports Management.

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📍 Vila Nova de Famalicão, PT



ACADEMIC EDUCATION

2014-2018

PhD in Chemical and Biological Engineering Escola de Engenharia da Universidade do Minho

Project FCT SFRH/BD/93078/2013 - *Candida glabrata* biofilms: mechanisms of antifungal resistance and matrix role.

- Biofilm Group, Centre of Biological Engineering – University of Minho
- Immunobiology Group, Abel Salazar Institute of Biomedical Sciences (ICBAS) and Institute for Innovation and Health Research (i35) - University of Porto
- Institut National des Sciences Appliquées (INSA), Université Fédérale de Toulouse Midi-Pyrénées, France
SCORE: Very Good

2004-2009

BSc+MSc in Pharmaceutical Sciences

CESPU - Instituto Universitário de Ciências da Saúde

Cédula Profissional da Ordem dos Farmacêuticos: 16932

SCORE: 16/20

2001-2004

BSc in Clinical Analysis and Public Health

ESSVA - Escola Superior de Saúde do Vale do Ave

BSc pre-Bologna

SKILLS

YEAST AND BACTERIAL CULTURE (planktonic and biofilm form)

ANTIMICROBIAL SUSCEPTIBILITY TESTING

MOLECULAR BIOLOGY TECHNIQUES (PCR, REAL-TIME PCR)

HPLC, MALDI-TOF-TOF, ATR-FTIR

SEM, CONFOCAL MICROSCOPY, FLUORESCENCE MICROSCOPY

BIOCHEMICAL QUANTIFICATIONS ON BIOFILM MATRICES

FLOW CYTOMETRY ASSAYS

in vivo ASSAYS

REFERENCES

Dr. Mariana Henriques - CEB, Universidade do Minho
Dr. Joana Azeredo - CEB, Universidade do Minho
Dr. Maria Olívia Pereira - CEB, Universidade do Minho
Dr. José Carlos Andrade - CICS, CESPU / ESB, U. Católica

ORGANIZATIONAL COMPETENCES

Certified Trainer by the Scientific-Pedagogical Council of Continuing Education, with the Registry n.º. CCPFC/RFO-30418/11.

2013-2018

MSc Students Monitor/Co-coordination

Centre of Biological Engineering – University of Minho
From the *Candida* Research Group:

- Liliana Fernandes (2016/2017) - "Alternative Strategies to Fight *Candida* Biofilms"
- Eduarda Patrícia Silva Ramos (2013/2014) - "*Candida glabrata* Biofilms: resistance to antifungal agents and protein profile".
- Tânia Patrícia Martins Fernandes (2013/2014) - "*Candida tropicalis* biofilms evaluation of virulence and resistance to antifungal drugs."
- Bruna Fernandes Gonçalves (2012/2013) - "*Candida glabrata* biofilms resistance to voriconazole."
- Diana Margarida Ferraz Bogas (2012/2013) - "Resistance of *Candida glabrata* biofilms at different concentrations of amphotericin B".

OTHER BIOFILMS RESEARCH GROUPS

Collaboration with other biofilms groups, assisting master's students in developing and implementing laboratory research techniques in very specific areas of their research (e.g. HPLC, antifungal susceptibility implementation techniques)

From the Bacteriophage Group (headed by Dr. Joana Azeredo):

- Jéssica Silva Sousa (2016/2017) - "Evaluation of the antimicrobial activity of a bacteriophage honey formulation in *ex vivo* skin models"
- Rute Ferreira (2016/2017) - "Development of a phage-based bioactive wound dressing to control chronic wounds"
- Henrique Gonçalves Ribeiro (2015/2016) - "Developing an antimicrobial product with Portuguese honey and bacteriophages"

From the group headed by Dr. Maria Olívia Pereira:

- Patrick Borges (2017/2018) – "Desenvolvimento de uma estratégia de revestimento para a prevenção de infeções associadas a próteses ortopédicas".
- Ana Teresa Vaz (2016/2017) - "Catheters functionalization using a surface modification strategy based on the adherence of mussels"

2013-2018

Monitor of the students from Braga primary and secondary schools during "Semana da Ciência e Tecnologia" and "Semana da Engenharia"

