

ANA CATARINA FRANCO



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Recently graduated Biologist, passionate about infectious diseases and biomedical research.

Particularly interested in the molecular mechanisms of parasite-host interactions.

As a student eager to learn I pursue my goals with determination and responsibility.



EDUCATION

Sep 2013 –Jul 2016 BSc BIOLOGY (Branch of Molecular Biology and Genetics), *Faculdade de Ciências da Universidade de Lisboa*
Final grade: 15 (out of 20)
Best grades achieved: Oriented studies (final project entitled "Microbial Bioconversion of steroids", 18 out of 20); Genetics of Eukaryotes (17 out of 20); Microbial Biotechnology (17 out of 20); Biochemistry (17 out of 20); Biological Anthropology (17 out of 20); Bioethics (17 out of 20).

Sep 2012 –Jul 2013 BSc ORTHOPTICS, Escola Superior de Tecnologia da Saúde Lisboa - Instituto Politécnico de Lisboa
First year completed.

May 2014 "Forensic Microbiology" workshop, by Dr. Jeffrey Tomberlin



WORK EXPERIENCE

Aug 2016 - Present Trainee, *Instituto de Medicina Molecular, Lisboa - MPrudêncio Lab*



LANGUAGES

Portuguese (Native Speaker)

English (Very Good Written and Spoken)



PERSONAL SKILLS

Communication Skills Excellent communication skills obtained during school team projects and summer jobs.

Work Skills

Leadership competences; Motivational and positive attitude; Ability to work within a group of people; Very organized.



COMPUTER SKILLS

Microsoft Office Advanced Skills (Word, PowerPoint, Excel, Outlook)

MatLab Basic Skills