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Professor Muñoz was the founder of the International Multidisciplinary Autotransfusion Study Group (GIEMSA) and a co-founder of the Anaemia Working Group España (AWGE). He is currently member of NATA's Board of Directors, coordinator NATA's Anaemia subcommittee, vice-coordinator of the "Spanish Consensus Document on Alternatives to Allogeneic Blood Transfusion" (Seville Document) expert panel and coordinator of the educational platform www.deficitdehierro.com.

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