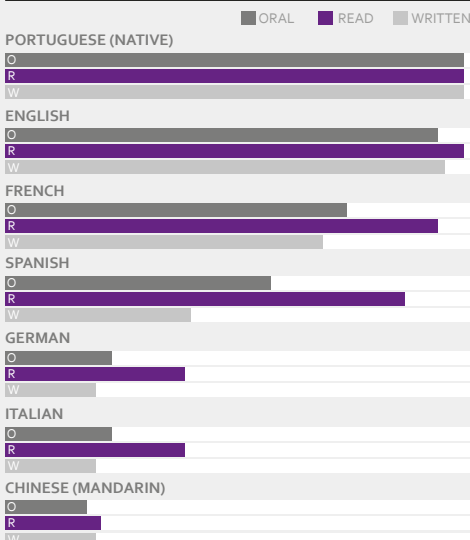
CEB / School of Engineering – University of Minho

2008/2009

Delegate of the 5th academic year of Pharmaceutical Sciences at the Scientific-Pedagogical Counseling of IUCS.

CESPU - Instituto Universitário de Ciências da Saúde

LANGUAGES



WORK EXPERIENCE

2016

Visiting PhD Candidate

L'Ingénierie des Systèmes Biologiques et des Procédés (LISBP), Laboratory of Physiology and Functional Genomics of Eukaryotes, Institut National des Sciences Appliquées (INSA), Université Fédérale de Toulouse Midi-Pyrénées, France

Project FCT SFRH/BD/93078/2013 - *Candida glabrata* biofilms: mechanisms of antifungal resistance and matrix role – HPLC techniques to determine *C. glabrata* biofilm matrices composition.

2014

Tutor of practical classes

Biofilm Group, Centre of Biological Engineering – University of Minho.

IV Advanced Practical Course on Biofilms Science

2013 -2014

Research Assistant

Biofilm Group, Centre of Biological Engineering – University of Minho.

Project: Mechanisms of *Candida glabrata* biofilms tolerance to antifungal agents - FCT PTDC/SAU-MIC/119069/2010
Assistance in other projects and in coordination of Master Students projects.

2011 -2012

Voluntary Research Fellow

Centre of Research in Health Sciences (CICS/CESPU) – IUCS

Bioencapsulation: micro e nanoencapsulation, HPLC, *Bifidobacterium*, Caco-2 e HT-29 cell cultures.

2009-2011

Coordinator Pharmacist

Farmácia Almeida e Sousa (Community Pharmacy), Riba d'Ave, V.N. Famalicão.

General service to patients, control of the precision of the prescription / billing;
Coordination / general management of the pharmacy: inventory, human resources;
Legal control of narcotic drugs and psychotropic substances;
Implementation and monitoring of methadone substitution program;
Marketing and merchandising of pharmacy;
Organization of health events inside and outside of the pharmacy:
Internal employees training:
- Health / Hygiene at Work: Smoking Cessation, Dyslipidemias, Cardiovascular Risk Factors, Vaccine Against Flu, Chronic Venous Disease, Fungal Infections, Hygiene and Safety Care in the Laboratory of Medicinal Products, Skin and Sun. Note: this last training was also given annually in primary schools and nursing homes in the local pharmacy.
- Marketing in Pharmacy: value creation for the customer of the pharmacy, marketing of the Pharmaceutical Services and in the management of the space of the Pharmacy and marketing in the techniques of sale (communication in marketing).
Primary schools training events - "Cuidados com o Sol", "Parasitas Externos": Escola Primária em Riba d'Ave
Senior homes training events - "Cuidados com o Sol", "Vacinação da Gripe": Lares Castelões e Guardizela (Riba d'Ave).

2006-2009

Invited Research Fellow

Centre of Research in Health Sciences (CICS/CESPU) – IUCS

"Microencapsulation of probiotic bacteria to enhance survival during upper gastrointestinal tract passage" 1F/10/2005/CESPU e "Protection of bifidobacteria encapsulated in polysaccharide-whey protein microspheres against simulated gastric juice" refa AL/14/2006/CESPU. (Supervisor: Dr. José Carlos Andrade)

2009

Intern Hospital Pharmacist

Hospital Pedro Hispano, Porto

Control of the medical prescriptions from the several hospital services;
Drugs distribution and general service to patients;
Production of parenteral nutrition, chemotherapeutic drugs and other drugs;
Control of drugs inventory;
Participation on the Technical Commissions meetings (Farmácia e Terapêutica, Infecção Hospitalar).

