

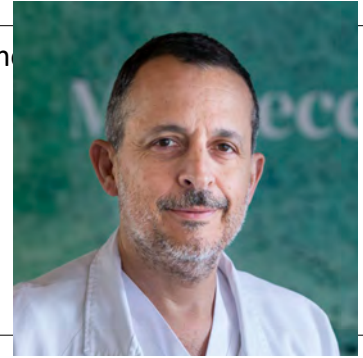


EHRA
European Heart
Rhythm Association

Application for the following position in the EHRA Board:

Nominating Committee Member

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1. Your Identity

Title: Professor

Family Name(s): Guerra

First Name(s): Jose M



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2. General Curriculum Vitae (300 words max)- Please add your H index and top 10 publications in the last 5 years

Jose M. Guerra is currently an Attending Physician at the Arrhythmia Unit of the Cardiology Department of Hospital de la Santa Creu i Sant Pau in Barcelona, Spain. He also serves as Associate Professor of Medicine at the Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona.

He leads the Cardiology Research Group at his institution and is the Group Leader of the local node of CIBERCV, a national government-funded cardiovascular research network. Additionally, he is the National Coordinator of the Arrhythmias Program and member of the Board of Directors of CIBERCV.

Dr. Guerra earned his Medical Degree from the Universidad de Las Palmas de Gran Canaria and completed his Cardiology residency at Hospital Vall d'Hebron in Barcelona. He received advanced training in cardiac electrophysiology at the same institution, as well as at the Krannert Institute of Cardiology at Indiana University School of Medicine and the University of California, San Francisco. He obtained his PhD in Medicine from the Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona.

He is a former President of the Arrhythmia Section of the Spanish Society of Cardiology, and a former member of the Scientific Initiatives Committee and the Scientific Program Committee of the European Heart Rhythm Association (EHRA).

His research focuses on the mechanisms of cardiac arrhythmias, integrating clinical and translational studies with computational modeling. He has authored numerous peer-reviewed publications and is a frequent speaker at international conferences. His current H-index is 27.

Selected recent publications (last 5 years):

1. Amorós-Figueras G, Front Cardiovasc Med, 2025
2. Soriano-Amores M, Heart Rhythm, 2025
3. Petras A, Heart Rhythm O2, 2025
4. Guerra JM, Europace, 2024
5. Amorós-Figueras G, Circ Arrhythm Electrophysiol, 2023
6. Januszkiewicz Ł, Europace, 2023
7. Tarifa C, Int J Mol Sci, 2023
8. García-Sánchez T, Circ Arrhythm Electrophysiol, 2022
9. Simovic S, Europace, 2022
10. Garcia R, Europace, 2021



3. Describe previous experience(s) within EHRA, ESC or your National Cardiac Society

EHRA/ESC

EHRA Scientific Initiatives Committee member from 2020 to 2022

EHRA Scientific Program Committee member from 2022 to 2024

Spanish Society of Cardiology (SEC)

EP Certification Board of the Spanish Society of Cardiology from 2007 to 2013

President of the Arrhythmia Section, Spanish Society of Cardiology from 2017 to 2019





4. Why are you motivated to join the EHRA Executive Board (250 words max)?

I am deeply motivated to join the EHRA Executive Board because I believe in the transformative power of collaboration, education, and innovation in cardiac electrophysiology. Throughout my career, I have been committed to improving arrhythmia care, mentoring emerging professionals, and promoting excellence in clinical practice and research. EHRA has been instrumental in shaping the standards and future of our field, and I am eager to contribute to its strategic vision.

My involvement in EHRA activities—congresses, educational programs, and collaborative projects—has shown me the value of a strong, united European community. I am particularly passionate about expanding educational outreach, supporting early-career electrophysiologists, and fostering multidisciplinary integration. I also see an opportunity to strengthen the bridge between evidence-based guidelines and real-world implementation, ensuring that innovation translates into better patient outcomes.

Serving on the Executive Board would allow me to advocate for a more inclusive, dynamic, and forward-thinking EHRA. I bring clinical leadership experience, academic insight, and a strong commitment to teamwork. I am enthusiastic about helping EHRA remain a global reference in electrophysiology, while also addressing emerging challenges and opportunities in our rapidly evolving field.

Joining the Board is not only a professional aspiration—it is a continuation of my dedication to the community, to scientific excellence, and to the future of arrhythmia care.





5. How will you combine your EHRA position with your daily clinical/research workload?

Please note that we expect you to:

- Have an active career at the time of taking office
 - Be on clinical practice (for at least 30%) at the time of application
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I currently maintain an active clinical and academic career, with 60% of my time dedicated to direct patient care in cardiac electrophysiology. My daily work combines clinical responsibilities, research leadership, and educational activities, which has taught me to manage complex schedules efficiently and prioritize strategic goals.

I am fully committed to integrating the EHRA Executive Board responsibilities into my professional routine. My institution supports international collaboration and leadership roles, and I have experience balancing committee work with clinical and research duties. I plan to allocate dedicated time for EHRA tasks, ensuring responsiveness, continuity, and active participation in board activities, meetings, and initiatives.

I am confident that my organizational skills, institutional support, and belief on EHRA's mission will allow me to fulfill this role effectively while maintaining excellence in my clinical and research commitments.



6. Please list your conflicts of interest

- Direct personal payments (speaker fees, honoraria, advisory board fees, consultancy, investigator...)
 - Industry Employee: 0... %
 - Company (one company): **Abbott**
 - Product or therapeutic area: **Electrophysiology**
 - <10 K€/year 10-50 K€/year 50-100 K€/year >100 >K€/year

 - Company (one company): **Medtronic**
 - Product or therapeutic area: **Electrophysiology**
 - <10 K€/year 10-50 K€/year 50-100 K€/year >100 >K€/year

 - Company (one company): **Johnson & Johnson**
 - Product or therapeutic area: **Electrophysiology**
 - <10 K€/year 10-50 K€/year 50-100 K€/year >100 >K€/year

 - Company (one company): **Boston Scientific**
 - Product or therapeutic area: **Electrophysiology**
 - <10 K€/year 10-50 K€/year 50-100 K€/year >100 >K€/year

- Payments to your institution (speaker fees, honoraria, advisory board fees, consultancy, activities executed by your department for the sponsor or investigator initiated and funded by an unconditional grant from the sponsor...)
 - Company (one company): **N/A**
 - Product or therapeutic area: **N/A**
 - <10 K€/year 10-50 K€/year 50-100 K€/year >100 >K€/year

- Receipts of royalties for intellectual property
 - Company (one company): **N/A**
 - Product or therapeutic area: **N/A**
 - <10 K€/year 10-50 K€/year 50-100 K€/year >100 >K€/year

Position of influence declaration:

- Direct substantial shareholding or direct financial interest in healthcare, media, education companies or companies in relationship (suppliers or in competition with ESC or in contradiction with ESC mission)
- Employment in healthcare institution (part time or full time)
- Membership or affiliation to political/pressure group associations related to the field of cardiology
- Any potential interest related to the position applied for
- Nothing to declare
- More info at <https://www.escardio.org/The-ESC/About/Policies/esc-declaration-and-management-of-conflict-of-interest-policy>

