

BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH

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| INSTITUTION AND LOCATION | DEGREE <i>(if applicable)</i> | YEAR(s) | FIELD OF STUDY |
| University of Puerto Rico, Río Piedras | B.S | 2006 | General Science |
| University of Puerto Rico, School of Public Health | M.Sc. | 2009 | Epidemiology |

A. Positions and Honors.

Positions and Employment

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| 2006-2007 | Research Assistant, Medical Sciences Campus, University of Puerto Rico |
| 2007 | Research Assistant (part-time), Cancer Registry of Puerto Rico, University of Puerto Rico |
| 2008 | Research Assistant (part-time), HIV/AIDS Bureau, Department of Health and Human Services |
| 2008- Present | Research Assistant, Center for Clinical Research and Health Promotion, University of Puerto Rico School of Dental Medicine |

B. Peer-reviewed publications

- Ortiz AP, Perez J, Otero-Dominguez Y, Garcia-Rodriguez O, Garced-Tirado S, Escalera-Maldonado F, et al. Endometrial cancer in Puerto Rico: incidence, mortality and survival (1992-2003). BMC cancer. 2010;10:31. Epub 2010/02/05. doi: 10.1186/1471-2407-10-31. PubMed PMID: 20128912; PubMed Central PMCID: PMC2833143.
- Andrianakaja OM, Jimenez JJ, Munoz-Torres FJ, Perez CM, Vergara JL, Joshipura K. Lipid lowering agents (LLA) use and systemic and oral inflammation in overweight or obese adult Puerto Ricans: the SOALS Study. Journal of clinical periodontology. 2015. Epub 2015/09/27. doi: 10.1111/jcpe.12461. PubMed PMID: 26407668.