2009

Intern Pharmacist

Farmácia da Estação (Community Pharmacy), V.N. Famalicão

2008

Intern Pharmacist

Farmácia Central (Community Pharmacy), V.N. Famalicão

2003

Intern Clinical and Public Health Analysis Technician

Hospital de S. João, Porto

SPECIALIZATION COURSES

2017

"Focus on Peer Review" – Nature Masterclasses

Nature Research (Group)

Online Course main contents: - Your Role as Peer Reviewer / - The Peer Review Report / - Ethics in Peer Review / - Variations and Innovations in Peer Review.

2016

"Proteome 2 Gene 2 Protein"

Engineering School, University of Minho

Hands-on-Course: Proteomic methodologies; Two-dimensional gel electrophoresis; Protein identification by mass spectrometry; Recombinant protein production and purification.

2016

Laboratory Animal Science Course

Life and Health Sciences Research Institute (ICVS), School of Sciences, University of Minho

Appropriate use of animals in scientific experiments. [FELASA Cat. C](#)

Theoretical and practical course: biology and husbandry of laboratory animals, aspects of microbiology and disease, health hazards and safe practices in the animal house, the design and conduct of animal experiments, anaesthesia, analgesia and experimental procedures, as well as the ethical and legal aspects of animal experimentation and alternatives to animal use.

The course programme follows European recommendations and covers compulsory training required for persons of all functions stated in Article 23 of Directive 2010/63/EU (including national legislation) or functions stated in Artigo 310 (2- a,b,c and d) of Decreto-Lei n.º 113/2013 of 7th august. Additional training on anesthesia and principles of surgery is also included. Course criteria defined by the national authority - Direção Geral de Alimentação e Veterinária - was also fulfilled.

2014

Post-Graduation ESCMID and ECDC - Antimicrobial Susceptibility Testing and Surveillance Workshop

ESCMID - European Society of Clinical Microbiology and Infectious Diseases

Institut für Hygiene, Mikrobiologie und Tropenmedizin, analyse BioLab, Elisabethinen, Linz, Austria

EUCAST breakpoint, PK/PD approach.

Guidelines to perform antimicrobial susceptibility testing (EUCAST/CLSI).

Importance of epidemiological cut-off values (ECOFFs), clinical breakpoints in antimicrobial resistance surveillance systems.

2012

Mouse and Rat Colony Management (Wildtype and Transgenic) Workshop

Cellular and Molecular Biology Institute (IBMC) – University of Porto

Development of skills related to colonies of rats and mice: basic concepts of genetics, basic principles of breeding and feeding; improvement schemes colonies; mice and genetically modified mice: types, applications and management of colonies.

2011

FRAME Course – Reduction Steering Committee Training School in the Experimental Design and Statistical Analysis of Biomedical Experiments

FRAME – Fund for Replacement of Animals in Medical Experiments – London, UK

Cellular and Molecular Biology Institute (IBMC) – University of Porto.

Developing skills for implementation and improvement of experimental methods (manipulation, statistical) to decrease the need for laboratory animals, as well any distress caused in medical and scientific research. Perspectives in Laboratory Animal Science – discussion of aspects of lab animal use. Alternatives to Laboratory Animals.

2009-2010

Pharmaceutical Care Post-Graduation Program on DIABETES MELLITUS

School of Post-Graduation in Health and Management – Associação Nacional das Farmácias (Porto)

Pharmacotherapeutic monitoring of chronically ill patients

2009-2010

Pharmaceutical Care Post-Graduation Program on DYSLIPIDEMIA

School of Post-Graduation in Health and Management – Associação Nacional das Farmácias (Porto)

Pharmacotherapeutic monitoring of chronically ill patients

2009-2010

Pharmaceutical Care Post-Graduation Program on HYPERTENSION

School of Post-Graduation in Health and Management – Associação Nacional das Farmácias (Porto)

Pharmacotherapeutic monitoring of chronically ill patients

2009-2010

Pharmaceutical Care Post-Graduation Program on ASTHMA AND CHRONIC OBSTRUCTIVE PULMONARY DISEASE

