

GENERAL PRESENTATION

➤ **Complete denomination:** Unidad de Gestión Clínica de Reumatología Hospital Clínico San Carlos

➤ **Location (city, country):** Madrid (Spain)

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➤ **Working Group involvement:** WG4 Vice-Leader: *In vitro* Evaluation of the Performance

MC substitute

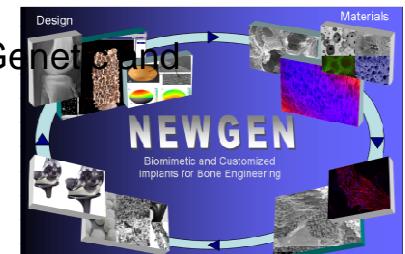
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➤ **Research topics:**

- Cell signaling pathways in MSCs during differentiation. Assessment of regenerative potential *in vivo*. Immunomodulatory potential *in vitro*

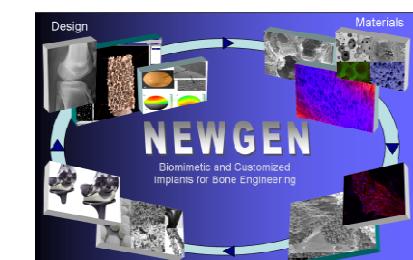
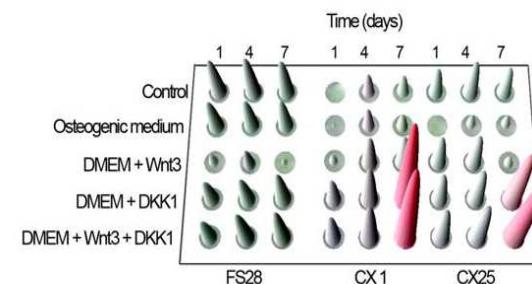
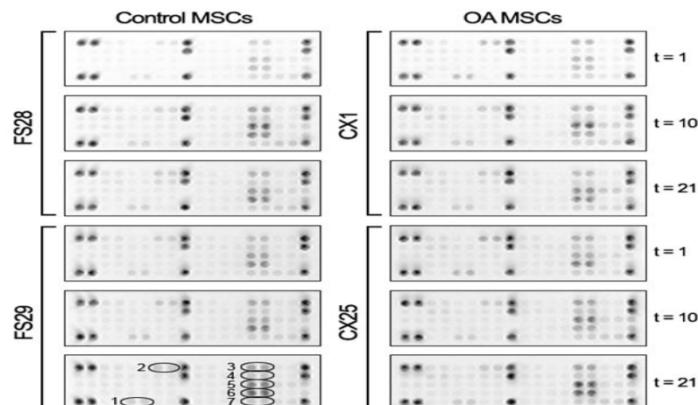
➤ **Researchers expertises:**

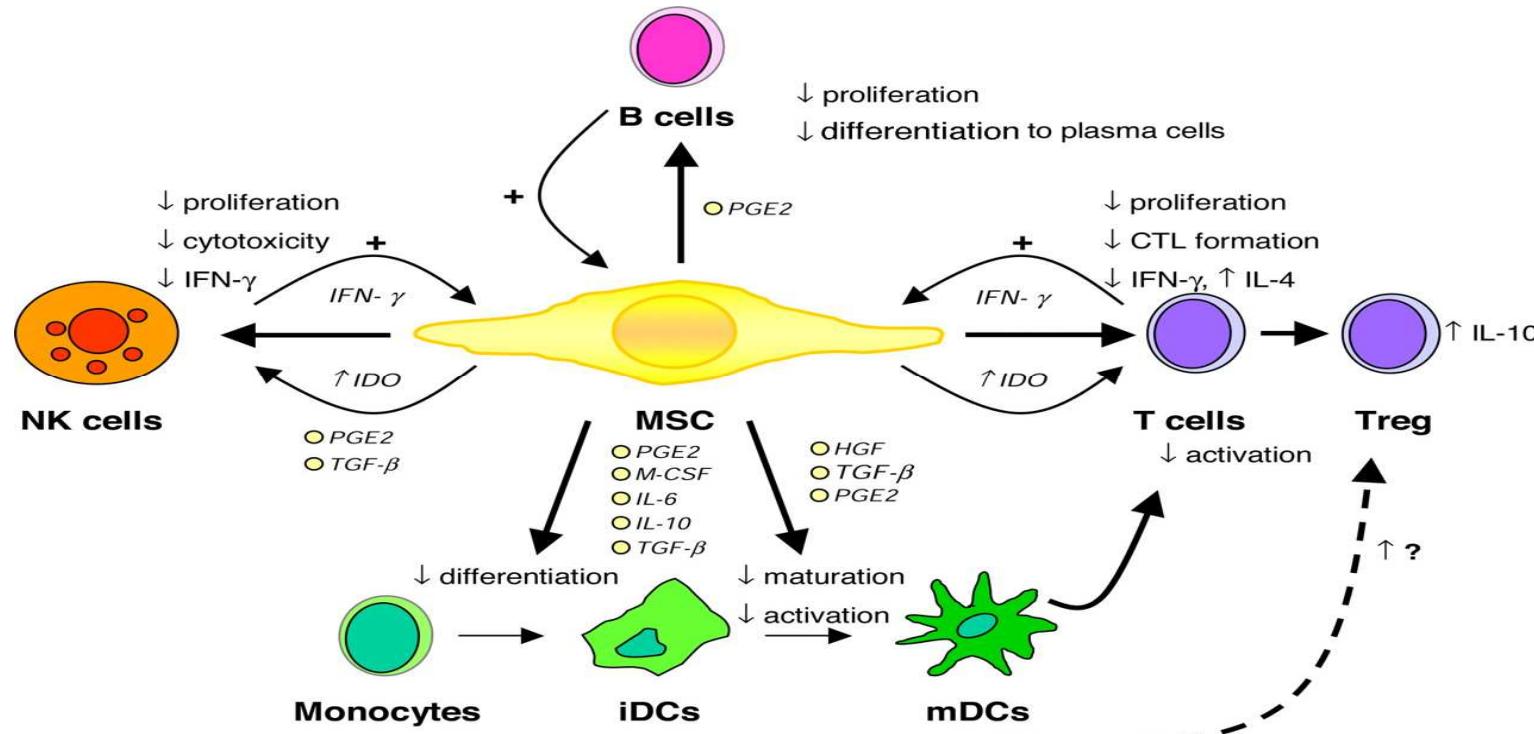
- Biologists: Cell Isolation, characterization, culture and differentiation, Proteomic, Genetic and Transcriptional studies.
- Physicians: Clinical management of musculoskeletal diseases.



