



Update on Scoliosis: Different principles of Brace Treatment



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Short biographical notes:

Medical doctor, 1981 (UAB)

First specialty in Allergy and clinical immunology, 1985 (BCN)

Further education in scoliosis rehabilitation and orthopaedic treatment, 1989 (Institute E. Salvá, BCN).

Teaching Schroth method since 1989 (National and International courses).

Professor at the physiotherapy school Gimbernat (UAB) 1990-2017.

PhD in 2000 'Department of Radiology and Physical Medicine Universidad de Córdoba'.

Invited Professor, Bundesfachschule für Orthopädie-Technik Dortmund – BUFA, Germany since 2002, teaching Rigo-Chêneau principles.

Founder of the Barcelona Scoliosis Physical Therapy School 2009

Chair:

- SIRER congress in Barcelona, 1996 (President of Honour: A Nachemson)
- International Conference on Conservative Management of Spinal Deformities in Barcelona, 2004
- 2011 SOSORT meeting in Barcelona.

First President of the SOSORT 2006-8

Chair of the Educational Committee SOSORT 2006-2016

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