School of Post-Graduation in Health and Management – Associação Nacional das Farmácias (Porto)

Pharmacotherapeutic monitoring of chronically ill patients

GRANTS AND AWARDS

12.2017

AWARD

Golden CEB-onion-Awards: 2017 Paper with most pages

Centre of Biological Engineering – University of Minho

09.2017

GRANT

ESCMID Attendance Grant

Eurobiofilms Congress - Amsterdam, The Netherlands

06.2015

GRANT

FEMS Young Scientist Meeting Grant

6th Congress of European Microbiologists - Maastricht, The Netherlands

06.2015

GRANT

Materials Transfer Agreement Program, Ref:

MTR18401.02 - liposomal amphotericin B

Gilead Sciences, Inc. - Foster City, USA

09.2014

GRANT

ESCMID Attendance Grant – 3rd Workshop on Antimicrobial Susceptibility Testing

Linz, Austria

05.2014 - 05-2018

GRANT

PhD Grant. Ref: SFRH/BD/93078/2013

Fundação para a Ciência e Tecnologia - Portugal

09.2014

GRANT

Provision of Materials Program, Ref: PMA201404 – micafungin

Astellas Pharma, Inc. - Obaraki, Japan

01.2014

GRANT

Merck Investigator Studies Program, Ref:

MISP51371 - caspofungin and posaconazole

Merck Sharp & Dohme Corp. - New Jersey, USA

05.2013

GRANT

Pfizer Investigator Initiated Research, Ref:

PF-00579955 – voriconazole

Pfizer, Inc New York, USA

05.2013

GRANT

Pfizer Investigator Initiated Research, Ref:

PF-00345508 - fluconazole

Pfizer, Inc - New York, USA

10.2010

AWARD

Best Student of the Master in Pharmaceutical Sciences 2004/2009

CESPU - Instituto Universitário de Ciências da Saúde

09.2010

AWARD

"Sociedade Farmacêutica Lusitana" Award for the Best Portuguese Pharmaceutical Sciences Student

Ordem dos Farmacêuticos - Lisboa, Portugal

Microbial Pathogenesis

Elsevier

PLoS One

PLoS | Public Library of Science

Microorganisms

MDPI

Journal of Fungi

MDPI

Materials

MDPI

Medical Science Monitor

International Scientific Information

Malaysian Journal of Medical Sciences

Universiti Sains Malaysia

Antibiotics

MDPI

Medical Sciences

MDPI

Medical Mycology

Elsevier

Genes

MDPI

International Journal of Molecular Sciences

MDPI

Antibiotics

MDPI

Bioengineering

MDPI

Cells

MDPI

Dentistry Journal

MDPI

Biomedicines

MDPI

Molecules

MDPI

Biology

MDPI

International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health

MDPI

Journal of Clinical Medicine

MDPI

Medicines

MDPI

Pharmaceuticals

MDPI

Marine Drugs

MDPI

Pathogens

MDPI

Methods and Protocols

MDPI

Tropical Medicine and Infection Disease

MDPI

Micromachines

MDPI

AFFILIATIONS AND MEMBERSHIPS

Ordem dos Farmacêuticos

Cédula Profissional n.º 16932

Federation of European Microbiological Societies

Member

European Society of Clinical Microbiology and Infectious Diseases

Member

Sociedade Portuguesa de Microbiologia

Member

Sociedade Portuguesa de Bioquímica

Member

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SUBMITTED:

2018

Association of posaconazole and amphotericin B in the treatment of biofilms of *Candida glabrata*
[Rodrigues, CF](#); Alves, D; Henriques, M.**Inflammatory cell recruitment in *Candida glabrata* biofilm cells-infected mice receiving antifungal chemotherapy**[Rodrigues, CF](#); Costa, AC; Vilanova, M; Henriques, M.***Candida* spp. Infections in patients with diabetes mellitus**[Rodrigues, CF](#); Rodrigues, ME; Henriques, M.