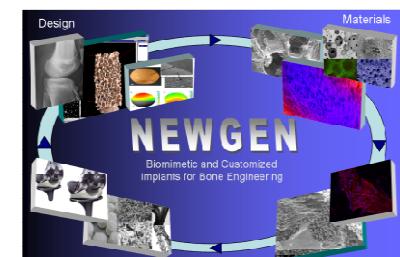
Mechanisms involved in osteogenic and condrogenic differentiation

- Wnt function during osteogenesis and condrogenesis
- Role of miRNAs, over osteogenic differentiation





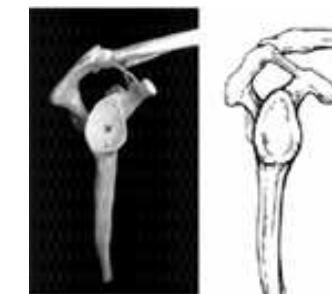
Study of Immunomodulatory potential of MSCs



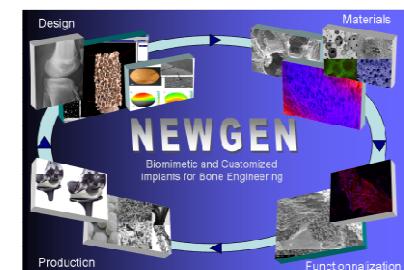
Rotator cuff regeneration using MSCs and collagen scaffolds in a Sprague-Dawley rat model



Rat shoulder

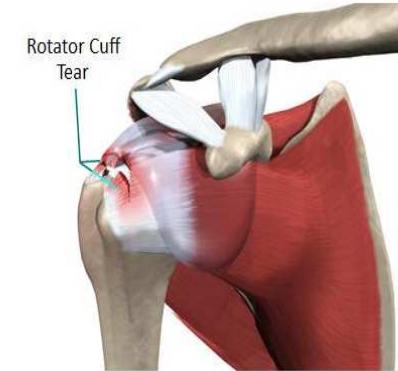


Human shoulder

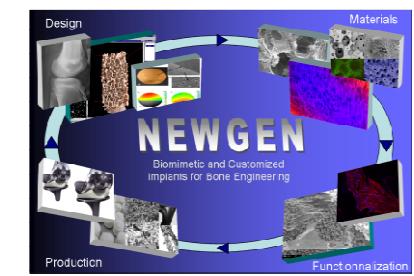
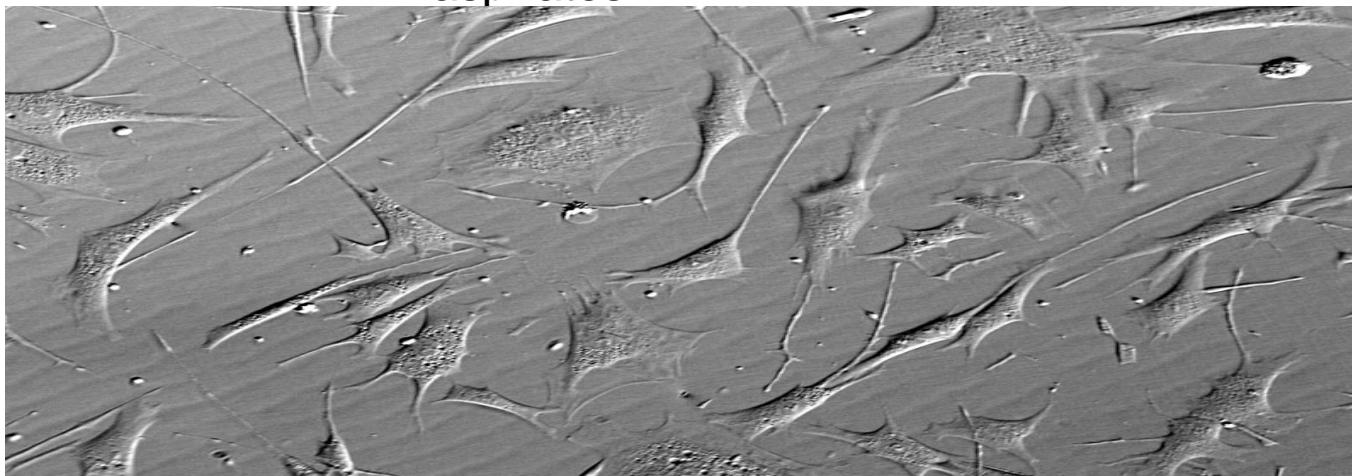


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HUMAN clinical trials



Treatment of human rotator cuff injuries using autologous mesenchymal stem cells from bone marrow aspirates.



Big Tertiary Hospital (750 beds)

Two research laboratories, both equiped for cell culture.

Animal experimentation Facility.

Biobank for cells, tissues etc.

Clean room (accreditation pending)

