



**ECTRIMS MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS CLINICAL TRAINING FELLOWS**

**2021 Awardees**

**Fellow:** René Carvajal, MD

**Fellowship Institution:** Multiple Sclerosis Centre of Catalonia / Cemcat, Spain

**Mentor:** Mar Tintoré, Dr.

**Fellowship Duration:** 1 year

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**Fellow:** Nathane Rezende, MD

**Fellowship Institution:** Multiple Sclerosis Centre of Catalonia /Cemcat, Spain

**Mentor:** Jaume Sastre-Garriga

**Fellowship Duration:** 1 year

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**Fellow:** Panagiotis Gklinos, MD

**Fellowship Institution:** Barts Health NHS Trust / Queen Mary University London

**Mentor:** Ruth Dobson, Dr.

**Fellowship Duration:** 1 year

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**Fellow:** Elianet Fonseca, MD  
**Fellowship Institution:** Instituto Clinic de Neurociencias, Hospital Clinic de Barcelona, Spain  
**Mentor:** Albert Saiz, Dr.  
**Fellowship Duration:** 1 year

**2020 Awardees**

**Fellow:** Enrique Gomez Fiqueroa, MD  
**Fellowship Institution:** Neurocure Clinical Research Center, Charité-Universitätsmedizin Berlin, Germany  
**Mentor:** Prof. Dr. Friedemann Paul, Dr. Jacqueline Palace  
**Fellowship Duration:** 1 year

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**Fellow:** Agustin Pappolla, Dr.  
**Fellowship Institution:** Fundacion Centre d'esclerosi Multiple de Catalunya, Spain  
**Mentor:** Jordi Rio Izquierdo, MD  
**Fellowship Duration:** 1 year

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**Fellow:** Ana Beatriz Gomes  
**Fellowship Institution:** University Hospital Basel, Basel, Switzerland  
**Mentor:** PD Dr. Anne-Katrin Pröbstel, Prof. Dr. Tobias Derfuss  
**Fellowship Duration:** 1 year

**Fellow:** Nik Krajnc, MD  
**Fellowship Institution:** Neuroimmunology & MS Clinical and Research Unit, Medical University of Vienna, Austria  
**Mentor:** Prof. Thomas Berger, MD  
**Fellowship Duration:** 1 year

**2019 Awardees**

**Fellow:** Simón Cárdenas Robledo, MD  
**Fellowship Institution:** Centre d'Esclerosi Multiple de Catalunya (Cemcat), Barcelona, Spain  
**Mentor:** Dr. Mar Tintoré  
**Fellowship Duration:** 1 year

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**Fellow:** Paula Tagliani, MD  
**Fellowship Institution:** Vall d'Hebron, Barcelona, Spain  
**Mentor:** Angela Vidal Jordana, MD, PhD  
**Fellowship Duration:** 1 year

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**Fellow:** Ide Smets, MD, PhD  
**Fellowship Institution:** Barts Health NHS Trust, London, United Kingdom  
**Mentor:** Dr. Sharmilee Gnanapavan,  
**Fellowship Duration:** 1 year

**Fellow:** **Madiha Shatila, MD**

**Fellowship Institution:** National Hospital for Neurology and Neurosurgery, London, United Kingdom

**Mentor:** Dr. Wallace Brownlee

**Fellowship Duration:** 1 year

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**Fellow:** **Stefania Kaninia, MD**

**Fellowship Institution:** University of Bristol and North Bristol NHS Trust, Bristol, United Kingdom

**Mentor:** Dr. Claire Marie Rice

**Fellowship Duration:** 1 year

**2018 Awardees**

**Fellow:** **Boaventura de Oliveira, MD**

**Fellowship Institution:** Multiple Sclerosis Center of Catalonia, University Hospital Vall d'Hebron, Neurology / Neuroimmunology Department, Barcelona, Spain

**Mentor:** Jaume Sastre-Garriga, MD, PhD

**Fellowship Duration:** 1 year

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**Fellow:** **Zaid Ghanim, MD, PhD**