PUBLISHED:

2018

Biomolecules

The MNN2 gene knockout modulates the antifungal resistance of biofilms of *Candida glabrata*[Rodrigues, CF](#); Vilas Boas, D; Haynes, K; Henriques, M.

doi.org/10.3390/biom8040130

Current Medicinal Chemistry

Promising therapeutics for *Candida* oral biofilms' infections[Rodrigues, CF](#); Rodrigues, ME; Henriques, M.

doi: 10.2174/0929867325666180601102333

Biofouling

Susceptibility of *Candida glabrata* biofilms to echinocandins: alterations on the matrix composition[Rodrigues, CF](#); Rodrigues, ME; Henriques, M.

doi: 10.1080/08927014.2018.1472244

Genes

Portrait of matrix genes expression in *C. glabrata* biofilms with stress induced by different drugs[Rodrigues, CF](#); Henriques, M.

doi: 10.3390/genes9040205

2017

Pathogens

Liposomal and Deoxycholate Amphotericin B Formulations: Effectiveness against Biofilm Infections of *Candida* spp.[Rodrigues, CF](#); Henriques, M.

doi: 10.3390/pathogens6040062

Biofouling

The carboxylic acid transporters Jen1 and Jen2 affect the architecture and fluconazole susceptibility of *Candida albicans* biofilm in the presence of lactateAlves, R; Mota, S; Silva, S; [Rodrigues, CF](#); Brown, AJP; Henriques, M; Casal, M; Paiva, S.

doi: 10.1080/08927014.2017.1392514

Frontiers in Microbiology

Synergistic Antimicrobial Interaction between Honey and Phage against *Escherichia coli* BiofilmsOliveira, A; Ribeiro, H; Silva, AC; Silva, D; Sousa, J; [Rodrigues, CF](#); Melo, LDR; Sillankorva, S.

doi: 10.3389/fmicb.2017.02407

Mycopathologia

The effectiveness of voriconazole in therapy of *C. glabrata*'s biofilms oral infections and its influence on the matrix composition and gene expression[Rodrigues, CF](#); Gonçalves, B; Rodrigues, ME; Silva, S; Azeredo, J; Henriques, M.

doi: 10.1007/s11046-017-0135-7

Journal of Fungi

***Candida glabrata* Biofilms: How Far Have We Come?**[Rodrigues, CF](#); Rodrigues, ME; Silva, S; Henriques, M.

doi: 10.3390/jof3010011

Journal of Fungi

***Candida* Species Biofilms' Antifungal Resistance**Silva, S; [Rodrigues, CF](#); Araújo, D; Rodrigues, ME; Henriques, M.

doi: 10.3390/jof3010008

Therapeutic Advances in Infectious Disease

Oral mucositis caused by *Candida glabrata* biofilms: failure of the concomitant use of fluconazole and ascorbic acid[Rodrigues, CF](#); Henriques, M.

doi: 10.1177/2049936116684477

2016

Letters in Applied Microbiology

***Candida glabrata*'s recurrent infections: biofilms formation during Amphotericin B treatment**

PUBLICATIONS

Rodrigues, CF; Silva, S; Azeredo, J; Henriques, M.

doi: 10.1111/lam.12600

2015

Mycopathologia

Detection and Quantification of Fluconazole Within *Candida glabrata* Biofilms

Rodrigues, CF; Silva S; Azeredo J; Henriques M.

doi: 10.1007/s11046-015-9862-9

2014

European Journal of Clinical Microbiology & Infectious Diseases

***Candida glabrata*: a review on its features and resistance**

Rodrigues, CF; Silva S; Henriques M.

doi: 10.1007/s10096-013-2009-3

Biofouling

Effects of fluconazole in *Candida glabrata* biofilms and its relation with transporters genes expression

Fonseca E, Silva S, **Rodrigues, CF**, Alves CT, Azeredo J, Henriques M.

doi: 10.1080/08927014.2014.886108

2013

Current Medicinal Chemistry

Drug-delivery systems of green tea catechins for improved stability and bioavailability

Rodrigues, CF; Ascensão K, Silva FAM, Sarmento B, Oliveira MBPP, Andrade JC.

doi : 10.2174/09298673113209990158

PUBLICATIONS IN SCIENTIFIC MEETINGS

2017

MNN2 gene affects drug resistance on *C. glabrata*'s biofilms

Rodrigues, CF; Rodrigues, ME; Aimes, L; Haynes K; Henriques, M.

Eurobiofilms 2017 - Amsterdam, The Netherlands, September 19-22.

Natural honey to fight *Candida* infections

Rodrigues, ME; Fernandes, L; **Rodrigues, CF**; Oliveira A; Henriques, M.

Eurobiofilms 2017 - Amsterdam, The Netherlands, September 19-22.

Portrait of gene expression in *C. glabrata* with stress induced by drugs

Rodrigues, CF; Rodrigues, ME; Henriques, M.

Eurobiofilms 2017 - Amsterdam, The Netherlands, September 19-22.

Synergistic antimicrobial interaction of honey and bacteriophage in *Escherichia coli* biofilms

Ribeiro, H; Oliveira, O; Silva, AC; Silva, MD; Sousa, JD; **Rodrigues, CF**; Melo, L; Henriques, A; Sillankorva, S.

I CEB Annual Meeting 2017 - Braga, Portugal, July 7th.

Novel strategies to fight *Candida* infections: Natural honey

Rodrigues, ME; Fernandes, L; **Rodrigues, CF**; Oliveira A; Henriques, M.

I CEB Annual Meeting 2017 - Braga, Portugal, July 7th.

Synergistic antimicrobial interaction of honey and bacteriophage in *Escherichia coli* biofilms

Ribeiro, H; Oliveira, O; Silva, AC; Silva, MD; Sousa, JD; **Rodrigues, CF**; Melo, L; Henriques, A; Sillankorva, S.

I Simpósio de Bioquímica, Braga, Portugal, May 30-31.

Synergistic antimicrobial interaction of honey and bacteriophage in *Escherichia coli* biofilms

Ribeiro, H; Oliveira, O; Silva, AC; Silva, MD; **Rodrigues, CF**; Melo, L; Henriques, A; Sillankorva, S.

X National Meeting of Biochemistry Students (X ENEBIOQ), Braga, Portugal, April 7-10.

2016

Impact of alternative carbon sources and antifungal treatment on *Candida glabrata* biofilms' transcription profile

Alves, R; Kastora, S; Pinho, E; **Rodrigues, CF**; Silva, S; Casal, M; Brown, AJ; Henriques, M; Paiva, S.

XIX National Congress of Biochemistry, Guimarães, Portugal, Dec 8-10.

The chemical structure of the biofilm matrices of *Candida glabrata* induce resistance to antifungal drugs

Rodrigues, CF; Rodrigues, ME; Silva, Sónia C.; Azeredo, J; Henriques, M.

Biofilms 7 - Microbial Works of Art, Porto, Portugal, June 26-28.

2015

How do *C. glabrata*'s biofilms respond to antifungal drugs?

Rodrigues, CF; Rodrigues, ME; Silva, S; Henriques, M.

7th Trends in Medical Mycology. Vol. Mycoses 58(Suppl. 4), Lisbon, Portugal, 9-12 Oct, 70.

BOOK CHAPTERS

Clinical Biofilms – Current Concepts and Advanced Techniques

M.O. Pereira, M. Henriques, N. Cerca, J. Azeredo.

Departamento de Engenharia Biológica, Universidade do Minho, Portugal

2014. ISBN: 978-989-97478-4-5, 173-192

"Analysis of biofilm metabolites"

Almeida, C; **Rodrigues, CF**; Jorge, P; Costa, AR.

Encyclopedia of Biomedical Polymers and Polymeric Biomaterials

Editor Dr. Munmaya Mishra

Taylor & Francis, New York, USA.

CRC Press; ISBN-10: 1439898553. Taylor & Francis; ISBN-10: 1439898790, 2015.

"Pectin"

Rodrigues, CF; Faria, L; Andrade, JC.

Encyclopedia of Biomedical Polymers and Polymeric Biomaterials

Editor Dr. Munmaya Mishra

Taylor & Francis, New York, USA.

CRC Press; ISBN-10: 1439898553. Taylor & Francis; ISBN-10: 1439898790, 2015.

"Milk Proteins"

Rodrigues, CF; Andrade, JC.

Encyclopedia of Biomedical Polymers and Polymeric Biomaterials

Editor Dr. Munmaya Mishra

Taylor & Francis, New York, USA.

CRC Press; ISBN-10: 1439898553. Taylor & Francis; ISBN-10: 1439898790, 2015.

"Gellan"

Rodrigues, CF; Andrade, JC.

Encyclopedia of Biomedical Polymers and Polymeric Biomaterials

Editor Dr. Munmaya Mishra

Taylor & Francis, New York, USA.