**Fellowship Institution:** Neuroimmunology and Cell Therapy Unit, Hadassah Multiple Sclerosis Centre, Jerusalem, Israel

**Mentor:** Dimitrios Karussis, MD, PhD

**Fellowship Duration:** 1 year

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**Fellow:** Venkatraman Karthikeyan, MD

**Fellowship Institution:** The Walton Centre NHS Foundation Trust, Neurology Department, Liverpool, United Kingdom

**Mentor:** Anu Jacob, FRCP

**Fellowship Duration:** 1 year

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**Fellow:** Saúl Reyes, MD

**Fellowship Institution:** Blizard Institute, Barts and The London School of Medicine and Dentistry, Queen Mary University London, Royal London Hospital, Neurology Department, London, United Kingdom

**Mentor:** Gavin Giovannoni, MD, PhD

**Fellowship Duration:** 1 year

**2017 Awardees**

**Fellow:** Nuria Cerdà Fuertes, MD

**Fellowship Institution:** University Hospital Basel, Neurologisch-Neurochirurgische Poliklinik, Basel, Switzerland

**Mentor:** Dr. Tobias Derfuss

**Fellowship Duration:** 1 year

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**Fellow:** Giordani dos Passos, MD

**Fellowship Institution:** University of Oxford, Nuffield Department of Clinical Neurosciences, John Radcliffe Hospital, Oxford, United Kingdom

**Mentor:** Dr. Jacqueline Palace

**Fellowship Duration:** 1 year

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**Fellow:** **Pietro Maggi, MD, PhD**

**Fellowship Institution:** Lausanne University Hospital, Departement of Neurology, Lausanne, Switzerland

**Mentor:** Dr. Renaud Du Pasquier

**Fellowship Duration:** 1 year

**2016 Awardees**

**Fellow:** **Zhifeng Mao, MD, PhD**

**Fellowship Institution:** Queen Mary University of London and Barts Health NHS Trust, Blizard Institute und ECAM, London, United Kingdom

**Mentor:** Dr. Klaus Schmierer

**Fellowship Duration:** 1 year

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**Fellow:** **Nicolas Dubuisson, MD**

**Fellowship Institution:** Barts Health NHS Trust, Royal London Hospital, Neurology, London, United Kingdom

**Mentor:** Prof. Gavin Giovannoni

**Fellowship Duration:** 1 year

**2015 Awardees**

**Fellow:** **Maria Isabel Zuluaga, MD**

**Fellowship Institution:** Cemcat - Hospital Universitario Vall D'Hebron, Barcelona, Spain

**Mentor:** Dr. Mar Tintoré

**Fellowship Duration:** 6 months

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**Fellow:** Omar Alrawashdeh, PhD  
**Fellowship Institution:** Division of Clinical Neurology, Queens Medical Centre, Nottingham, UK  
**Mentor:** Dr. Nikos Evangelou  
**Fellowship Duration:** 1 year

**2013 Awardee**

**Fellow:** Youssef Sidhom, MD  
**Fellowship Institution:** Pitié-Salpêtrière Hospital, Paris, France  
**Mentor:** Dr. Bertrand Fontaine  
**Fellowship Duration:** 1 year

**2012 Awardees**

**Fellow:** Ethel Ciampi, MD  
**Fellowship Institution:** Hospital Universitari Vall d'Hebron, CEMCAT, Barcelona, Spain  
**Mentor:** Prof. Jaume Sastre-Garriga  
**Fellowship Duration:** 1 year

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**Fellow:** Maria Cristina Bucur, MD  
**Fellowship Institution:** Department of Neurology, Purpan Hospital, Toulouse, France  
**Mentor:** Prof. David Brassat  
**Fellowship Duration:** 1 year

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**Fellow:** Zheng Liu, MD, PhD  
**Fellowship Institution:** Queen Square Multiple Sclerosis Centre, UCL Institute of Neurology, London, United Kingdom

**Mentor:** Prof. Declan Chard

**Fellowship Duration:** 1 year