CRC Press; ISBN-10: 1439898553. Taylor & Francis; ISBN-10: 1439898790, 2015.

"Soy Proteins"

Rodrigues, CF; Andrade, JC.

ORAL COMMUNICATIONS

Dec 8-10. 2016.

Lactic acid increases the susceptibility of *Candida albicans* to fluconazole

Alves, R; Mota, S; Silva, S; **Rodrigues, CF**; Brown, AJ; Henriques, M; Casal, M; Paiva, S.

XIX National Congress of Biochemistry, Guimarães, Portugal

June 21-23. 2016.

In vitro study of antifungal drug effect in a tissue conditioner

Assunção, BM; Henriques, M; **Rodrigues, CF**; Vaz, P; Figueiral, H; Braga, AC; Fernandes, S.

IV International Conference on Biomedical Engineering, Porto, Portugal

June 7-11. 2015.

***Candida glabrata* biofilms response to amphotericin B**

Rodrigues, CF; Silva, Sónia, C.; Salgado, JM; Abrunhosa, L; Venâncio, A; Azeredo, J; Henriques, M.

FEMS - 6th Congress of European Microbiologists, Maastricht, The Netherlands

PhD

Candida glabrata biofilms: mechanisms of antifungal resistance and matrix role

Rodrigues CF. 2018, Universidade do Minho

BSc

Dislipidemias: Estudo de uma População Portuguesa com Dislipidemias / Study of a Portuguese Population with Dyslipidemia

Rodrigues CF. 2004, Escola Superior de Saúde do Vale do Ave

GUEST EDITOR OF SPECIAL ISSUES

2017/2018

Current Medicinal Chemistry

Bentham Science

Special Issue: "Alternatives approaches to treat biofilms infections"

Editors: Célia Fortuna Rodrigues and Mariana Henriques

2018/2019

Biomedicines

MDPI

Special Issue: "Biofilms in wounds: new advances in therapy and in healing management"

Editor: Célia Fortuna Rodrigues

Fluconazole vs Voriconazole: *Candida glabrata*'s biofilms response to different azoles

Rodrigues, CF; Gonçalves, B; Rodrigues, ME; Silva, S; Azeredo, J; Henriques, M.

7th Trends in Medical Mycology. Vol. Mycoses 58(Suppl. 4), Lisbon, Portugal, 9-12 Oct, 78-78.

2014

Antifungal agents induce alteration in the matrix composition of *Candida glabrata* biofilms

Rodrigues, CF; Fonseca, E; Gonçalves, B; Bogas, D; Silva, S.; Azeredo, J; Henriques, M.

Biofilms 6 - International Conference on Microbial Biofilms. Vienna, Austria, May 11-13.

2013

Effect of azoles in *Candida glabrata* biofilms and its relation with ERG genes expression

Rodrigues, CF; Silva, SC; Azeredo, J.; Gonçalves, B; Henriques, M.

MICROBIOTEC '13 - Portuguese Congress of Microbiology and Biotechnology, Aveiro, Portugal, December 6-8.

Influence of glucose on *Candida parapsilosis* virulence factors

Pereira, L.P.; Silva, S.C.; Ribeiro, Bruno; Rodrigues, CF; Henriques, M.; Azeredo, J.

MICROBIOTEC '13 - Portuguese Congress of Microbiology and Biotechnology, Aveiro, Portugal, December 6-8.

2011

Micro and nanoencapsulation of EGCG for chemoprevention and co-therapy of colorectal cancer (Review)

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- **As Infecções Fúngicas: Um problema de Saúde Pública**, Pfizer®, Solar do Paço, Braga, November 2009;
- **Análogos da LHGH - Lucrin® (acetato de leuprorelina)**, Abbott®, 15th July 2009, Hospital Pedro Hispano;
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- **A Problemática das Infecções por Gram+, Daptomicina**, Centro Cultural Belém, Lisboa, 20th June 2009;
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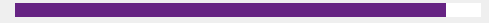
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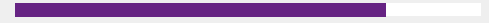
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- **VI Jornadas de Ciências Farmacêuticas do I.S.C.S.N. – Automedicação: vantagens e riscos**, Centro de Congressos da Alfândega, Porto, 13-14th May 2005;
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